

Last	First	Maiden/Middle	Student ID#
Initial Certification Area			Concentration
Email			Phone Number
Advisor Assigned			Catalog Year

**ADMISSION CRITERIA**

Requirements for admission to the Master of Arts in Education: Teacher as Leader as defined by the appropriate catalog include but not limited to:

1. Bachelor's degree from an accredited institution with a minimum GPA of 2.75, or a GPA of 3.0 on the last thirty (30) hours of credit completed
1. Official Transcripts from all Institutions
2. Graduate Record Examination (waived if cumulative undergraduate GPA was 3.0 or higher)
3. Supplemental application demonstrating applicant's use of critical thinking, communication, creativity, and collaboration
4. Copy of teaching certificate or out of state equivalent
5. Signed Teacher as Leader Admission Agreement
6. Signed Codes of Ethics for Kentucky School Personnel and College of Education

**CURRICULUM CRITERIA**

**Individual Competence Development:** Zero to six (0-6) hours Any MAEd candidate who has never taken courses in the teaching of reading and introduction to special education will be required to do so as a part of this program.

**Professional/Research Core:** Fifteen (15) semester hours required. At least 15 hours must be taken in courses 600 or above.

**Concentration Core:** Twelve (12) semester hours (with prior approval) and in accordance with program requirements or to strengthen the content/concentration of the student. Additional hours may be required to complete selected endorsement. Please see curriculum contract for selected endorsement requirements for certification requirement

**Elective Core:** Three (3) semester hours with approval.

**COURSE REQUIREMENTS**

	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Semester/Year</u>	<u>Substitution/Other</u>
<b><u>Individual Competence Development</u></b>				
Teaching Students with Exceptionalities	3	_____	_____	_____
Teaching of Reading	3	_____	_____	_____

	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Semester/Year</u>	<u>Substitution/Other</u>
<b><u>Professional Core</u></b>				
EDA 602: Leadership in Contemporary Schools	3	_____	_____	_____
EDG 606: Leadership in a Diverse Society	3	_____	_____	_____
EDG 607: Orientation to MAEd Teacher as Leader	0	_____	_____	_____
EDG 615: Instructional Design and Curriculum	3	_____	_____	_____

	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Semester/Year</u>	<u>Substitution/Other</u>
<b><u>Research Core</u></b>				
EDG 605: Introduction to Educational Research	3	_____	_____	_____
EDG 689: Applied Action Research I *	1	_____	_____	_____
EDG 690: Applied Action Research II	1	_____	_____	_____
EDG 691: Applied Action Research III *	.5	_____	_____	_____
EDG 692: Applied Action Research IV	.5	_____	_____	_____

\*Requires application by deadline

<u>Concentration Core</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Semester/Year</u>	<u>Substitution/Other</u>
EDG 621: Introduction to Gifted Education	3	_____	_____	_____
EDG 623: Teaching Creative/Higher Level Thinking	3	_____	_____	_____
EDG 625: School Programs for Gifted Students	3	_____	_____	_____
EDG 627: Seminar & Field Experiences in Gifted Ed.	3	_____	_____	_____

<u>Elective Core</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Semester/Year</u>	<u>Substitution/Other</u>
_____	3	_____	_____	_____

**EXIT CRITERIA**

1. Successful completion of selected graduate program and a minimum 3.0 GPA
2. Concentration classes with a minimum 3.0 GPA.
3. Signed curriculum contracts for concentration appropriate graduate education program.
4. Successful completion of Action Research Project      Date of Completion: \_\_\_\_\_      Passing: \_\_\_\_\_

**PRAXIS TEST**

Pass Praxis Subject Assessment    Gifted Education (P-12)    Test: 5358    passing score: 157    student score: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Requirements and passing scores for teacher certification are subject to change. For the most current PRAXIS II testing requirements, go to the Kentucky Education Professional Standards Board website (<http://www.epsb.ky.gov>) If you are certified/licensed in another state please check with your licensure board for your state testing regulations.

**Certification:** Submission of CA-1 on EPSB/KECS with other required documents in order to receive recommendation for any endorsements and or rank change.

**Additional Comments:**

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Graduate Student Signature

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Graduate Advisor Signature