In order to be admitted to the Teach In 12 Teacher Education Program, students are required to successfully complete the corresponding Missouri Content Assessment (MoCA) during the first attempt as a condition for admission to the TI12 program.

- All graduate certification candidates must attempt MoCA in their first semester.

Applicants must simultaneously apply for Practicum I and TEP upon admission to the university.

Practicum I applications are submitted through the College of Education Portal website http://coe.umsl.edu/portal prior to registering for any Practicum Course. At this time a TB Test & Background Check must also be completed and uploaded into the Portal. Please contact your designated advisor for acceptance inquiries. For technology assistance, including uploading documents, visit the E. Desmond Lee Technology and Learning Center (TLC) 314-516-4800, Marillac Suite 100. For placement/permission number inquiries, contact the Office of Clinical Experience & School Partnerships 314-516-6792.

Students who DO NOT pass the MoCA during the first attempt will be required to develop an approved program plan in consultation with an academic advisor, which will include the completion of additional content coursework (see content courses listed at the end of the degree plan).

To apply for the program, you must submit an application to the Graduate School. No GRE, GMAT or letters of reference are required.

GPA requirement: 2.75 Cumulative, 3.0 Content Area courses, 3.0 Professional Education courses

**NOTE: Successful completion of the above requirements qualifies you to continue as a GRADUATE TEACHING CERTIFICATION Candidate**

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**PREREQUISITE SEMESTER**

Ele Ed 6337 Teaching & Learning Literacy in the Elementary Classroom (15 hours of field experience in a school required) (4) ___ ___

Tch Ed 5310A Instructional Design: Lesson Planning (1) ___ ___

****NOTE: Complete ONLINE READINESS MODULE in MyGateway****

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**STOP-----DO NOT PASS GO UNTIL YOU HAVE SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE FOLLOWING:**

Check with advisor for MoCA deadline

A) Passing MoCA Exam Score(s) (mo.nesinc.com)
   1) Date(s): __________ Test # ______ Passing Score: __________

B) 2.75 Cumulative GPA ______ 3.0 Professional Education GPA ______ 3.0 Content Area GPA ______

C) Missouri Educator Profile(MEP) ______

D) Completion of Six Step COE Application including TB Test & Background Check ______

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**PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION COURSES**

**EXPLORING EDUCATION AS A PROFESSION**

Spec Ed 6325 Advanced Studies in Classroom and Behavior Management (3) ___ ___

ECH ED 6412 Foundations of Early Childhood Education (3) ___ ___

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**ANALYZING THE NATURE AND PROCESS OF EDUCATION**

ED PSY 6215 Adv Studies in Child Development (3) ___ ___

ECH ED 6348 Understanding and Supporting Children’s Math & Science Inquiry (3) ___ ___

ELE ED 6338 Literacy Assessment for Guided Instruction (3) ___ ___

*ECH ED 5989 Practicum One: Site-Based Experience (2) ___ ___

*Work as a Triton Teacher at a Studio Schools site
  • 2 days per week of clinical experiences in a school setting
  • 5 Grand Seminar Meetings on UMSL campus
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#### To-Do Checklist:
- Missouri Pre-Service Teacher Assessment (MOPTA)
- Apply for Teacher Certification
- Enroll in Ongoing Professional Development Program

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I acknowledge that my advisor and I completely and thoroughly reviewed the information contained herein and I understand all of the degree requirements specified for this program.

**STUDENT’S SIGNATURE** ____________________________ **DATE** ____________________________

**ADVISOR’S SIGNATURE** ____________________________ **DATE** ____________________________

**COMMENTS** ____________________________________

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**Contact Information:**

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