

# FISCHLER SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES

<http://www.schoolofed.nova.edu/slp>

Master of Science

Speech Language Pathology

Florida Department of Education Approved Program

## Sample Program Outline

### Admissions Requirements

- Official Bachelor's Degree transcript (degree conferred from an accredited or approved institution)
- Minimum GPA of 3.0 in undergraduate work
- TOEFL and TSE if English is not primary language
- Essays
- Three letters of recommendation
- Oral interview

Pre requisite course work (may be part of undergraduate work, or, may be taken as post baccalaureate course work as part of the NSU program). Only grades of B or better accepted.

Completed/Grade	Course Title	Credits
	Anatomy & Physiology of the Speech & Hearing Mechanisms	3
	Phonetics	3
	Neuroanatomy	3
	Speech and Hearing Science	3
	Normal Speech & Language Development	3
	Directed Observations	1
	Evaluation of Speech & Language Disorders	3
	Treatment of Speech and Language Disorders	3
	Introduction to Audiology	3
	Aural Rehabilitation	3
	Total Pre requisite credits	28

### Core Courses (taken by all students in the master's program for SLP)

Completed/Grade	Course # and Title	Credits
	SLP 6000 Diagnostics I	3
	SLP 6012 Communication Disorders in Infancy Through Pre School Age	3
	SLP 6011 Language and Learning Disabilities in School Age Children and Adolescents	3
	SLP 6015 Clinical Processes	3
	SLP 6020 Language Disorders in Adults	3
	SLP 6025 Augmentative and Alternative Communication	3
	SLP 6030 Voice Disorders	3
	SLP 6040 Fluency Disorders	2
	SLP 6050 Motor Speech Disorders	3
	SLP 6055 Dysphagia	3
	SLP 6060 Phonological Disorders	3
	SLP 6070 Research Methods	3
	SLP 6075 Seminar in Professional Issues	3
	SLP 6091 Multicultural and Counseling in Communication Disorders	3

**Elective Courses** Students must have a total of 6 elective credits, chosen from the following

Completed/Grade	Course # and Title	Credits
	SLP 6014 Autism Spectrum Disorders	3
	SLP 6023 Advanced AAC Technology	1
	SLP 6024 Promoting Literacy in Individuals with Significant Communication Differences	1
	SLP 6026 AAC Assessment	1
	SLP 6027 AAC Strategies for the Beginning Communicator	1
	SLP 6028 Low Tech Communication Aids	1
	SLP 6029 AAC in the Curriculum	1
	SLP 6037 Craniofacial Anomalies	3
	SLP 6057 Medical Aspects of Communication Sciences And Disorders	3
	SLP 6080 Directed Research	1-6
	SLP 6203 Organization and Management in Public Schools	3

**Clinical Courses (Labs and Externships)** All of the following must be completed by students in the DOE Approved Program

Completed/Grade	Course # and Title	Credits
	SLP 6005 Diagnostics Lab (DX II)	1
	SLP 6101 Clinic Lab I	1
	SLP 6102 Clinic Lab II	1
	SLP 6110 Externship (Adult Clients)	1
	SLP 6120 School Externship	1

<b>Total for Core Courses, Electives and Clinical Courses</b>	<b>52</b>
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**Exit Requirements**

- Successful completion of all pre requisite course work required by the program (listed above) as well as completion of pre requisites required by the American Speech-Language Hearing Association
  - 3 credit hours of mathematics
  - 3 credit hours of biological science
  - 3 credit hours of physical science
  - 3 credit hours of humanities
- Successful completion of all master's academic and clinical course work
- Accrual of a minimum of 400 hours of clinical practicum experience
- Two education courses (may be part of undergraduate degree program, or may be taken concurrently with master's in SLP course work)
  - Survey of Exceptional Education
  - School Organization or General Curriculum
- Florida Teaching Certification Examinations in
  - General Knowledge
  - Subject Area Examination in Speech and Hearing Handicapped, K-12
  - Professional Education Test
- Successful Completion of Portfolio
- Successful Completion of Knowledge and Skills required by the American Speech-Language Hearing Association
- Successful Completion of Capstone Course and Practice Praxis Exam in Speech-Language Pathology
- Completion of the Praxis Exam in Speech-Language Pathology
- Degree Application <http://www.nova.edu/cwis/registrar.faq.html>

