

Western New Mexico University - School of Education
Master of Arts in Teaching Working Degree Plan - ELEMENTARY

For candidates with NO professional education background or with background in other major areas of education

Name: (Last, First, MI)				SSN:		
Primary Address for WNMU mailings:				Phone:		
(Street):		(City):		(H)		
(State):		(Zip Code):		(W)		
Catalog Authority:	Licensure:	Admission Date:	Regular:	Provisional:		
GRE Required: Y ___ N ___			Scores: Passed	Date of GRE:		
NMTA: BS:		TC:	CK:			
Date Completed MAT Application:			GPA (last 64 hours):			
CONTEXTUAL KNOWLEDGE (15)				Credit	Term	Grade
EDUC	500	Methods of Research		3		
EDUC	506	History and Philosophy of Education *		3		
PSY	505	Psychology of Learning		3		
BLED	514	Multicultural Education		3		
SPED	508	Introduction to Exceptional Children		3		
PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION (27 HOURS)						
<i>Foundation</i>						
EDUC	534	Integration of Technology into Curriculum		3		
EDUC	505	Exploratory Field Experience – Elementary *		1		
NMTA Basic Skills & General Knowledge Passed Prior to Application						
<i>Application**</i>						
RDG	510	Teaching of Reading		3		
EDUC	570	Elementary Curriculum & Instruction		8		
<i>Reinforcement</i>						
RDG	511	Corrective Reading		3		
SPED	528	Curriculum & Methods of SPED		3		
<i>Capstone***</i>						
EDUC	536	Classroom Management		3		
EDUC	594	Practice Teaching		3		
TOTAL HOURS				42		
Exit Examination Passed: _____			Date: _____			

* Take EDUC 506 and EDUC 505 concurrently except in summer coursework

** Admission to the Teacher Education Program is pre-requisite to entering Application coursework. TEP admission requirements include passing scores on the NMTA Basic Skills.

*** NMTA Teacher Competency and Content Knowledge must be passed before credit in EDUC 592 will be granted

1. For New Mexico licensure, candidates must meet teaching field requirements: 24 – 36 hours. Teaching field requirements must be determined by the NM State Department of Education
2. Each tier of Professional Education coursework is prerequisite to the next.

APPROVED	Date:
MAT Graduate Candidate:	
MAT Advisor:	
SOE Dean:	
Director of Graduate Division:	
Date Filed in Registrar's Office:	

Note: All degree requirements must be completed within a seven-year period.

Student must file an advisor approved degree plan & application for degree audit by September 1 for spring graduation or February 1 for summer or fall graduation with the Registrar's Office (check current class schedule).