Student Teaching Planning Guide

Professional Studies in Secondary Education: Earth and Space Science Suggested Academic Map (4 – Year Course Plan)

Meet with both of your advisors each semester!

Freshman Year							
 Fall			Spring				
3	ED 1102 Introduction to Education	<u> </u>	3	Gen Ed: Humanities (ENG Lit)			
3	ENG 1112 Composition I	<u> </u>	3	GEG 1111 Physical Geography			
3	GEG 1122 Environmental Issues		3	PSY 1101 Intro to General Psychology			
3	FYS 1100 First Year Seminar		3	SPE 2350 Support in the Inclusive Setting (3+1)*			
3 TOTAL 15	AST 1105 OR AST 1106	TOTAL	3 15	MA 1125 Intro to Statistics			
Sophomore Year							
	<u>Fall</u>			<u>Spring</u>			
3	ED 2205 Educational Psychology		3	GEOS 3312 Climate Change			
3	SPE 2290 Cultural and Linguistic Diversity (3+1)*		3	GEOS 2821 Map Reading			
4	CHM 1111/L General Chemistry 1		3	GRA 2200 Foundations in Digital Media			
3	Gen Ed: Mathematics	<u> </u>	4	CHM 1112/L General Chemistry II			
4	BSC 1101/L General Biology		3	Gen Ed: Global Perspectives			
TOTAL 17 TOTAL 16							
Junior Year Fall Spring							
3	SPE 3380 Assessment in SPEd (3+1)*		3	SPE 3351 Behavior Management (3+1)*			
4	GEL 1125/L Physical Geology		3	GEL 3322 Historical Geology			
4	PHY 1191 Physics I		3	Free Elective			
3	Gen Ed: Humanities	<u> </u>	3	GEO Elective			
3	ENG 3313 Composition II		3	COM 1101/02/03			
TOTAL 17		TOTAL	14-15				
Senior Year							
	<u>Fall</u>			<u>Spring</u>			
3	ED 3310 Content Area Reading*	<u></u>	12	ED 4400 Student Teaching*			
3	ED 3320 Observation & Participation*	<u> </u>	0	ED 4400L Senior Lab*			
3	GEL 3363 Mineralogy						
3	ED 3313 Teaching Sec. Science & Tech*						
TOTAL 15	Gen Ed: Global Perspective	TOTAL	12				

*Students completing the following requirements will be designated a Teacher Education Certification Candidate (TECC). A student must be designated a TECC in order to register for upper level education courses numbering 3000 and above. To become a TECC, students must:

- 1. Complete a minimum of 48 hours of course work which may include transfer hours;
- 2. Have a Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher;
- 3. Complete two college level mathematics courses*;
- 4. Complete one English Literature course*;
- Complete one English Composition course*
 *(Math 0090 and English 0090 or developmental or remedial transfer courses do not meet this requirement);
- 6. Pass the Introduction to Education (ED1102) course;
- 7. Pass one of the two Basic Skills Tests, the PAPA: Pre-service Academic Performance Assessment or the Praxis-CORE (or pass by combining individual tests from different vendors to meet the basic skills requirement). Students-

transferring into Mansfield University from another institution and who have met all other Gate One requirements may
be designated a probationary TECC. They will have one semester after admission to Mansfield University to pass the
PAPA examination. Students should refer to the program description or see an advisor for additional program
specific requirements. Students maybe exempt from taking the PAPA or the Praxis Core if they have a qualifying
score on the SAT (500 or higher on each of the modules) or ACT (22 in Reading, 21 in Mathem atics, and 21 in
Writing). The Basic Skills assessment is waived for all certificates (as of November 1, 2014), if the applicant
completed an approved post-baccalaureate certification program or if a student holds a post-baccalaureate graduate- level degree. (WAIVED 07/2022-07/2025)

8. Submit all clearances to the Office of Compliance and Certification.

Please initial each of the following:								
	_ I have passed PDE's Basic Skills requirement (PAPA/Core/SAT/ACT). (Waived 07/2022-07/2025)							
	I have attached "My Program" and have discussed it with my advisor.							
I have a 3.0 or higher GP	_ I have a 3.0 or higher GPA and know this remains a mandatory requirement for student teaching and							
certification.	certification.							
I have taken or intend to t	_ I have taken or intend to take the second set of content tests before student teaching. I realize that this is a							
requirement of certificatio	requirement of certification. Expected Date of Testing:							
	I realize that I will not be able to student teach/graduate as expected if I do not follow the plan outlined							
here. I assume this responsibility.								
here. Pussame this responsibility.								
Student's Signature	Date	Advisor's Signature	Date					
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