

## ADDING AN ELEMENTARY ENDORSEMENT TO A SECONDARY CERTIFICATE

### Eastern Michigan University, College of Education

For the elementary endorsement to be added, a student must complete a minimum of eighteen semester hours of credit following issuance of the secondary certificate as follows. This program of study is valid for four years from the date it is signed below.

<u>Requirements</u>	<u>Semester Hours</u>
_____ <b>One cross-cultural/international studies course</b> (Look for courses with an asterisk * at <a href="http://www.emich.edu/aac/forms/gened.pdf">http://www.emich.edu/aac/forms/gened.pdf</a> .)	3
_____ <b>Choose <u>one</u> of the following special education courses</b> SPGN 251 Education of Exceptional Children	3
_____ <b>Choose <u>one</u> of the following special education courses</b> SPGN 510 The Exceptional Child in the Regular Classroom	3
_____ <b>Take <u>two</u> reading courses as follows.</b> <i>(Note: If you have already taken RDNG 314, 518, 519, or 563, you do not need to take the two courses listed below)</i> RDNG 300 Early Literacy <b>or</b> RDNG 655 Integrated Literacy Curriculum	3
_____ <b>Take <u>two</u> reading courses as follows.</b> <i>(Note: If you have already taken RDNG 314, 518, 519, or 563, you do not need to take the two courses listed below)</i> RDNG 310 Literacy Across Curriculum <b>or</b> RDNG 656 Lang Develop/Literacy	3
_____ <b>Choose <u>one</u> of the following mathematics courses</b> MATH 500 Modern Mathematics Content, K – 6	2
_____ <b>Choose <u>one</u> of the following mathematics courses</b> MATH 501 New Topics in Modern Mathematics, K – 8	2
_____ <b>Choose <u>one</u> of the following mathematics courses</b> MATH 108 Math I for Elementary Teachers	3
_____ <b>Choose <u>one</u> of the following mathematics courses</b> MATH 581 Modern Mathematics Methods, K – 6	2
_____ <b>Choose <u>one</u> of the following mathematics courses</b> MATH 381 Teaching Mathematics, K – 6	3
_____ <b>Choose <u>one</u> of the following children’s literature courses</b> LITR 516 Major Genres in Children’s Literature	3
_____ <b>Choose <u>one</u> of the following children’s literature courses</b> LITR 517 Teaching of Children’s Literature	3
_____ <b>Choose <u>one</u> of the following children’s literature courses</b> LITR 518 History of Children’s Literature	3
_____ <b>Choose <u>one</u> of the following children’s literature courses</b> LITR 207 Children’s Literature <u>or</u> LITR 208 Multicultural Children’s Litr.	3
_____ <b>Choose <u>one</u> of the following elementary science courses</b> BIOL 505 Science in the Elementary School	2
_____ <b>Choose <u>one</u> of the following elementary science courses</b> BIOL 303 Science for the Elementary Teacher	3
_____ <b>Student Teaching (completed <u>after</u> student passes <u>all</u> coursework for this program)</b> EDUC 494 Student Teaching (3 credits in Summer, 4 credits any other time)	3 – 4

\_\_\_\_\_ Students must satisfy requirements for one elementary minor: Language Arts, Integrated Science, Social Studies, Mathematics, or Reading. Each student must have an official program of study on file for the minor. Contact the Office of Academic Services (206 Porter, 734.487.3415) to get a program of study for all minors except Mathematics. Students interested in the mathematics minor should contact the Mathematics Department (515 Pray-Harrod, 734.487.1444).

- Students must document 24 clock hours of recent **pre**-student teaching interaction in an appropriate classroom in order to be eligible for student teaching. A certified teacher or school administrator must be able to vouch for the 24 clock hours. Students who have had K – 5 student teaching experience in a regular classroom or five years teaching experience in a K – 5 regular classroom may substitute a three-hour elementary elective for the student teaching requirement.
- This program may also be used to satisfy the “planned program” requirement for professional certification.
- When the requirements are complete, the student should apply for the elementary education endorsement to be added to his or her certificate through the Office of Academic Services ([http://www.emich.edu/coe/oas/certforms/renew\\_prov.pdf](http://www.emich.edu/coe/oas/certforms/renew_prov.pdf) , 734.487.0275). The MDOE requires a fee of \$50.00 for an endorsement to be added. (The state will bill the student.)
- The student must provide a moral turpitude statement (see <http://www.emich.edu/coe/oas/certforms/moralturp.pdf>) upon application for the endorsement.
- Students must pass the MTTC elementary education test (#83) for this endorsement ([www.mttc.nesinc.com](http://www.mttc.nesinc.com)). Students can elect to take the subject area test in the minor if they want that endorsement added to the teaching certificate.

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