

Western Kentucky University
Graduate Program in Speech-Language Pathology
Part-Time Distance Learning Course Sequence
PART TIME WEB 2

YEAR 1		YEAR 2		YEAR 3	
Fall 2016		Fall 2017		Fall 2018	
SLP 501 – Early Intervention	(cr. 3)	SLP 502 - Motor Speech Dis.	(cr. 3)	SLP 515 - Rehab. Audiology	(cr. 3)
SLP 500 – Research Methods	(cr. 3)	SLP 514 – Dysphagia	(cr. 3)	SLP – Elective 3	(cr. 3)
SLP 580 Clinical Observation *only for those needing to complete observation hours	(cr. 1)	SLP 591 - Clinical Externship (cr. 2 or 3)		SLP 591 - Clinical Externship	(cr. 2 or 3)
Winter 2017		Winter 2018		Winter 2019	
SLP 509 – Speech Science	(cr. 3)	SLP – Elective 1 (cr. 3) (SLP 518 AAC required if a similar course has not been taken)		SLP – Elective 3 or 4	(cr. 3)
Spring 2017		Spring 2018		Spring 2019	
SLP 511 – Neurology	(cr. 3)	SLP 508 - Voice Disorders	(cr. 3)	SLP 579 – Professional Issues	(cr. 1)
SLP 504 - Sem. in Language	(cr. 3)	SLP 506 – Dysfluency	(cr. 3)	SLP – Elective 4	(cr. 3)
SLP 588 – Clinical Methods	(cr. 1)	SLP 591 - Clinical Externship	(cr. 2 or 3)	SLP 591 – Clinical Externship	(cr. 2 or 3)
Summer 2017		Summer 2018			
SLP 590 – Clinical Internship	(cr. 1)	SLP 513 - Cognitive Linguistic Dis.(cr. 3)			
SLP 507 – Aphasia	(cr. 3)	SLP – Elective 2	(cr. 3)		
SLP 512 – Speech Sound Disorders	(cr. 3)	SLP 591 – Clinical Externship	(cr. 2 or 3)		

Notes:

- 1) Students enrolled in the part-time cohort are expected to take all classes in the sequence offered. The only exceptions are described in #2. Your targeted graduation date is Spring 2019.
- 2) SLP 590/591 will be offered during multiple terms. You must enroll in one section of SLP 590. You must enroll in three sections of SLP 591 at 2 credits each or 2 sections at 3 credits each as explained at:
<http://www.wku.edu/communicationdisorders/clinicaexternship.php> The supervisor must provide documentation of a current CCC at all times during the externship.
- 3) You must complete SLP 590 before registering for SLP 591. No exceptions! If you choose to delay SLP 590, you understand this could delay your graduation.
- 4) SLP 579 must be completed during the last semester or next to last semester of the program.
- 5) If 25 hours of clinical observation were not completed prior to entry to the graduate program you will be required to complete a one credit course SLP 580 in order to earn the observation hours during the Fall 2016 semester.
- 6) All courses are three credit hours unless otherwise specified.
- 7) Four elective courses will be required. If you have not completed a course at the undergraduate level meeting the knowledge competencies for Communication Modalities or Alternative and Augmentative Communication then one elective course must be SLP 518 Advanced AAC. At least one elective will be offered during the designated semesters listed above. We will make every effort to provide at least two options each semester an elective course is offered to provide you with options. You may also transfer a relevant graduate course from another university taken prior to admission, given approval of the course evaluation committee.
 *You may also use two elective courses to complete a thesis if you wish. If you are interested in research or learning more about a specific topic let your advisor know during the first year of study so that a thesis plan can be developed.

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