

**FRESNO STATE UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL NURSE SERVICES CREDENTIAL PROGRAM
COURSE DESCRIPTIONS**

CDDS 125	<p>Audiometry and Audiology for School Nurses Prepares student to obtain certification as a school audiometrist. Provides an introduction to the profession of audiology, hearing loss and its medical aspects; the components of a hearing conservation program; basic assessment and management; and the fundamentals of interpretation.</p>	3 units
SPED 120	<p>Introduction to Special Education Introduction to identification, characteristics, theories, curriculum, and instruction for students with mild to severe disabilities, legislative guidelines, nondiscriminatory assessment, parental involvement and foundations in special education.</p>	3 units
COUN 174	<p>Introduction to Counseling An overview of basic counseling models including psychoanalytic behavior, cognitive and humanistic approaches. Includes personal counseling experience.</p>	3 units
NURS 136	<p>Health Appraisal Integrates psychosocial and pathophysiological processes including techniques of history taking and health assessment in nursing practice and knowledge of normal findings as well as common deviations.</p>	3 units
NURS 137	<p>Teaching Strategies for the Health Care Client Exploration of school nurse's role as a teacher in health care setting. Principles of teaching and learning applied to teaching of individuals and groups. Opportunities for micro-teaching are provided.</p>	3 units
NURS 184	<p>School Nurse Seminar Elementary Role of the school nurse; parameters of school health practice, legal guidelines, professional accountability, coordinated health programs, health education and health needs of complex multicultural school-aged population. (Fall Semester only)</p>	3 units
NURS 185	<p>School Nurse Seminar Secondary Role of the School Nurse, parameters of school health practice, emphasis on adolescent health issues, health education, legal parameters, interdisciplinary cooperation, legislative issues, research and professional accountability. (Spring Semester only)</p>	3 units
NURS 186	<p>School Nurse Practicum Elementary Elementary level school nurse experience including special education. Direct supervision by a credentialed school nurse; scheduled preceptor/instructor conferences; class participation online and practicum hours. (Fall Semester only)</p>	3 units
NURS 187	<p>School Nurse Practicum Secondary Secondary level school nurse experience, including special and alternative education; direct supervision by credentialed school nurse required. Scheduled preceptor/instructor conferences; class participation online and practicum hours. (Spring Semester only)</p>	3 units