

**Program Planning Guide sheet**  
**Morehead State University, College of Education**  
**Areas of Curriculum and Instruction**  
**5-9 Certification for Teachers Currently Certified in another Area**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**I. Human Growth and Middle Grades (minimum 3 hours required) .....3**

- Select option (A) EDMG 306  
 (A), (B) or (C) (B) EDF 611 Adolescent Development  
 (C) EDF 610

**II. EDMG 636 Middle Grades Curriculum .....3**

**III. Reading (minimum 3 hours required) .....3**

- Select option (A) EDMG 332  
 (A) or (B) (B) EDEL 677 (EDEL 627 accepted if already taken)

**IV. Special Education.....3**

- EDSP 230 or 601 or equivalent  
 (Each student must have at least one special education class; may be undergraduate)

**V. Fundamental Processes and Learning Materials (minimum 3 hours).....3**

The student must select the option (A, B, C, or D) that corresponds to their teaching field if math, language arts, or social studies is selected.

- (A) EDMG 341 or MATH 619  
 (B) EDMG 342 or EDEL 622  
 (C) EDMG 343 or EDEL 623  
 (D) SCI 591 or SCI 619

**VI. One approved middle grade teaching field (See next page; minimum 24 hours OR a major/area of concentration: \_\_\_\_\_**

**VII. EDMG 446 - Supervised Student Teaching\* .....4-6**

\*A student currently teaching under a Probationary Certificate does not have to complete student teaching. (KAR 2:170. Probationary certificate for middle school teachers.)

A GPA of 2.50 is required to successfully complete the certification program.

**Portfolio Requirements** One of the culminating events in the 5-9 elementary school program is the **Portfolio**, a collection of exemplars to demonstrate competencies in the New Teacher Standards (NTS). This portfolio will be assessed at the end of the student teaching Practicum. Throughout the program, each 5-9 trainee will be compiling artifacts for the Portfolio, a collection of exemplars to demonstrate the integration of class work and practical experiences and to document growth and understanding of the NTS

<b>PRAXIS Test requirement:</b>	<b><u>Pass score</u></b>
(0523) Principles of Learning & Teaching: Grades 5-9	161
Select the test(s) which correspond to your content area(s):	
(0049) Middle School English Language Arts	157
(0069) Middle School Mathematics	148
(0439) Middle School Science (calculators prohibited)	139
(0089) Middle School Social Studies	149

Advisor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Chair's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**5-9 ACADEMIC COMPONENTS  
(SELECT AND COMPLETE 1)**

**Please note that a GPA of 2.5 is required in all academic components.**

**ENGLISH/COMMUNICATIONS ..... 24**

ENG 390-Professional Writing or  
 ENG 391-Advanced Expository Writing or  
 ENG 392-Teaching Writing in Elementary or Middle Grades  
 ENG 395-Poetry Writing or  
 ENG 396-Fiction Writing or  
 ENG 583-Advanced Poetry Writing or  
 ENG 584-Advanced Fiction Writing or  
 ENG 591-Technical Writing I ..... 6  
 ENG 305-Introduction to Linguistics or  
 ENG 394-Language and Society, or  
 ENG 315-Structure of English ..... 3  
 ENG 341-American Literature to 1865 or  
 ENG 342-American Literature Since 1865 or  
 ENG 360-Appalachian Literature  
 .....3  
 ENG 500-Studies in English for Teachers ..... 3  
 ENG Elective-300 to 500 level ..... 3  
 CMSP 108-Fundamentals of Speech  
 Communication ..... 3  
 EDMG 347-Literature and Materials for Pre-Adolescents ..... 3

**MATHEMATICS ..... 24**

MATH 141-Trigonometry or  
 MATH 174-Pre-Calculus ..... 3  
 MATH 152-College Algebra ..... 3  
 MATH 231-Mathematics for the Elementary Teacher I ..... 3  
 MATH 232-Mathematics for the Elementary Teacher II ..... 3  
 MATH 300-Introduction to Math Proof or  
 MATH 304-Logic and Set Theory ..... 3  
 MATH 332-Introduction to Finite Math ..... 3  
 MATH 370-College Geometry I ..... 3  
 CIS 202-Structural Programming/BASIC ..... 3

**SOCIAL STUDIES ..... 24**

ECON 101-Introduction to American Economics or  
 ECON 201-Principles of Economics I ..... 3  
 GEO 300-World Geography ..... 3  
 GOVT 141-U.S. Government ..... 3  
 HIS 210-Early World History ..... 3  
 HIS 201-Global Studies ..... 3  
 HIS 220-Early U.S. History ..... 3  
 HIS 202-American Studies ..... 3  
 SOC 203-Contemporary Social Problems or  
 SOC 205-The Family or  
 SOC 305-Cultural Anthropology or  
 SOC 354-The Individual and Society or  
 SOC 374-American Minority Relations ..... 3

**SCIENCE ..... 28-31**

BIOL 110-Biology for the Elementary Teacher or higher with a  
 lab ..... 3  
 BIOL 210-Zoology or  
 BIOL 352-Animal Natural History ..... 3  
 BIOL 150-Plant Science or  
 BIOL 215-Botany or  
 BIOL 351-Plant Natural History ..... 3-4  
 CHEM 101/101L-Principles of Chemistry ..... 4  
 GEOS 108-Physical Geology ..... 4  
 PHYS 201/201L-Elementary Physics ..... 4  
 SCI 591-Science for Middle School Teachers ..... 3  
 CHEM 201/201L-Survey of Chemistry (4 hrs) or  
 GEOS 201-Historical Geology (3 hrs) or  
 PHYS 202/202L-Elementary Physics II (4 hrs)  
 PHYS 110-Concepts in Astronomy (3 hrs) or  
 SCI 570-Earth Science (3 hrs) ..... 4-6