



INDIANA UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION  
Office of Teacher Education  
Bloomington

## COUNSELING MINOR (Non-Teaching)

The Counseling minor is a 15 credit hour introduction to content in the field of counseling that can be applied across a variety of other disciplines within the helping professions including the facilitation of effective interpersonal communication, how to utilize advanced listening skills to empathetically understand the perspective of others, and how to access resources to help people actualize their potential and latent skills in order to effectuate positive personal and social change.

**This minor does not lead to a license to practice professional counseling or licensure in any other professional helping field.**

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- NOTE:**
- Students must complete 15 credits for the minor. All courses must be completed with a grade of C or higher. Courses must average a minimum of 2.0 overall to earn the minor.
  - Minimum of 6 hours must be at the 300 or 400 level\*
  - Elective Introductory Courses (EDUC-G203, G204, G207 & G208) can be taken in advance of taking EDUC-G206 (or concurrently).
  - EDUC-G206 is required before taking Advanced Courses (EDUC-G302, G352, G355, G375)
  - Only one (1) course may double count for both a license addition and an academic minor.
  - Only one (1) education course may overlap between an education program and an academic minor.
  - No course overlap is allowed between academic minors and/or certificates. (i.e., EDUC-G 203 cannot be used to fulfill a requirement in both the Counseling minor and the Educational Studies minor.)
  - Courses from other academic units on campus cannot be used to fulfill a requirement for both an education program and an academic minor (i.e., HIST-H 105 cannot be used to fulfill a social studies education program and academic minor in History requirement.)
    - Exception: Elementary Education Content (Language Arts, Fine Arts, Math, Science and Social Studies) and one of the designated academic minors may double count classes.

**\*IMPORTANT NOTE FOR COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES STUDENTS:**

In order for the Counseling Minor to appear on your transcript, at least 9 credit hours must be at the 300-400 level.

Required Portal Course	3 credits
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EDUC-G 206	<i>Introduction to Counseling Psychology</i>	3
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Elective Introductory Courses	3-6 credits
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EDUC-G 203	<i>Communication for Youth Serving Professionals (S&amp;H)</i>	3
EDUC-G 204	<i>Asian American Mental Health (S&amp;H) (Spring)</i>	3
EDUC-G 207	<i>Introduction to Student Athlete Counseling Psychology and Mental Health</i>	3
EDUC-G 208	<i>Prevention of Adolescent Risk Behavior: Counseling Perspectives</i>	3

Advanced Courses (P: EDUC-G 206)	6-9 credits
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EDUC-G 302	<i>Resources for Counseling with Youth (P: Soph. status)</i>	3
EDUC-G 352	<i>Counseling for Career Issues (P: Soph. status)</i>	3
EDUC-G 355	<i>Positive Psychology</i>	3
EDUC-G 375	<i>Multicultural Counseling-Related Skills &amp; Communication (P: Soph. status)</i>	3