

## Plan of Study for Graduate Program in Counseling School Counseling Track

NOTE: It should be noted that courses do fill up and sometimes the rotation of the courses in the program might change. When this happens, students will need to be flexible and work with their advisors to modify their plans to accomplish their academic goals. The course rotation is provided to help students plan and we fully intend to offer the published sections when advertised. However, just because a course is listed on the rotation at a certain time, we cannot guarantee that all students will be able to sign up for every class when it is offered.

Name: _____	Advisor: _____
Term Started (term/year): _____	Expected Graduation (term/year): _____
Email: _____	Phone: _____

Outstanding Tasks for Conditional Admittance to Program or check Not Applicable: N/A

- Program Orientation Tasks Completed
- Student Acknowledgement Form Signed
- Student Acknowledgment Form Submitted to Advisor in Canvas
- Academic Integrity Quiz passed (in Canvas)

### Additional Program Requirements

(Note these do not include enrollment requirements for field experiences):

#### Completion of Comprehensive Exam (to be completed by end of program):

Planned semester:  Fall  Summer  Spring      Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Registered for choice exam(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Notified Dept. of scheduling comprehensive exam (NCE) OR submitted CPCE scores to the department if applicable.

Please indicate Messiah University on the Praxis II so that your scores will be automatically reported to the university.

**Upon completing 30 credits, look for an email from the Graduate Counseling department about registering for an exam(s). Please read the email carefully and realize that the timeline/process for registering for comprehensive exams is generally several months long.**

#### Conference Attendance:

Planned semester:  Fall  Summer  Spring      Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Submitted conference information to advisor for approval. **Preapproval is not necessary if the conference is on the pre-approved conference list found here:**  
[https://www.messiah.edu/info/21282/professional\\_and\\_educational\\_resources/2004/conferences](https://www.messiah.edu/info/21282/professional_and_educational_resources/2004/conferences)

Submitted proof of conference attendance in Canvas assignment on advising site

Name of Conference: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Conference: \_\_\_\_\_

**Comments/Notes/Justification for Transfer Courses/Substituted courses:** If you wish to have graduate courses from another institution considered for transfer into this program please provide the syllabi or course descriptions to your advisor as soon as possible.

**The following courses are required and must be entered into your proposed plan below:**  
**(Be mindful of prerequisites when creating your plan.)**

	<b>Core Courses</b>		<b>SC Track Courses</b>
	COUN 501 Professional Issues and Ethics		COUN 508 Foundations of School Counseling
	COUN 510 Lifespan Development		COUN 526 Organization and Administration of School Counseling Programs
	COUN 511 Multicultural Issues		COUN 525 Effective Practices of School Counseling
	COUN 520 Counseling Theories Pre-req: COUN 501, 508		COUN 551 Effective Practices of Every Learner
	COUN 528 Career Counseling		COUN 583 School Counseling Practicum Pre-req: COUN 501, 508, 520
	COUN 532 Group Counseling Pre-req: COUN 501		COUN 584 Elementary School Counseling Internship Pre-req: COUN 532, 540, 583,+ at least 30 credits
	COUN 537 Spiritual Formation		COUN 585 Secondary School Counseling Internship Pre-req: COUN 532, 540, 583,+ at least 30 credits
	COUN 540 Counseling Techniques Pre-req: COUN 501, 508, 520		
	COUN 545 Research Design and Stat.		
	COUN 541 Assessment		

**Select 3 elective courses and include these in your proposed plan below:**

	<b>Electives*</b>
	COUN 514 Counseling Children and Adolescents
	COUN 523 Psychopathology and Diagnosis Across the Lifespan
	COUN 524 Marriage, Couple, and Family Counseling

	COUN 539 Human Sexuality
	COUN 543 Substance Abuse /Addiction and Families
	COUN 550 Crisis, Trauma, and Grief Counseling
	COUN 522 Autism Spectrum Disorders
	COUN 542 Expressive Arts in Counseling (Spring Odd Years)
	COUN 548 Anger, Ostracism, Forgiveness and Reconciliation (Spring Even Years)
	COUN 552 Trauma Counseling: Assessment and Intervention (Pre-req COUN 550) (Spring Even Years)
	<b>*Others may be selected upon approval from your advisor</b>

## SCHOOL COUNSELING PLAN OF STUDY

**List all graduate courses required for degree**

(Do not enter grade or credits until course completed. If course transferred, enter "Trans" instead of grade.)

**Intensive Courses (on-campus, one week, 40 hours): Offered in January and July**

Course Number	Course Name	Term (January/July)	Year	Grade	# of Credits
COUN501	Professional Issues & Ethics for Counselors				
COUN540	Counseling Techniques (pre-reqs COUN 501, 508, 520)				

**Core and Track Courses (8-week terms: Early Fall, Late Fall, Early Spring, Late Spring, Early Summer) Please place in chronological order of taken/planning to take**

Course Number	Course Name (See above for pre-reqs)	Term (Early or Late)	Semester (Spring/Fall/ Summer)	Year	Grade	# of Credits

**Field Experiences (semesters: FALL and SPRING)**

Course Number	Course Name	Semester (Spring/Fall)	Year	Grade	# of Credits
COUN583	School Counseling Practicum (Pre-reqs COUN 501, 508, 520)				
COUN584	Elementary School Counseling Internship (Pre-reqs: COUN 532, 540, 583 and +30 credits)				
COUN585	Secondary School Counseling Internship (Pre-reqs: COUN 532, 540, 583 and +30 credits)				

**Total Credits:**

**PLEASE PRINT/SAVE A COPY FOR YOURSELF AND UPLOAD TO CANVAS ADVISING SITE.  
YOU WILL NEED THIS PLAN OF STUDY EACH TIME YOU REGISTER FOR COURSES.**

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**Advisor Signature**

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**Date**

I acknowledge that checking this box electronically serves the same purpose as affixing my original signature to this document.

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**Student Signature**

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**Date**

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