Speech-Language Pathology Assistant

Coursework
The program consists of two courses. Successful completion of these two courses will allow the student to apply for a California SLPA license.

**CMSD 500: Roles & Responsibilities of the Speech-Language Pathology Assistant ~ 3 units, Online**
This online course covers the roles and responsibilities of the speech-language pathology assistant (SLPA). Students who complete this course will learn about the scope of practice of the SLPA, ethical considerations, liability issues, educational and training requirements for the SLPA, supervision of the SLPA, state and federal laws and regulations, and reimbursement.

**CMSD 501: Field Experience: Speech-Language Pathology Assistant**
Students will complete a 275-hour field experience, with a minimum of 100 direct client contact hours necessary to effectively work as a licensed speech-language pathology assistant (SLPA).

How to Apply:
Complete an online application by July 15 at rce.csuchico.edu/slpa. Required information includes:
- Academic work from higher education institutions, including unofficial transcripts
- Clinical work and observation hours (optional), including location(s) and number of hours completed at each location
- Employment history
- Two references

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