

**Master of Science Degree in School Counseling  
Kutztown University  
PA School Counseling Certification**

<b>Program Criteria–51 Credits</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>Grade</b>
<b>Core I. Common (18 credits)</b>				
COU519 Intercultural Issues in Counseling				
COU522 Professional Orientation and Ethics for School Counselors				
COU530 Fundamentals of Counseling				
COU535 Career Counseling Issues Across the Life Span				
COU546 Group Processes Seminar* <b>OR</b>				
CPY 540 Group Counseling and Psychotherapy*				
COU548 Counseling Theories Seminar*				
<b>Core II. Research (6 credits)**</b>				
COU507 Tests and Assessment in Counseling <b>AND</b>				
COU508 Research Methods in Counseling (Prerequisite: COU507)				
<b>Core III. Program Core (15 credits)</b>				
PSY530 Life Span Development				
PSY546 Psychopathology				
PSY565 Theories of Learning				
(6 credits) (SPU), (EDU/MLS), or (COU or CPY) as approved by Advisor				
<b>Core IV. Specialty Area–School Counseling (3 credits)</b>				
Education Course (as approved by Advisor)				
<b>Core V. Clinical Experience (9 credits)</b>				
COU580 Practicum in Counseling# (100 Hours)				
COU590 Supervised Counseling Experience (Fall)				
COU590 Supervised Counseling Experience (Spring) (600 hrs. tot)				
<b>Transfer Credits</b>				

Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

\*This course has prerequisites. Check graduate course catalogue for prerequisites for this course.

\*\*Substitution permitted with prior advisor approval only.

#All Core I must be completed as prerequisite. Practicum completed during spring semester prior to fall and spring sequence of internship.

### **Additional Advising Information**

#### **Core III (6 credits Special Education)**

Must take: COU540

Options: COU541  
COU542  
SPU514  
SPU500  
MLS435 (Graduate section)

#### **Core IV (Specialty Area)**

Options: EDU564  
EDU568  
ELU545  
SEU535  
SEU567