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| MA Gifted Program Checklist | | |
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| The University of Alabama College of Education Special Education and Multiple Abilities | | |

For specific dates, please see UA’s registration and course calendar: <https://registrar.ua.edu/academiccalendar/>

# MA Gifted Program Coursework Checklist

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| For successful completion of the gifted program, you must take and pass the following courses and examinations: | |
|  | SPE 581 – Psychology of Gifted and Talented Children and Youth (typically offered fall semester) | |
|  | SPE 582 – Teaching Gifted and Talented Students (typically offered spring semester) | |
|  | SPE 583 – Creative Problem Solving (typically offered fall semester) | |
|  | SPE 584 – Special Populations of Gifted and Talented (typically offered spring semester) | |
|  | SPE 585 – Teaching Thinking Skills (typically offered summer semester) | |
|  | SPE 586 – Social Emotional Components of Talent Development (typically offered summer semester) | |
|  | SPE 589 – Internship in Gifted and Talented (typically offered fall and spring semesters; you will need 2 semesters of internship)  **Students must email Dr. Jennifer Jolly (**[**jljolly1@ua.edu**](mailto:jljolly1@ua.edu)**) prior to enrolling for internship.** | |
|  | 1 educational foundations course (3 credit hours) | |
|  | 1-2 educational research courses (3-6 credit hours) | |
|  | 1-2 additional approved elective courses (3-6 credit hours) | |
|  | Pass Gifted Education Praxis: <https://www.ets.org/praxis/prepare/materials/5358> (must be done before enrolling in internship) | |
|  | Pass program Comprehensive Examination (taken your last semester) | |
|  | Submit graduation application: <https://registrar.ua.edu/graduation/> | |