

SPECIAL EDUCATION GATEWAYS

ISBE requirements are subject to change at any time.

Gateway 1 (prior to beginning sophomore year)

- Composition 1 requirement complete
- Language other than English Requirement (LoTE) at the second level ¹
- 50 hours of experience with individuals with disabilities (via Hours Verification Form)
- Maintain a C- or better in ALL content and education foundations courses
- Maintain a 2.50 or higher overall, UIUC, content and professional education GPA

Gateway II (End of term fall sophomore year)

- Language other than English Requirement at the third level²
- **ALL** General Education requirements completed
- Completion of **47 hours** is required prior to starting phase zero of the professional education sequence
- Maintain a C- or better in ALL content and education foundations courses
- Maintain a 2.50 or higher overall, UIUC, content and professional education GPA

¹ The second level of a Language other Than English (LoTE) requirement can be satisfied by successfully completing a second semester college level course in a language other than English or second year in high school. Proficiency exams can also satisfy the requirement.

² The third level of a Language other Than English (LoTE) requirement can be satisfied by successfully completing a third semester college level course in a language other than English or a third year in high school. Proficiency exams can also satisfy the requirement. The third level is required for degree.