Auburn University Department of Special Education, Rehabilitation, and Counseling

1. COURSE NUMBER: RSED 7926 (Special Education)

Course Title: INTERNSHIP

Credit Hours: 9

Prerequisites: Alternative Students, COE Internship Admission Requirements

Co-requisite: none

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- 2. DATE SYLLABUS PREPARED: Updated January 2014
- 3. TEXTS: College of Education Internship Handbook
- **4.** <u>COURSE DESCRIPTION</u>: Comprehensive on-the-job experiences with individuals with disabilities in a school, college or community-based social service setting. Intensive supervision of student's application of cumulative learning from rehabilitation or special education preparation program.
- 5. <u>STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES</u>: This course is a semester-long field-based laboratory experience. The specific objectives are related to the specific needs and placements of individual students, as well as the specific programs.

Based upon ASLDE standards, the student will:

- 1. Develop, select, administer, and interpret formal and informal assessments; 34(1)(b)1
- 2. Translate assessment information into functional long-term goals and short-term benchmarks; 34(1)(b)2
- 3. Implement or assist other teachers in implementing the student's individualized education program, by selecting, developing, and using appropriate instructional techniques and methods, ongoing measurement techniques, media and materials, equipment, including assistive technology devices, technology devices, technological advances, and support personnel; 34(1)(b)3
- 4. Continuously analyze the effectiveness of the individualized education program and make appropriate modifications; 34(1)(b)4
- 5. Select and implement research-based curricula and practices related to the core components of reading such as explicit and direct instruction and appropriate grouping; 34(1)(b)5
- 6. Utilize effective teaching strategies designed to promote learning and improve student achievement; 34(1)(b)6
- 7. Modify methods, materials, and equipment to meet student needs; 34(1)(b)7
- 8. Implement research-based behavior management techniques and practices that include school-wide, classroom, and individual proactive positive behavior supports; 34(1)(b)8
- 9. Plan and facilitate transition programs within and outside the school setting; 34(1)(b)9
- 10. Effectively communicate the goals of the instructional program to the student, the student's primary caregivers, and appropriate professionals; 34(1)(b)10

- 11. Design and implement programs that reflect knowledge, awareness, and responsiveness to diverse cultures, including cultural and socioeconomic factors; 34(1)(b)11
- 12. Work effectively with members of the instructional team and professionals from related fields. 34(1)(b)12
- **Faculty.** A specialist with identifiable appropriate expertise is required in each special education teaching field. 34(2)

In the Early Childhood Special Education program, the student will:

- 1. Plan, implement, and evaluate programs designed to meet the special needs of children with disabilities from birth through age eight; 37(2)(b)1
- 2. Provide developmentally appropriate programs for infants and young children with disabilities; 37(2)(b)2
- 3. Consult with parents and other family members in their efforts to understand, accept, and provide care for the young child with special needs; 37(2)(b)3
- 4. Work collaboratively with members of an interdisciplinary team in assessment and intervention efforts; 37(2)(b)4
- 5. Adapt methods and materials to the needs of children with varying exceptionalities from birth through age eight; and 37(2)(b)5
- 6. Use observational/assessment techniques and instruments appropriate for children with varying exceptionalities from birth through age eight. 37(2)(b)6

In the Collaborative Teacher (K-6) program, the student will:

- 1. Assess students' needs in order to plan an individualized education program appropriate for classroom instruction; 35(1)(b)1
- 2. Create an optimal learning environment by utilizing, evaluating, modifying and adapting the classroom setting, curricula, teaching strategies, materials and equipment; 35(1)(b)2
- 3. Utilize practices to encourage family support in the student's program; 35(1)(b)3
- 4. Assist in the evaluation and implementation of assistive technology; 35(1)(b)4
- 5. Collaboratively utilize and evaluate the effectiveness of a variety of instructional strategies to facilitate the student's attainment of goals and objectives; 35(1)(b)5
- 6. Implement appropriate behavioral interventions based on a functional analysis of behavior; 35(1)(b)6
- 7. Build student's communication abilities and social interaction skills through the development of appropriate language and conversational skills; 35(1)(b)7
- 8. Plan and implement an instructional program for grades K-6 using the Alabama courses of study for mathematics, English language arts, social studies and science; 35(1)(b)8
- 9. Develop and implement appropriate school healthcare plans and specialized instructional and therapeutic techniques including physical and behavior management; 35(1)(b)9
- 10. Implement a variety of validated, research-based reading programs selected to meet the needs of students and including the strategies recommended in the Alabama Reading Initiative publications including Essential Skills of Teachers of Reading; 35(1)(b)10
- 11. Teach developmental stages of writing and spelling including the writing process; the stages of prewriting, drafting, revising, editing, and publishing; and writing across the curriculum; 35(1)(b)11
- 12. Use peer and teacher conferencing and rubric assessment to help students edit and revise their writing. 35(1)(b)

In the Collaborative Teacher (6-12) program, the student will:

- 1. Assess students' needs and personal preferences in areas such as communication, cognition, motor, self-help/adaptive, social/emotional, functional life skills, and vocational skills in order to plan an individualized educational program for instruction. 36(1)(b)1
- 2. Utilize practices for facilitating student self-determination and enlisting the support and participation of families in the student's educational program. 36(1)(b)2

- 3. Create an optimal learning environment by collaboratively utilizing, evaluating, modifying and adapting the classroom setting, curricula, teaching strategies, materials, and equipment. 36(1)(b)3
- 4. Plan and implement an instructional program in the areas of general and functional academics, social, vocational, independent living, and leisure skills. 36(1)(b)4
- 5. Plan and implement work-based learning programs (such as on-campus work experiences, community-based work experiences, and work place mentoring) to foster the development of work place competencies and career goals. 36(1)(b)5
- 6. Participate in collaborative teaming approaches for the purpose of decision-making related to instruction, curriculum, social interactions, and interagency collaboration with school and agency staff, students, and family members. 36(1)(b)6
- 7. Create effective linkages between students and post-secondary educational institutions and/or the business community to transition students to future environments. 36(1)(b)7
- 8. Develop and implement appropriate school healthcare plans and specialized instructional and therapeutic techniques including physical and behavior management. 36(1)(b)8
- 9. Implement appropriate behavioral interventions based on a functional analysis of behavior. 36(1)(b) 9
- 10. Implement a variety of validated, research-based reading programs selected to meet the needs of students and including the strategies recommended in the Alabama Reading Initiative publications including Essential Skills of Teachers of Reading. 36(1)(b)10
- 11. Teach developmental stages of writing and spelling including the writing process; the stages of prewriting, drafting, revising, editing, and publishing; and writing across the curriculum. 36(1)(b)11
- 12. Use peer and teacher conferencing and rubric assessment to help students edit and revise their writing. 36(1)(b)

6. COURSE CONTENT: *Dates and times are subject to change.*

Date	Description
Wednesday 1/8/14	First day of internship
Saturday 1/11/14	1 st Meeting:
Saturday 1/11/14	Welcome; Syllabus; Questions; Upcoming Assignments: Emerg. Contact
	Info, Wkly Sched., School Emerg. Info., Lab student responsibilities, & Data
	Collection
WEEKLY MEETINGS	DUE: Attendance Verification,
1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays of	Data Collection (data, graphs, and narrative)
each month Time TBA,	NOTE:
additional meetings may	• Love Your Heart Run is February 22.
be scheduled as needed	• Transition Conference is Monday March 3" and Tuesday March 4".
	• COE Interview Day: 3/4 8:00 – 3:00
Monday 4/28/14	EXIT MEETING
Time TBA HC	DUE: Hard copies of Internship Verification; Final Attendance
1234-B	Verification, Evaluations, PWS, Independent Teaching Lesson Plans
	& Reflections, Exit Survey verification

7. REQUIREMENTS: Students are required to adhere to the negotiated requirements with their internship site.

- Students will be placed in either an early childhood special education school-based internship site, an elementary or secondary site, <u>or</u> both an elementary and a secondary school-based internship site (each for half of the semester), depending on type of certification sought. Students should follow the schedule of their cooperating teachers including school-related activities before and after school and weekends (i.e. PTO, Fall Festivals, Professional Development, etc.). **Students will follow the calendar of the school system, not the calendar of Auburn University**.
- Students will keep a log of clock hours and activities associated with the internship (form on Canvas). The cooperating teacher must initial weekly and sign the log at the end of each placement. Copies of the attendance log are to be shown to the student's university supervisor at

- each meeting. A final copy will be turned in at the end of the semester.
- Most assignments will be submitted via Canvas. A few assignments will be shown to the supervisor
 on a weekly basis in meetings. A few will be emailed via tigermail. Details are included in the
 Assignments/Evaluations Table on the following pages.
- Failure to complete assignments will cause student to receive an unsatisfactory grade in internship. All assignments must be in the 97-2003 compatible Microsoft Word or .pdf format. Assignments are to be revised until considered satisfactory by supervisor. Revisions are due three days from the date suggestions/corrections are sent back to you. Please combine .pdf files of observations into 1 document per observation form and ensure scanned documents are rotated so they are in the proper orientation for viewing. You must check your assignments on Canvas daily.
- The intern should be allowed a certain amount of observation time (one week recommended) in order to familiarize himself or herself with the students and the setting. Then, he or she should be ready to assist the teacher for a short period utilizing the cooperating teacher's lesson plans (one-two weeks recommended). Finally, the intern student should be ready to "take over" (e.g., write their own lesson plans as well as implement those plans). Use the AU Lab Student Responsibilities form to plan this with your teacher.
- Each student will be assigned a University Supervisor, who will make a *minimum* of three on-site visits during the semester. The intern must check tigermail and Canvas accounts at least once daily. The intern must call his/her supervisor on the cell number provided on the day of scheduled observations if there is a change of location or situation that might impact the observation. If you have questions or concerns please contact your supervisor or Mrs. Schweck.
- The assignments attached to this internship will either be checked off or turned in for review to the student's university supervisor. If the cooperating teacher feels that the specific nature of the intern placement warrants adaptations or modifications of any of these assignments, he/she should contact the instructor or university supervisor and new requirements will be established according to the unique characteristics of that particular setting. See following Table.

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	Assignments and Evaluations		
Assignment	Description	Possible	Earned
		Points	Points
Memorandum of	Interns must sign the Memorandum of Understanding	All RSCG and	n/a
Understanding	and submit on Canvas (form on Canvas).	RSEG	
All RSCG/RSEG		No points. Must	
DUE: 1/27		submit to begin	
		internship.	
Attendance	Complete the attendance verification form daily.	All RSCG and	/100
Verification	Have your teacher initial it weekly and sign the bottom	RSEG	
Form on Canvas	when you fill a page. You will show it to your	100 points	
	supervisor at each meeting, submit the final version on		
All RSCG/RSEG DUE:	Canvas, and submit a hard copy at your SERC exit		
Final copy on Canvas	meeting.		
<u>4/21</u>			

Information internship handbook. Give a copy secretary, cooperating teacher,	supervisor. Scan in and attach to the assignment link in	RSCG(K-12) 2@50 pts each	/100
Site 2: 3/3 RSCG (K-6) or (6-12) and RSEG DUE: 1/27		RSCG (K-6) or (6-12) and RSEG 1@ 50 pts	730
Weekly Schedule (Form on Canvas) RSCG (K-12) DUE:	List all of the times you will be at your internship site, what you will be doing (generally) during those times, teacher name(s), and room numbers where you will be	RSCG(K-12) 2@50 pts each	/100
Site 1: 1/27 Site 2: 3/3 RSCG (K-6) or (6-12) and RSEG DUE: 1/27	located. Submit on Canvas. If, at any time, your schedule changes please email your new schedule to your supervisor ASAP via Canvas.	RSCG (K-6) or (6-12) and RSEG 1@ 50 pts	/50
Contact Information (Form on Canvas) RSCG (K-12) DUE: Site 1: 1/27	Personal contact information (phone #, email address), teacher contact information (school #, email address), name of school principal, any days during the semester you will not be following the regular schedule. Submit on Canvas.	RSCG(K-12) 2@50 pts each RSCG (K-6) or	/100
Site 2: 3/3 RSCG (K-6) or (6-12) and RSEG DUE: 1/27		(6-12) and RSEG 1@ 50 pts	/30
School Emergency Information RSCG (K-12) DUE:	For each site, make copies of the school's emergency information (i.e. weather, fire, intruder, bomb, etc.) to keep in your portfolio. You should have all necessary	RSCG(K-12) 2@50 pts each	/100
Site 1: 1/27 Site 2: 3/10 RSCG (K-6) or (6-12) and RSEG DUE: 1/27	information so that you could respond independently in the case of an emergency situation. Scan the information and submit on Canvas.	RSCG (K-6) or (6-12) and RSEG 1@ 50pts	/50
Lab Student Responsibilities (Form on Canvas)	Complete this form at each site with your teacher to designate what is expected of you throughout your placements. It is acceptable to plan multiple weeks at a time. At a minimum, you should submit a week in	RSCG(K-12) 2@100 pts each	/200
RSCG (K-12) DUE: Site 1: 1/27 Site 2: 3/10	advance. It is acceptable for revisions/updates to be made to it. You and your teacher must initial each revision/update. Submit on Canvas.	RSCG (K-6) or (6-12) and RSEG 1 @ 100pts	/100
RSCG (K-6) or (6-12) & RSEG DUE: 1/27			/100

Teacher/Intern Conference Forms (Form on Canvas and in internship notebook) All RSCG and RSEG DUE: Every Monday beginning 1/20 by 8:00 a.m.	Submit via Canvas by 8:00 a.m. on Mondays. You and your teacher should complete this form together. Your teacher will record Observations. These can be notes they jot down throughout the week to provide you with specific feedback about your performance. You will document Reflections based on your discussion with your teacher regarding the feedback. You and your teacher must sign and date.	All RSCG and RSE 25 points each	/325
Resume All RSCG AND RSEG DUE: 2/3	Write a resume for the purpose of obtaining a teaching job. Submit on Canvas. COE Interview Day: 3/4 8:00 – 3:00	All RSCG and RSEG 50 points	/50
Special Education Paperwork & Data Collection (Forms on Canvas) All RSCG and RSEG DUE: Part 1:Weekly at meetings beginning week of 2/3	Part 1: Review special education paperwork including student goals and objectives. Collect data weekly on goals of your teacher's choosing either using his/her current data collection system or develop a new one. Then graph dataeach week and analyze patterns. Include written narrative notes. This assignment is to be completed weekly starting week 4 and shown to supervisor at meetings. You will bring graph, actual data, and written narrative notes. You will also document your participation on form with your teacher(s). Part 2: Participate in the development of Special	All RSCG and RSEG Data: 12 weeks @ 50 pts each Teacher documentation form: 500 points	/1100
Parts 2 and 3: ongoing	Education Paperwork (i.e. meetings, writings, drafts, and trainings). Document participation on the form with your teacher(s).		
<u>Part 4</u> : 4/21	Part 3: Enter information into WebSets. Document participation on the form with your teacher(s). Part 4: Complete Special Education Paperwork Documentation Form with your teacher(s). Submit on Canvas.		
Effective Linkages (RSCG K-12 Secondary Site Only & RSCG 6- 12) DUE: Site 1: 1/27 OR Site 2: 4/7	Discuss with your cooperating teacher how special educators at your internship site help students make linkages to colleges, employment, and community agencies and/or their next school environment. Write a one-page summary of what is currently being done at your school. Develop an activity of your own to establish effective linkages. Describe the activity in a minimum of one typed page. Submit on Canvas.	RSCG (K-12 and 6-12) 1@ 50 pts RSCG (K-6) and RSEG n/a	/50

Lesson Plans/	• Write lesson plans for ALL activities during		/1000
Independent Teaching	•		/1000
(Forms on Canvas)	your 20 days of independent teaching using the Alabama Course of Study, The Extended Standards,	All RSCG and	
All RSCG and RSEG	the Skills of Teachers of Reading, and/or curriculum-	RSEG	
Lesson plans due to	based assessments introduced to you in your courses.		
supervisor Thursday	Lesson plans should be written on the lesson plan form		
prior to implementation	provided on Canvas. Lesson plans must be approved	50	
by 6 p.m. via tigermail.	by your cooperating teacher, and electronic copies	50 points a day	
Must be approved by	must be turned in to your supervisor by the Thursday		
cooperating teacher	before you teach the lesson. An alternate format is		
prior to this.	available for inclusion and resource settings.		
	Please s e e your supervisor for details.		
Reflections due the	 Reflect on each lesson you teach during your 		
Monday following	20 days of independent teaching using a		
implementation via tigermail by 8 a.m.	journal format (typed or handwritten). Reflections		
ugerman by 8 a.m.	are due the Monday following each independent		
20 days required	teaching week. Ask your cooperating teacher to		
Additional days of	complete a Classroom Observation for at least 1		
independent teaching	lesson at each site.		
and use your	 Lesson plans and reflections are to be 		
teacher's lesson plan	submitted to your supervisor via tigermail. In		
format in place of the one provided.	addition, hard copies will be turned in at the end		
one provided.	of the semester.		
DE SS FOUR 15	*** If any of the four required "15 min Video Tapes of	50 points each	
min Video Taping	Teaching Four Lesson Plans" are late or all components	TOTAL of 200 pts	
of Teaching Lesson	listed below are not completed and submitted, student could		
Plans	receive a grade of "U".1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th 15 min Video	Intern will	
	Tapes of Teaching Lessons and Lessons Revised after self-		
DUE @ 6 pm on	evaluation and discussion w Cooperating Teacher. 1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , and 4 th 15 min Video Tape of Teaching Lesson	Teach four components of	
1st due Feb 3	• Intern will video tape him/her teaching 15 min lesson plan.	Lesson Plan design	
2 nd due Feb 24	• Intern will have lesson plan nearby to edit as teaching;		
3 rd due Mar 17	• Intern will include the following components in 15 min	Edit Lesson Plan;	
4 th due Apr 7	video tape:		
4 duc Api /	20 points	Take data during	
	• Intern will teach <i>Introduction of Content</i> to SS;	video tape;	
	• Intern will model for SS and have SS demonstrate back to	Self-evaluate	
	Intern what SS' are learning. Checking for understanding,	tching;	
	clarification, & reteaching;		
	• Intern will demonstrate evaluation technique to verify that	Discuss self-	
	SS are learning content information;	evaluation w Cooperating	
	20 points	Teacher;	
	• Intern will review and self-evaluate his/her 15 min video	,	
	tape of lesson;	Seek feedback from	
	• Intern will discuss self-evaluation with Cooperating	Cooperating	
	Teacher;	Teacher;	
	Intern will seek input and feedback from Cooperating Tageham	Submit self-	
	Teacher;	evaluation w	
	10 points A Intern will submit self avaluation Convex & Cooperating	Cooperating	
	• Intern will submit self-evaluation Canvas & Cooperating	Teacher'	
	Teacher's input; • Intern will submit Lesson Plan <i>used with revisions</i> and		
		Mail each of the	
	input on it to Canvas;Intern will mail DVD to University Supervisor following	four lesson plans on DVD to AU	
	self review & evaluation w Cooperating Teacher.	Supervisor.	
	Sell review & evaluation w. Conerating Leacher		

Cooperating Teacher Evaluations Forms in Internship Handbook and on Canvas All RSCG and RSEG DUE: 1 Quarter- 2/3	• 4 Professional Dispositions – completed by special education cooperating teacher (with input from general education teachers if appropriate) • 1 nd Quarter • 2 quarter/Midterm • 3 th Quarter • 4 Quarter/Final **It is expected that students will demonstrate acceptable Professional dispositions throughout their internship.	All RSCG and RSEG: Professional Dispositions 1200 points total (teacher and supervisor evaluations combined)	/1200
2 quarter/Midterm – 3/3 3 Quarter – 3/31 4 quarter/Final –4/21	** If, at any time, there is concern about a student's professional disposition, the student will be notified through the professional dispositions evaluation. All subsequent professional dispositions evaluations must be acceptable in order to pass internship, regardless of the total accumulated points at the end of the semester.	Classroom Observations 60 each (TOTAL:240 pts) Clinical	/50
	• 4 Classroom Observations • 1 _{nd} Quarter • 2 _{rd} Quarter/Midterm • 3 _{th} Quarter • 4 Quarter/Final * Ideally, 2 of these are during independent teaching. • 2 Clinical Competencies (use same form for both ratings) _{nd} • 2 _{th} Quarter/Midterm • 4 Quarter/Final	Competencies 25 points each (TOTAL: 50 points) AU Educate Alabama Internship Assessment	
Cooperating Teacher Evaluations Forms in Internship Handbook and on Canvas	• AU Educate Alabama Internship Assessment Form 2 d Quarter/Midterm 4 Quarter/Final Provide blank evaluations to your cooperating teacher(s) at least a week in advance. If co-teaching, general education teachers should evaluate performance in the classroom also (using the Classroom Observation Form).	468 points each (TOTAL: 936 pts)	/936
Self-Evaluations (Forms on Canvas) All RSCG and RSEG DUE: See dates in next column	 Initial Self-Assessment (COE handbook) DUE on Canvas: 1/27 Semester Goals first half DUE on Canvas: 2/3 Reflection of Semester Goals for first half DUE on Canvas: 2/24 Semester Goals second half DUE on Canvas: 3/10 Reflection of Semester Goals for second half DUE on Canvas: 4/21 	All RSCG and RSEG 25 points each TOTAL:125	/125

Supervisor	• <u>4 Professional Dispositions</u>		
Evaluations	• 1 st Quarter	CI.	
	• 2 nd Quarter/Midterm	Classroom Observations 60	
All RSCG and RSEG	• 3 Quarter	points each	
1 Quarter – 2/3	• 4 th Quarter/Final	(TOTAL 240	/240
2 Quarter/Midterm - 3/3	**It is expected that students will demonstrate	points)	
rd	acceptable Professional dispositions throughout		
3 Quarter 4/7	their internship. If, at any time, there is concern about a		
th	student's professional disposition, the student will be notified		
4 Quarter/Final- 4/21	through the professional dispositions evaluation. All subsequent professional dispositions evaluations must be		
	acceptable in order to pass internship, regardless of the total		
	accumulated points at the end of the semester.		
	• 3-4 Classroom Observations		
	o In class observations (both sites) dates TBA; dates in		
	left column are guidelines for planning		
PWS	Students must complete a minimum of one PWS during		
(See Internship	one week of independent teaching. Ideally, your		
Handbook)	supervisor will be present to observe one lesson during		
All Dagg L Dagg	your PWS. However, it is also acceptable for your	No points –	
All RSCG and RSEG	cooperating teacher to observe one if necessary.	MUST have to pass	
Final version	Part 1: Responses to planning questions and lesson	pass	
Due: 3/3	plans due to supervisor at least one day before		
(option for	observation via tigermail.	No PWS = No	
students with split	Part 2: Implement PWS instruction	pass	
placements)	Part 3: Respond to prompts for remaining PWS		
0	questions. Submit complete PWS (lesson plans;		
<mark>Or</mark> 4/21	responses to planning, implementation, reflection, and		
4 /21	analysis questions; classroom observation form(s), and		
	data from PWS) due a week from implementation on Canyas.		
	<u>Part 4:</u> After complete PWS has been reviewed, revised, and considered complete by supervisor,		
	students will submit the entire PWS (lesson plans,		
	responses to all questions, classroom observation		
	form(s), and data) on TK20. This must be done by		
	4/21/14.		
	NOTE: The PWS usually easier to complete in		
	elementary special education settings than secondary		
	special education settings. Supervisors may require		
	additional PWS to be completed if necessary. PWS		
	scored using the College of Education PWS Rubric.		
Internship	Intern must complete ALL necessary demographic	No points -	
Verification Form	information for the intern, teachers, and	MUST have to	
(Form on Canvas)	supervisor. Intern must also keep track of all	pass	
	observations and dates of independent teaching.	37 C 37	
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All RSCG and RSEG	Cooperating teacher(s) will sign off at the end of the	No form = No	
All RSCG and RSEG Due: 4/21	•	no form = No pass	

Program Exit	A link to a survey will be emailed to you near the	No points –	
Surveys	end of the semester. You must complete the survey	MUST have to	
	and turn in the submission page for verification	pass	
All RSCG and RSEG	with your hard copies at the end of the semester.		
Due: 4/24			
	You must also complete COE survey(s) in TK20		
	or other locations (i.e. Cooperating teacher survey,		
	diversity survey, etc.).		

8. GRADING AND EVALUATION: Grades will be either S (satisfactory) or U (unsatisfactory). Evaluation will occur based on observational ratings given by the course instructor and the on-site supervisor as well as the timeliness and quality of projects assigned by the course instructor. A standardized instrument is utilized for the evaluation of the student's performance during classroom observations. See the College of Education Internship handbook for specific College of Education criteria for completion of internship.

EVALUATION WILL OCCUR BASED ON THE FOLLOWING:

Collaborative Teacher (RSCG K-6, 6-12, and K-12) and Early Childhood Special Education (RSEG):

- 80% 100% of points, and acceptable in all professional dispositions = S (satisfactory)
- 0-79% of points and/or unacceptable in one or more professional dispositions = U (unsatisfactory)

In addition to meeting the College of Education criteria for internship, Special Education Program requirements for receiving an S (satisfactory) for internship are as follows:

- · All assignments must be turned in.
- Revisions must be made to assignments until they are considered satisfactory by the Supervisor and/or Cooperating Teacher. Revisions are due within 3 days of receiving feedback.
- Student MUST demonstrate professional dispositions throughout the entire internship. Any concerns regarding the intern's demonstration of professional dispositions will be shared with the Department Head and the College of Education's Field Experience Director. Interns may be assigned a U (unsatisfactory) in the course for failure to demonstrate professional dispositions regardless of supervisor and cooperating teacher classroom evaluations.
- Final supervisor and cooperating teacher evaluations of the student must have competent ratings.
- Hard copies of attendance verification forms, evaluations, internship verification form, PWS, independent teaching lesson plans and reflections, and evidence of exit survey completion must be turned in by due date noted on calendar.

9. CLASS POLICY STATEMENTS:

A. ATTENDANCE: See Internship Handbook. ANY absence must be excused. Students must call supervisor and cooperating teacher on cell phone to inform of absence in advance. All absences must be made up prior to the end of the final examination period. At the discretion of individual supervisors, verified absences may be excused under unusual circumstances (see the Student Policy eHandbook at www.auburn.edu/studentpolicies). In order for the absence to be considered excusable, however, the supervisor must be in receipt of the documentation within seven days from the day on which the absence occurred. For internship, all excused absences must be made up with approval from cooperating teacher and university supervisor. Attendance at all internship meetings is required.

B. EXCUSED ABSENCES: Students are granted excused absences from class for the following reasons: illness of the student or serious illness of a member of the student's immediate family, the death of a member of the student's immediate family, trips for student organizations sponsored by an academic unit, trips for university classes, trips for participation in intercollegiate athletic events, subpoena for a court appearance, and religious holidays. Students who wish to have an excused absence from class for any other reason must contact the instructor in advance of the

absence to request permission. The instructor will weigh the merits of the request and render a decision. When feasible, the student must notify the instructor prior to the occurrence of any excused absences, but in no case shall such notification occur more than one week after the absence. Appropriate documentation for ALL excused absences is required. Please see the Student Policy eHandbook at www.auburn.edu/studentpolicies for more information on excused absences.

- **C.** <u>ACADEMIC HONESTY POLICY</u>: All portions of the Auburn University student academic honesty code (Title XII) found in the Student Policy eHandbook (www.auburn.edu/studentpolicies) will apply to university courses. All academic honesty violations or alleged violations of the SGA Code of Laws will be reported to the Office of the Provost, which will then refer the case to the Academic Honesty Committee.
- **D. <u>DISABILITY ACCOMMODATIONS</u>**: Students who need accommodations are asked to electronically submit their approved accommodations through AU Access and to arrange a meeting during office hours the first week of classes, or as soon as possible if accommodations are needed immediately. If you have a conflict with office hours, an alternate time can be arranged. To set up this meeting, please contact your supervisor by e-mail. If you have not established accommodations through the Office of Accessibility, but need accommodations, make an appointment with the Office of Accessibility, 1228 Haley Center, 844-2096 (V/TT).
- **E.** <u>COURSE CONTINGENCY</u>: If normal class and/or lab activities are disrupted due to illness, emergency, or crisis situation, the syllabus and other course plans and assignments may be modified to allow completion of the course. If this occurs, an addendum to your syllabus and/or course assignments will replace the original materials.
- **<u>F. PROFESSIONALISM</u>**: As faculty, staff, and students interact in professional settings, they are expected to demonstrate professional behaviors as defined in the College's conceptual framework. These professional commitments or dispositions are listed below:
 - o Engage in responsible and ethical professional practices
 - o Contribute to collaborative learning communities
 - o Demonstrate a commitment to diversity
 - o Model and nurture intellectual vitality
- **G. DRESS CODE:** Auburn students project the image of their own emerging professionalism and the overall program. Attire that could present a health or safety problem or could be disruptive is not appropriate. With this in mind, the following rules concerning dress and grooming are mandatory for all students participating in clinical experiences, practica, and internship. These regulations are based on those of schools and early intervention programs in which graduates of the program will be working.
 - (1) Students keep their hair clean, groomed, and away from the eyes and face
 - (2) Students wear closed-toed shoes/foot garments.
 - (3) Students are neat and clean at ALL times.
 - (4) Clothing is clean and in a state of good repair.
 - (5) Clothing and personal items are free of logos, words, draws, pictures, and other images.

 <u>EXCEPTIONS</u>: Auburn University related logos covering an area of less than 3 square inches.
 - (6) Clothing covers the body in a professional manner.
 - (7) No visible piercings or tattoos.
- <u>I. ASSIGNMENTS</u>: Written assignments are expected to be typewritten, grammatically accurate, free of spelling and typographical errors. Assignments are to be of a quality that would be expected of a professional. **Late assignments and revisions will lose 10% of the possible points for each day it is late.** For example an assignment turned in less than 24 hours from the due date or revision date will lose 10% of the possible points. Submissions received more than 24 hours but less than 48 hours from the due date or revision date will lose 20% of the possible points, and so on.

DE Students' FOUR 15 minute each Video Tapes of Teaching Lessons and Lessons Revised after self-evaluation and discussion with Cooperating Teacher and provide Cooperating Teacher's input in evaluation.

1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th 15 min Video Tapes of Teaching Lessons and Lessons Revised after self-evaluation and discussion w Cooperating Teacher

*** If any of the four required "15 min Video Tapes of Teaching Four Lesson Plans" are late or all components listed below are not completed and submitted, student could receive a grade of "U".

1st 15 min Video Tape of Teaching Lesson

- Intern will video tape him/her teaching 15 min lesson plan.
- Intern will have lesson plan nearby to edit as teaching;
- Intern will include the following components in 15 min video tape:

20 points

- Intern will teach Introduction of Content to SS;
- Intern will model for SS and have SS demonstrated back to Intern what SS' are learning. Checking for understanding, clarification, & reteaching;
- Intern will demonstrate evaluation technique to verify that SS are learning content information;

20 points

- Intern will review and self-evaluate his/her 15 min video tape of lesson;
- Intern will discuss self-evaluation with Cooperating Teacher;
- Intern will seek input and feedback from Cooperating Teacher;

10 points

- Intern will submit self-evaluation Canvas & Cooperating Teacher's input;
- Intern will submit Lesson Plan used with revisions and input on it to Canvas;
- Intern will mail DVD to University Supervisor following self review & evaluation w Cooperating Teacher.