

UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN COLORADO  
Educational Leadership and Policy Studies

Interdisciplinary Educational Specialist (Ed.S.) in Educational Leadership and Special Education  
Administration

**PROGRAM PLANNING FORM**

- 1) Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) Bear #: \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) Work Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- 7) Master's Degree:

Institution	Major	Date Completed

8) **PROGRAM OF STUDIES** (30 semester hours beyond Master's Degree)

**ELPS Courses (15 hours)**

**Semester and Year**

- ELPS 601      Leadership Development Through Inquiry (3 credits)      \_\_\_\_\_
- ELPS 603      Shaping Organizations (3 credits)      \_\_\_\_\_
- ELPS 604      Understanding People (3 credits)      \_\_\_\_\_
- ELPS 670      The Principalship (3 credits)      \_\_\_\_\_
- ELPS 606      Internship in Educational Leadership (3 credits)      \_\_\_\_\_

**Common Core Classes (9 Hours)**

- ELPS 654      Instructional Leadership and Supervision (3 credits)      \_\_\_\_\_
- ELPS 650      School Finance and Budgeting (3 credits)      \_\_\_\_\_
- ELPS 660      Law and the Administrator (3 credits)      \_\_\_\_\_

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**Special Education Administration Core (12 Hours)**

**Semester and Year**

EDSE 680	Administration and Supervision of Special Education (3 credits)	_____
EDSE 681	Administrative Planning and Program Evaluation in Special Education (3 credits)	_____
EDSE 718	Adv. Seminar in Education of Students with Hearing and/or Visual Handicaps (3 credits)	_____
EDSE 697	Externship in Special Education Administration (3 credits)	_____

**Research (3 Hours) [Select One]**

SRM 602	Statistical Methods I (3 hours)	_____
or		
SRM 670	Evaluation: Models and Designs (3 hours)	_____
or		
SRM 680	Intro. to Qualitative Research (3 hours)	_____
or		
PSY 674	Measurement I: Classical Test Theory (3 hours)	_____

Note: Graduate School Policy of the University of Northern Colorado does not allow more than six (6) semester hours of credit to be transferred into an Ed.S. program from another accredited institution. Further, no work will be accepted if it was taken more than six (6) years before the date of completion for the current Ed.S. program. Graduate credit earned in off-campus or "extension" courses is not transferable unless it is specifically approved and accepted by the Educational Leadership and Policy Studies program and the Graduate School.

**Total semester hours in this program:** \_\_\_\_\_

9) Anticipated semester and year of Interdisciplinary Ed.S. comprehensive exam: \_\_\_\_\_

10) Date of admission to the program: \_\_\_\_\_

11) \_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature                      Date

12) \_\_\_\_\_  
Advisor Signature                      Date