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MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING IN SPECIAL EDUCATION

LOVE SPECIAL EDUCATION? LACK TEACHER CERTIFICATION? EXPLORE THE POSSIBILITIES!

The Master of Arts in Teaching Special Education is a new program in South Dakota leading to initial certification of K-12 Special Education teachers. This new master's program is in response to the market demand and the number of non-certified special education staff employed in schools who cannot be teachers of record without certification.

Black Hills State University's Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT) Special Education (SPED) program provides initial certification in K–12 special education teaching at the graduate level.

Those interested in the MAT program must have an earned undergraduate degree in a field other than education.

The total number of credits required is 47, with 25 credits specific to special education licensure and 22 credits specific to initial certification.

PROGRAM BENEFITS

» Pathway to Teaching Certification

» Comprehensive curriculum that blends special education and certification courses and includes hands-on practicums and student teaching experiences.

» Ideal for individuals looking to transition into a career in special education.

» Strong support from expert faculty within BHSU's College of Education.

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