

CURRICULUM CONTRACT:



Graduate Program –

*Gifted Education and Talent Development (P-12) Certification Only
WKU#132 EPSB#22 leading to KE37 Gifted Education
Certification only program. 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		HOURS
GTE 536	Nature and Needs of Gifted, Creative, and Talented Students	3
GTE 537	Curriculum, Strategies, and Materials for Gifted Students	3
GTE 538	Practicum for Teachers of Gifted Students	3
PSY 432G	Psychology of the Gifted and Creative	3
Total		12 Hours

Mid-Point Assessment Requirements:

To be admitted into the final experience, 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

Transition Point 1: Admission to Education Preparation Program				
Data Reviewed	Minimal Criteria	Review Cycle	Reviewed By	Approved By
<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
Transition Point 2: Admission to Final Experience				
Data Reviewed	Minimal Criteria	Review Cycle	Reviewed By	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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
Transition Point 3: Program Exit				
Data Reviewed	Minimal Criteria	Review Cycle	Reviewed By	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● GPA ● Praxis II 	<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 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.

KDE 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

Signature Date

****END OF CURRICULUM CONTRACT****