

**ADD, CHANGE OR DELETE UNIT, PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS, OR ACADEMIC POLICIES**

Complete this form consistent with the instructions in Academic Policy 1622.20. Use the form to add, change, or delete a program or unit or to change program policies. Proposed additions and changes must be consistent with Academic Policies 1100.40 and 1621.10 and any other policies which apply.

**SECTION I: Approvals**

Department / Program Chair _____	Date Submitted _____	Graduate Council Chair _____	Date _____
College Dean _____	Date _____	Faculty Senate Chair _____	Date _____
Honors College Dean _____	Date _____	Provost _____	Date _____
Core Curriculum Committee _____	Date _____	Board of Trustees Approval/Notification Date _____	
University Course and Programs Committee _____	Date _____	Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board Approval/Notification Date _____	

**SECTION II: Profile Data - Required Information and Name Change Information**

Academic Unit:     Major/Field of Study     Minor     Other Unit \_\_\_\_\_  Policy

Level:             Undergraduate     Graduate     Law    Effective Catalog Year \_\_\_\_\_

Program changes are effective with the next available catalog. See Academic Policy Series 1622.20

Current Name            **MAT, Childhood Education**

College, School, Division **EDUC** \_\_\_\_\_            Department Code **CIED**

Current Code (6 digit Alpha) **CHEDMA**            Proposed Code (6 digit Alpha) \_\_\_\_\_  
Prior approval from the Office of the Registrar is required.

Interdisciplinary Program            CIP Code **13.1202**  
Prior assignment from Office of Institutional Research is required.

Proposed Name \_\_\_\_\_  
When a program name is changed, enrollment of current students reflects the new name.

**SECTION III: Add a New Program/Unit**

For new program proposals, complete Sections II and VII and use as a cover sheet for a full program proposal as described in 'Criteria and Procedures for Preparing Proposals for New Programs in Arkansas.' ADHE  
<http://www.adhe.edu/divisions/academicaffairs/Pages/academicaffairs.aspx>

Program proposal uses courses offered by another academic college, and that college dean's office has been notified. The signature of the dean of that academic college is required here: \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION IV: Eliminate an Existing Program/Unit**

Code/Name \_\_\_\_\_            Effective Catalog Year \_\_\_\_\_

No new students admitted to program after Term: \_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Allow students in program to complete under this program until Term: \_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION V: Proposed Changes to an Existing Program or Program Policies**

**Insert here a statement of the exact changes to be made: The University of Arkansas Childhood Education licensure program currently offers two sub-specialty options from which candidates must choose in order to complete the program. They are special education and English as a second language. The change would add the third option of grades 5/6 endorsement for P-4 candidates.**

Check if either of these boxes apply and provide the necessary signature:

- Program change proposal adds courses offered by another academic college, and that college dean's office has been notified. The signature of the dean of that academic college is required here: \_\_\_\_\_
- Program change proposal deletes courses offered by another academic college, and that college dean's office has been notified. The signature of the dean of that academic college is required here: \_\_\_\_\_

Check all the boxes that apply and complete the required sections of the form:

- Change of Name and Code (Complete only sections I, II, V and VII.)
- Change Course Requirements: (Complete all sections of the form except "Proposed Name" in II, section III, and section IV.)
- Change Delivery Site/Method (Complete all sections of the form except "Proposed Name" in II, section III, and section IV.)
- Change Total Hours (Complete all sections of the form except "Proposed Name" in II, section III, and section IV.)
- Change in Program Policies

### **SECTION VI: Justification**

*Justify this change and state its likely effect on any other degree program (including those outside the school or college). Identify any program or program components (other than courses) to be eliminated if this program is implemented. (Program and course change forms must also be submitted for such related changes.)*

**The University of Arkansas no longer has a Middle Level Program, leaving only a P-4 or 7-12 initial licensure option for teacher candidates. There is a great need in Arkansas for teachers who are highly qualified and certified to teach grades 5 and 6. The U of A does have an additional licensure program, or endorsement, in grades 5 and 6 only that can be added to a standard teaching area in grades P-4. The courses for this program currently exist and are approved by the Arkansas Department of Education as an Additional Licensure Program of Study. This modification does not require new courses, new faculty, or resources. The Childhood Education faculty unanimously approved this change at their September 21, 2011 meeting.**

### **SECTION VII: Catalog Text and Format**

*In the box below, insert the current catalog text which is to be changed, with changes highlighted with the color yellow. Include all proposed changes identified in Section V. Only changes explicitly stated in Section V will be considered for approval by the University Course and Programs Committee, the Graduate Council and the Faculty Senate. If you are proposing a new program, give proposed text with all of the elements listed below. If you are proposing modified text, include these elements as appropriate.*

**Include the following elements, in order, in the catalog text for proposed undergraduate program(s) or program changes:**

- State complete major/program name
- Briefly define or describe the major/program or discipline.
- Identify typical career goals or paths for graduates. (Optional)
- State admission requirements (if any) for entry or entry into upper/advanced level of major/program.
- Identify location in catalog of university, college/school, and department/program requirements which the student must meet in addition to hours in the major, but do not restate these requirements.
- State course requirements in the major and any allied areas, giving number of hours and specific courses; specify electives or elective areas and give numbers of hours and courses in elective pools or categories; identify any other course requirements.
- State any other requirements (required GPA, internship, exit exam, project, thesis, etc.).
- Identify name and requirements for each concentration (if any).
- Specify whether a minor or other program component is allowed or required and provide details.
- State eight-semester plan requirements

**For minors, state requirements in terms of hours, required courses, electives, etc.**

**For graduate program/units, include elements (as needed) parallel to those listed for undergraduate programs above.**

**For Law School program/units, prepare text consistent with current catalog style.**

**For centers, prepare text consistent with current catalog style.**

GRADUATE CATALOG

The University of Arkansas offers the Bachelor of Science (B.S.E.) degree in Childhood Education. These combined degree programs

constitute the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, on-campus initial teacher licensure program in Childhood Education (Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 4). Students who obtain their B.S.E. degree from the University of Arkansas will have completed the prerequisite course requirements for entry into the M.A.T. program. Students who obtain a bachelors degree from another university and/or in a program area other than Elementary Education must have their transcripts evaluated by a Childhood Education program adviser to determine what deficiencies must be met before they can be considered for admission into the M.A.T. program. The M.A.T. degree program is a 33-semester-hour program. To be recommended for licensure by the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, campus, students must complete the M.A.T. degree program. **Students also choose either a sub-specialty area of special education or English as a second language.**

Change to...

**Students also choose either a sub-specialty area of special education, English as a second language, or grades 5/6 endorsement for P-4 candidates.**

**ADD**

**Grades 5/6 Endorsement for P-4 Candidates (minimum 33 hours)**

**CIED 5003 Childhood Seminar**

**CIED 5013 Measurement/Research/Statistical Concepts**

**CIED 5022 Classroom Management Concepts**

**CIED 5032 Curriculum Design Concepts for Teachers**

**CIED 5053 Multicultural Issues in Elementary Education**

**CIED 5073 Case Study in Childhood Education**

**CIED 508V Childhood Education Cohort Teaching Internship (6 hours)**

**CIED 5162 Applied Practicum**

**CIED 5173 Literacy Assessment and Intervention**

**CIED 5353 Students with Diverse Needs in Middle Education Settings**

**CIED 5113 Reading in Middle Schools**

## SECTION VIII: Action Recorded by Registrar's Office

### PROGRAM INVENTORY/DARS

PGRM \_\_\_\_\_ SUBJ \_\_\_\_\_ CIP \_\_\_\_\_ CRTS \_\_\_\_\_

DGRE \_\_\_\_\_ PGCT \_\_\_\_\_ OFFC&CRTY VALID \_\_\_\_\_

### REPORTING CODES

PROG. DEF. \_\_\_\_\_ REQ. DEF. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Initials \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Distribution

Notification to:

- (1) College (2) Department (3) Admissions (4) Institutional Research (5) Continuing Education (6) Graduate School  
 (7) Treasurer (8) Undergraduate Program Committee

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