

Special Education

Bachelor of Arts in Special Education

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
On Location



Southern
New Hampshire
University 

Go Teach Students With Special Needs

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Become qualified to teach special needs students from kindergarten through twelfth-grade with Southern New Hampshire University's B.A. in Special Education (K-12). Or, pursue dual certification with a double major in Elementary Education (K-8) and Special Education with no additional credit hours.

You'll learn the skills that will make a difference in the lives of exceptional students in one-on-one, general classroom, inclusion and resource classroom settings. In addition, you will learn about the best teaching and learning practices for students with disabilities as well as traditional and research-based approaches that support their instructional and transitional needs.

The special education program leads to teacher certification in New Hampshire, which is reciprocal in most states, and culminates in a 16-week student teaching experience, where you will work full-time with an established teacher.

Education students keep e-portfolios that help them with their student teaching and with their job searches after graduation. There are also opportunities for networking with area teachers, superintendents and principals.

Why the Bachelor of Arts in Special Education at SNHU?

SNHU's B.A. in Special Education prepares you to teach special needs children with more than just theory — best practice techniques and teaching models are given practical application throughout the program. The hands-on education you receive from this SNHU education degree program instills you with the skills, confidence and compassion you need to teach students who need special consideration and accommodations.

As a private, affordable nonprofit accredited university, SNHU focuses on ensuring you have the skills you need to succeed.

- **Get early field experience** – students will complete at least 100 hours of practical field experience before their degree is completed.
- Get a quality education at one of the **most affordable tuition rates in the nation.**
- **Complete a traditional education** at SNHU's Manchester, NH campus.
- Education professors and instructors are **certified teachers with real world experience.**
- Take evening classes at SNHU's Manchester campus to complete your education degree.
- Receive **high-quality instruction** that applies principles and theories to real-world situations in class.
- Complete core B.A. classes online or on location for maximum **flexibility.**
- SNHU is a Tier 1 university and recipient of the Best of Business award.

Additional SNHU Education Degree Programs

In addition to the B.A. in Special Education, SNHU offers several other degrees that lead to educational careers, including a B.A. in Elementary Education (K-8) and a B.A. in Early Childhood Education (PreK-3). Students can also pursue dual certifications with a double major in Elementary Education and Special Education, with no additional credit hours. SNHU's education degree curriculum are designed by certified faculty with experience in real classrooms with real students.

Education Programs are accredited by:

Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs
New England Association of Schools and Colleges
New Hampshire Postsecondary Education Commission
New Hampshire State Department of Education for
Teacher Certification

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