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Heads Up

An Occasional Newsletter for Advisers of Initial Teacher Certification Students

THE COE ADVISING WEBSITE IS NEW AND IMPROVED

Check out the changes at
www.emich.edu/coe/advising.



NO MORE ELEMENTARY ART MINOR!

The Michigan Department of Education has discontinued the Art minor as of January 2003. If a student has the Art minor (LX endorsement), he or she must graduate by April 2006. The last subject area test for this minor will be administered July 2007.

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT JOIN THE LISTSERV!!!

Attached is a copy of February's **undergraduate** Listserv message. With just ONE email a month you and your students can stay up-to-date on important advising issues. Sign up for this valuable service by going to <http://list.emich.edu/mailman/listinfo/coeadvising>. If you also advise Post BA students, sign up for that Listserv at <http://list.emich.edu/mailman/listinfo/postbac>.

The COE Advising Listserv:
It's not just for students anymore!

"INTEGRATED SCIENCE" TO REPLACE "SCIENCE GROUP"

The last time students will be able to declare an Elementary Science Group major/minor is December 31, 2003. The Michigan Department of Education is phasing out this major/minor. Students must complete all program requirements by June 2007. The last time to take the Science Group test (DX endorsement) will be July of 2008. Beginning January 2004, students *should* be able to declare Integrated Elementary Science (DI endorsement) as a major or minor.

SOD ANNOUNCEMENT

PLEASE NOTE: Elementary education students who have the Early Childhood Education minor or the Bilingual-Bicultural minor may **NOT** choose the Structure of the Disciplines minor. Refer to the yellow SOD advising guide sheet to learn more about restrictions for this minor.

CAREER SERVICES SPOTLIGHT

ECampusRecruiter.com

Career Services announces a new system that helps students build resumes, sign-up for job interviews, and view local/national job postings. Encourage your students to visit www.ecampusrecruiter.com/emich. Contact Career Services at 487.0400 if you would like additional information.

Teacher Job Fair

Career Services is sponsoring the annual teacher job fair at EMU's Convocation Center on Friday, April 11, 2003 from 9am until 4pm. Information about the job fair



