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## **LBS1 Endorsement Information**

TIDE will be offering courses to fulfill the requirements of the Illinois State Board of Education for the Learning Behavior Specialist (LBS1) Endorsement through **Benedictine University** during the Fall 2015 Semester. A total of four (4) courses are required.

1. EDUC 595T Survey of Exceptional Children and Adolescents
2. EDUC 599TG Psychological Diagnosis & Assessment for Exceptional Children
3. EDUC 599T Characteristics Children & Adolescents Challenged With Emotional Disorders
4. EDUC 599TC Methods of Teaching Children & Adolescents Challenged with Emotional Disorders

OR

3. EDUC 599TB Learning and Behavior Characteristics of Individuals with Learning Disabilities
4. EDUC 599TE Methods of Teaching Children & Adolescents with Learning Disabilities

OR

3. EDUC 599TA Characteristics of Learners with Intellectual Disabilities, Physical Disabilities & Autism
4. EDUC 599TD Methods of Teaching Learners with Mental Retardation, Physical Disabilities & Autism

You must also take and pass the LBS1 test #155 ([www.icts.nesinc.com](http://www.icts.nesinc.com)).

Once you complete the 4 required LBS1 courses and pass test #155, you are ready to apply for the LBS1 endorsement. You will need to submit an official transcript to the DuPage Regional Office of Education and then apply online at [www.isbe.net/ELIS](http://www.isbe.net/ELIS) . If you should need any further information or assistance regarding this process, please contact the Licensure Department at (630) 407-5800.

**Note:** To be official, transcripts submitted by the student must be in the sealed envelope from the university. They may be sent directly to the Regional Office of Education by the university either via U.S. Mail to the above address or email to [lladesic@dupage.k12.il.us](mailto:lladesic@dupage.k12.il.us) . Transcripts received that are not in a sealed envelope from the university or sent directly from the university will be considered unofficial and cannot be used for evaluation purposes.