

New Program Proposal

Applied Behavioral Analysis, MS

Required Foundation Courses

Students are required to complete the following courses within the first 15 hours of study.

SPEC ED 6641	Basic Principles and Concepts of Applied Behavior Analysis	3
SPEC ED 6642	Behavior Assessment in Behavior Analysis	3
SPEC ED 6643	Advanced Applications of Applied Behavior Analysis	3
Total Hours		9

Required Courses

Students are required to complete the following courses.

SPEC ED 6644	Behavior Interventions in Applied Behavior Analysis	3
SPEC ED 6645	Ethics and Professionalism in Applied Behavior Analysis	3
SPEC ED 6646	Analysis of Verbal Behavior	3
SPEC ED 6647	Principles of Applied Behavior Analysis	3
SPEC ED 6648	Behavior-Based Consultation and Supervision	2

Total Hours	14
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Required Practicum Courses

Through the course of five semesters, students are required to complete practicum courses in order to accrue the minimal hours of supervised experience required by the BACB to qualify for the BCBA exam.

SPEC ED 6651	Practicum I in Applied Behavior	3
SPEC ED 6652	Practicum II in Applied Behavior Analysis	3
SPEC ED 6653	Practicum III in Applied Behavior Analysis	2
SPEC ED 6654	Practicum IV in Applied Behavior Analysis	2
SPEC ED 6655	Practicum V in Applied Behavior Analysis	2
Total Hours		12

Required Research Courses

These two research courses should be taken in sequence (not concurrently) at the end of your program since the first course prepares you with the knowledge and skills to successfully complete an Action Research project in the capstone exit course. Students will design and execute a piece of original practitioner research and present your findings in a public forum.

SPEC ED 6661	Capstone I in Applied Behavior	3
SPEC ED 6662	Capstone II in Applied Behavior	3

Total Hours

6**Rationale**

This is a new degree program that is being created to meet the requirements for program approval by the Association of Behavior Analysis International. This will be a required courses in the Master of Science degree in Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) and the ABA Certificate Program.