School Psychology (MA) Curriculum Changes

Change 1.  EDUC744 Educational Assessment and Progress Monitoring is now required. This change would allow students to substitute  EDUC680 Educational Evaluation: Exceptional of Children & Youth. This would require permission of the student's advisor, however,  since EDUC680 does not always cover the same material, depending who teaches it.  When the same material is covered, and class size allows, having school psychology students take this course will reduce the need for two separate courses.

Change 2. EDUC 870 Child Neuropsychology is now required for the Master's degree (first year of the 3-year program) and EDUC 842 Assessment of Special Populations is required in the second year for the Specialist in Education degree.  These two courses are now offered every other year, and not every year; thus, both first-year and second-year students enroll in both courses simultaneously. When students take EDUC 870 in the second year, they do not fulfill this course requirement for the Masters during the first year (and thus a course substitution is required). This change would make it official that students can take these two courses in either the first or second year to fullfill a course requirement for the Masters.