Educational Psychology M.S.
Course Requirements for
Developmental Sciences Specialization

FOUNDATION COURSES (6 credit hours)
EPSY 602 Educational Psychology (3 credit hrs.)
EPSY 673 Learning Theories (3 credits)

SPECIALIZED COURSES (9 credit hours)
EPSY 648 Intelligence and Creativity (3 credit hrs.)
At least one of the following courses:
EPSY 606 Motivation and Emotion (3 credit hrs.)
EPSY 634 Educational Neuroscience (3 credit hrs.)
At least one of the following courses:
EPSY 646 Issues in Child and Adolescent Development (3 credit hrs.)
EPSY 647 Life Span Development (3 credit hrs.)

RESEARCH COURSES (9 credit hours)
EPSY 622 Measurement and Evaluation (3 credit hrs.)
EPSY 635 Educational Statistics (3 credit hrs.)
EPSY 636 Techniques of Research (3 credit hrs.)

ADDITIONAL ELECTIVE COURSEWORK (3 credit hours)
Choose from the following courses:
EPSY 632 Social and Emotional Development and Interventions
EPSY 633 Qualitative Research Design
EPSY 637 Qualitative Grounded Theory
EPSY 671 Interpersonal Relationships
EPSY 689 Developmental Neurobiology of Learning
EPSY 689 Temperament, Behavior Problems, and Psychopathology

THESIS (8 credit hours)
EPSY 691 Research

- The Developmental Sciences Specialization requires a minimum of 32 credits and completion of a thesis to earn a M.S.

- Core course requirements may be waived for students who have successfully completed comparable graduate coursework and/or demonstrate requisite knowledge and skills.

- Additional courses both within and outside of EPSY (including additional courses in learning sciences or research, measurement, and statistics) may count toward elective coursework.

- Students have the option to take one graduate-level course outside the department, with approval.

- Students should consult with their advisor or program committee to identify appropriate electives.