

Elementary Education Major  
PK-3, 3-6 grade bands with EI  
Updated October 2023

This advising sheet lays out a basic 4-year plan with all of the components necessary to graduate and become certified in Emotional Impairments (K-12) and Elementary (PK-3, 3-6). A candidate's actual 4-year plan should be worked out with an education advisor.

**Anchor Plan (31-32 credits)**

The Anchor Plan is required for all Hope College students and represents the general education liberal arts program. The following chart explains these requirements.

<b>Requirement</b>	<b>Rule</b>	<b>Attribute</b>
First Year Seminar	One IDS 100 -3 credits	FYS
Expository Writing	ENGL 113 -3 credits	EW



**Special Education EI Major  
(Additional 25 Credits)**

The Special Education endorsement major in Emotional Impairments for a Secondary teaching certificate consists of a minimum of 25 credits. The courses are listed below.

Course #	Course Title	Credits	Semester s Taught
EDUC 241	Introduction to Emotional Impairments/Clinical Experience	4	Fall
EDUC 251	Assessment, Data and IEP Processes in Special Education	3	Both
EDUC 252	Advance Reading and Literacy Practices for the Special Education Student K-12	3	Both
EDUC 250	Special Education Strategies	3	Both
EDUC 356	Classroom and Behavior Management and Applied Behavioral Analysis in Special Education	3	Both
EDUC 358	Clinical Ex		

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This 4-year plan was intentionally constructed based on the sequential and scaffolded learning that