# Degree Planning Worksheet

## MS in Child Development

**Children with special needs concentration**  
**2-year program • 46 credit hours**

### Year one

#### Fall term
- CHLD C421: Social and Emotional Development I: Infancy and Childhood  
  - 3 credits
- CHLD C426: Cognitive Development  
  - 3 credits
- EDUC T438: Children with Special Needs and Diverse Abilities  
  - 2 credits
- CHLD C490: Research Methods  
  - 3 credits
- CHLD C466: Group Advising  
  - 0 credits

#### Spring term
- CHLD C422: Social and Emotional Development II: Early Adolescence through Adulthood  
  - 3 credits
- CHLD C425: Physical Growth and Development  
  - 3 credits
- CHLD C427: Language Development  
  - 3 credits
- CHLD C432: Family and Culture  
  - 3 credits
- CHLD C467: Group Advising  
  - 0 credits

### Year two

#### Summer term
- INF I492: Infant/Toddler Assessment  
  - 2 credits
- SPED S411: Family and Professional Collaboration in Early Childhood Special Education  
  - 2 credits
- SPED S412: Assessment of Infants and Preschool-Age Children with Developmental Delay/Disability  
  - 2 credits
- Course Elective (selected in consultation with faculty adviser)  
  - 2 credits

#### Fall term
- CHLD C440: Internship I  
  - 3 credits
- CHLD C450: Integrative Seminar I  
  - 2 credits

#### Spring term
- CHLD C410: Social and Historical Perspectives on Early Care and Education  
  - 3 credits
- SPED S413: Communication and Language Development in Young Children with Developmental Delay/Disability  
  - 2 credits
- CHLD C441: Internship II  
  - 3 credits
- CHLD C451: Integrative Seminar II  
  - 2 credits