

E. WKU Curriculum Contract

**Master of Science – Library Media Education Concentration
Initial Certification**

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Specific degree requirements with advisement sheets attached.

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(Leading to Initial Certification)**

Course Number	Course Title	Hours
<u>Required Core Courses</u> (15)		
LME 501	Program Organization and Administration	3
LME 512	Issues in LME	3
LME 535	Survey of Educational Technology Practices	3
LME 537	Principles of Educational Technology Applications	3
LME 592	Internship in LME	3
<u>Professional Specialization</u> (9)		
LME 502	Collections Management	3
LME 506	Cataloging and Classification	3
LME 508	Information Services and Sources	3
<u>Literature Course</u> (3)		
(Select one)		
LME 527	Advanced Young Adult Literature	3
LME 518	Advanced Children Literature	3
<u>Elective Course</u> (3)		
LME 589	Field Experience in LME	3
<u>Research Tool</u> (0-3)		
LME 519	Special Topics: Research in LME	0-3
Or Advisor Approved Equivalent		
TOTAL HOURS		30-33

Delineation of Unit/Program Transition Points – Initial Preparation			
Preparation Program: LIBRARY MEDIA EDUCATION Concentration			
Transition Point 1: Admission to Education Preparation Programs			
Data Reviewed	Minimal Criteria for Admission	Review Cycle	Reviewed By
LME Program Specific Data <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GPA • Other requirements • Teaching certificate not required 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Completion of graduate application • Official Transcripts submitted • 3.0 GPA in last 60 hours or earned master’s degree • Letter of application, resume, 2 recommendations, 3-page writing sample • Meet the qualifying score on the GRE or PPST as required by Professional Education 	Each month	Graduate School/LME Faculty
Transition Point 2: Admission to Final Experience			
Data Reviewed	Minimal Criteria for Continuation	Review Cycle	Reviewed By
Completed application to Teacher Education Program Specific Data: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application to LME 592 Internship 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acceptance into Professional Education • Successful completion of 24 hours in the program including the required core except LME 592 • Self-evaluation of Level 1 Dispositions • 3.0 (Proficient) or higher on all Critical Performances • Form D approved by the Graduate School • Research tool completed • 3.0 overall GPA • Completion of LME 589 Field Experience in LME • Full documentation of 200 field experience hours and all experiences outlined in KY statute 	Reviewed at time of application to register for LME 592	LME faculty
Transition Point 3: Program Exit			
Data Reviewed	Minimal Criteria for Continuation	Review Cycle	Reviewed By
Program Specific Data: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professional Portfolio (capstone project) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.0 (Proficient) score on Professional Portfolio • 3.0 overall GPA 	Reviewed by two faculty members during practicum semester	LME faculty

To be recommended for SLMS certification and Rank change, the following requirements must be met:

- Completion of all Advanced Preparation criteria outlined above
- Passing score(s) on the appropriate PRAXIS II exam SLMS
- Completion of TC-1 form

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.kyepsb.net for current requirements or contact Ms. Rice at 502-564-4606 or toll free 888-598-7667.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Advisor Signature: _____ Date: _____