

CURRICULUM CONTRACT:



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Environmental Education (KEV)
EPSB #390 WKU #132 Certification Only (Grades P-12)
This program does not lead to a degree

Candidate Contact Information:

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name/Initial	WKU ID Number
Street	Home Phone Number		Cell Phone Number
City	State	Zip Code	Email Address

Admission Requirements:

To be admitted into a WKU educator preparation program, candidates must meet all minimal criteria described under "Transition Point 1: Admission to Education Preparation Programs."

REQUIRED COURSES		6 Hours
ENVE-520	Introduction to Environmental Education	3
ENVE-580	Instructional Strategies in Environmental Education	3
Select Two of the Following		
ENVE-560	Investigating and Evaluating Environmental Issues	3
ENVE-585	Special Topics in Environmental Education	1-3 (up to 6)
EDU-507 or GEOG 507	Geographic Concepts and Skills for Teachers	3
REC-434G	Environmental Interpretation	3

Mid-Point Assessment Requirements:

To be admitted into the Student Teaching Semester, candidates must meet all minimal criteria described under "Transition Point 2: Admission to Final Experience."

Program Completion Requirements:

1. To complete a teacher preparation program, candidates must meet all minimal criteria described under "Transition Point 3: Program Exit."

2. Note that additional requirements (described below) must be met in order to be recommended for certification.
3. Rules and regulations governing the completion of this program of study have been described above and on the next page. By your signature, you are acknowledging that you understand and accept responsibility for meeting these requirements.

Delineation of EPP-Wide Transition Points – Advanced Preparation Program

<i>Transition Point 1: Admission to Education Preparation Program</i>				
<i>Data Reviewed</i>	<i>Minimal Criteria</i>	<i>Review Cycle</i>	<i>Reviewed By</i>	<i>Approved By</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● GPA ● Application for admission ● Existing Teaching Certificate or Statement of Eligibility (SOE) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 2.75 GPA or 3.0 in last 30 hours ● Completed Application including the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● KY Code of Ethics ● Professional Dispositions ● 4Cs – Collaboration, Communication Skills, Critical Thinking, and Creativity ● Evidence of current teaching certificate or SOE 	Each Month	Department Faculty	Professional Education Council
<i>Transition Point 2: Admission to Final Experience</i>				
<i>Data Reviewed</i>	<i>Minimal Criteria</i>	<i>Review Cycle</i>	<i>Reviewed By</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Dispositions ● Key Assessments ● GPA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 3.0 (Proficient) or higher on all Key Assessments ● 3.0 or higher overall GPA 	Each Semester	Department Faculty	Department Faculty
<i>Transition Point 3: Program Exit</i>				
<i>Data Reviewed</i>	<i>Minimal Criteria</i>	<i>Review Cycle</i>	<i>Reviewed By</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● GPA ● Final Project 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 3.0 or higher overall GPA ● 3.0 (Proficient) or higher score 	Each Semester	Department Faculty	Graduate Studies/ Certification Officer

To be recommended for initial certification, an applicant must document:

Completion of an approved educator preparation program in each desired certification area; Passing score(s) on the appropriate PRAXIS II exam(s) or other assessments required for each desired certification area.

EPSB Disclaimer: Teacher certification requirements are subject to change. Before registering for the test(s), please refer to the Education Professional Standards Board (EPSB) website at www.epsb.ky.gov for current requirements or contact the Division of Division of Educator Preparation, Assessment, and Internship at toll free 888-598-7667.

By signing below, the candidate ensures that he or she has been advised of, understands, and agrees to adhere to all program requirements, including assessment requirements, of the program.

Candidate Name (printed):

Education Advisor’s Signature/Date:

Signature

Date

Candidate Signature/Date:

Specialization Advisor's Signature/Date (if needed):

Signature

Date

Date

Signature

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