DEVELOPMENTAL ADAPTED PHYSICAL EDUCATION, TEACHING MINOR

Applicant for DAPE licensure must have current Minnesota Physical Education Teaching license. Developmental Adapted Physical Educators will be eligible for licensure in the State of Minnesota when this process is implemented. Students in related fields are encouraged to take offerings in the minor but only physical education majors with teacher certification will be eligible to be licensed in DAPE.

Candidates must pass the Praxis II exam in Special Education: Core Skills.

Admission to Minor is granted by the department concurrent with or following admission to physical education major. Minimum department admissions requirements are:
- a minimum of 32 earned semester credit hours
- a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above

Required for Minor (Core, 19 credits):
- HP 411 Developmental Adapted Physical Education (3)
- HP 412 Assessment in Adapted Physical Education (2)
- HP 413 Lifespan Motor Development (1-2)
- HP 421 Teaching Sport to Individuals with Disabilities (2)
- HP 422 Teaching Adapted Aquatics (2)
- HP 445 Teaching Students with Cognitive & Emotional/Behavioral Disabilities (3)
- HP 471 Consulting Techniques in Developmental Adapted Physical Education (3)
- HP 493 Internship in Developmental Adapted Physical Education (2)

Required Support Courses for Minor (Special Education, 3 credits):
- SPED 405 Individuals with Exceptional Needs (3)

POLICIES/INFORMATION

All courses in minor must be taken for grade with the exception of HP 493 Internship in D/APE which may be taken concurrently with student teaching. Cooperating Teacher for HP 493 must be a licensed D/APE teacher.