

TEMPORARY SPECIAL EDUCATION CERTIFICATE



The **ONLINE Temporary Special Education Certificate (TSEC)** at the University of Montevallo is for those who have earned a bachelor's degree or higher and can be certified to teach special education in grades 6-12.

Courses taken to obtain the TSEC include a survey of special education, collaboration/consultation, methods and assessment, special education law and behavior analysis/modification. All TSEC coursework must be completed at the same university.

A completed TSEC leads to a Class B teacher certification to teach secondary collaborative special education.

COURSEWORK OVERVIEW

All coursework must be completed with the Alabama State Department of Education approved grade to be considered for the TSEC application (please see the ALSDE TSEC application for specific guidance).

Survey of Special Education

SPED 507 Exceptional Learners in P-12 and Secondary (3)

Collaboration/Consultation

SPED 515 Instructional Methods in Inclusive Classrooms (3)

Methods and Assessment

SPED 562 Assessment in Special Education (3)

Special Education Law

SPED 500 The Legal Aspects of Special Education (3)

Behavior Analysis/Modification

SPED 516 Behavior Management in the Classroom (3)

Please note: This is not an official ALSDE document and is for general information purposes only. Candidates and the employing school systems should read all information related to the school's/system's request for a TSEC. The University of Montevallo is unable to help the school/system/applicant with the TSEC application.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Online application available at montevallo.edu/apply
- Bachelor's degree (minimum 2.5 GPA) or graduate degree (minimum 3.0 GPA) from a regionally accredited college/university

BUNDLED TUITION RATE

Candidates are admitted as enrichment/non-degree seeking students and are eligible for a special bundled, discounted tuition rate. This rate offers applicants a discount of over 25% on regular graduate tuition and fees.

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