

Missouri State University College of Education
Department of Leadership, Special Education, and Counseling
Counseling Program

Master of Science in Counseling: School Counseling

Fall 2021

Full-Time Program of Study (60 hours)

(part time students need to make an individualized plan with their advisor.)

Student Name: _____ M# _____
Email Address: _____

Steps to Complete Degree

1. _____ Apply for Practicum 1 – **Spring #1**
2. _____ Apply for Practicum 2 – **Summer #1**
3. _____ Apply for internship 1 – **Fall #2**
4. _____ Apply for internship 2 – **Summer #2**
5. _____ Pass CECE – **Summer #2**
6. _____ Pass MoCA#056 – **Fall #3**

*If you do not have a teaching certificate, you need to complete the following 3 additional courses, preferably prior to internship 1.

7. _____ SPE 310 (or SPE 715)
8. _____ SFR486 (or SFR 786)
9. _____ ELE 410 (or ELE 600) or SEC 302

If pursuing LPC, then

10. _____ Pass the NCE – **Spring #3**

***Total of 3 elective credit hours required for degree completion.**

Students must remain in sequence to stay in the Full-Time cohort (2.5 years)

Fall Semester #1 (2021)

COU 703 Professional Orientation and Ethics... (3)
COU 714 Social-Cultural Diversity in Counseling (3)
COU 705 SCH and MH Experiential Counseling (1)
COU 751 Theories and Techniques of Counseling (3)
Total Required 10

Spring Semester #1 (2022)

COU 710 Counseling and Helping Relationship (2)
COU 711 Counseling and Helping Relationship Lab (1)
COU 708 Play Therapy and Child Counseling Techniques (3)
COU 704 Intro to School Counseling (2)
COU 724 Assessment and Diagnosis (3)
Total Required: 11

Summer Semester #1 (2022)

COU 733 Couples and Family Counseling (3)
COU 777 Counseling Practicum (2)
COU 779 School Practicum (2)
Total Required: 7

Fall Semester #2 (2022)

COU 707 Human Development (3)
COU 756 Group Counseling (3)
COU 701 Assessment and Testing for Counselors (3)
*Additional *OPTIONAL* Elective from #7-9 (3)
Total Required: 9

Spring Semester #2 (2023)

COU 720 Substance Abuse (3)
COU 716 Adolescent and Young Adult Counseling (1)
COU 794 Intro to Research and Program Evaluation (2)
COU 783/781 School Counseling Internship (3)
*Additional *OPTIONAL* Elective from #7-9 (3)
Total Required: 9

Summer Semester #2 (2023)

COU 752 Career Development (3)
OR
COU 754 Counseling for Post-Secondary (3)
*Additional *OPTIONAL* Elective #7-9
COU 765 Research Seminar (2)
Total Required: 5

Fall Semester #3 (2023)

COU 768 Crisis Counseling and Disaster MH (3)
COU 783/781 School Counseling Internship (3)
Additional Elective such as COU 766 Psychopharmacology (3)
Total Required: 9

Student Signature Date

Advisor Date

