

## Instructional Strategist II: Behavioral Disorders and Learning Disabilities

Positions in special education related to this endorsement are in high demand. This endorsement, coupled with the reading endorsement make an applicant for a teaching position in K-12 schools particularly strong.

Secondary Education minors must student teach at the elementary level.

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| <b>Endorsement Name</b>             | ISII:BD & LD Endorsement                |
| <b>Department</b>                   | Education                               |
| <b>License area (State of Iowa)</b> | K-12 ISII: BD & LD                      |
| <b>Required</b>                     | Elementary Major or Secondary Ed Minor* |
| <b>Updated</b>                      | 4/5/2022                                |

Coursework included in the Elementary Education Major

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| EDUC 220: Educational Psychology   | 4  |
| EDUC 221: Equity & Inclusion   | 4  |
| EDUC 240: Home, School, and Community  | 2  |
| EDUC 247: Classroom Management and Collaboration   | 2  |
| EDUC 486: Teaching Practicum [All students must student teach in a BD/LD classroom at both the Elementary and Secondary levels.] | 12 |

Additional requirements for the Inst Strat II Endorsement

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| EDUC 242: Introduction to Learning Disabilities and Behavioral Issues                                   | 4 |
| EDUC 245: Career/Vocational Assessment and Vocational Planning  | 2 |
| EDUC 344: Methods and Strategies for Teaching Students with Learning Disabilities and Behavioral Issues | 4 |
| EDUC 347: Assessment in Special and Remedial Education  | 2 |

\*Secondary Education Minor candidates: If you are interested in this endorsement, see the Education Department.