



MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION
OFFICE OF EDUCATOR QUALITY – EDUCATOR PREPARATION

MIDDLE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL, GRADES 5-9

EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM NAME
PARK UNIVERSITY

EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM CODE
511931

INSTRUCTIONS

Please complete Educator Preparation Program (EPP) Name & EPP Code above.

Certification Requirements:

- **Course Number** – List the course number(s) for the course(s) or groups of competencies that align with the specific section of the requirements. It is possible to have more than one course or group listed.
- **Course Title** – List the course title(s) for the course(s) or groups of competencies that align with the specific section of the requirements. It is possible to have more than one course or group listed.
- **Semester Hours** – List the number of semester hours for each specific section. It is possible to use decimals (to the nearest tenth) to indicate partial use of a course to meet a requirement. The total number of semester hours must meet or exceed the minimum required number of semester hours.

Email the completed cover sheet, curriculum matrix, and advising/program information to DESE.MoSPETransition@dese.mo.gov on or before the date established in the Transition Plan.

QUESTIONS: Contact Educator Preparation, 573-751-1668 or DESE.MoSPETransition@dese.mo.gov

ENDORSEMENT TO ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY PRINCIPAL CERTIFICATION

A. Professional Requirements

1. Teaching Methods – undergraduate or graduate level

	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
a. Methods of Teaching Reading to include one course in Techniques of Teaching reading in the Content Fields (Minimum of five semester hours)	ED546	Advanced Diagnosis & Remediation of Reading Difficulties	3
	EDM/S358	Literacy in the Content Area	3
b. Methods of Teaching Elementary Mathematics (Minimum of two semester hours)	EDE385	Mathematics Methods & Differentiated Learning in Elementary Grades	3

2. Middle Level Education (Minimum of six semester hours)

	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
a. Middle School Philosophy, Organization, and Curriculum	ED541	Middle School Philosophy & Organization	3
b. The Intellectual, Physiological, Emotional, and Social Development of the Transescent Child (10-14 year old)	ED527	Growth & Development of Children & Adolescents	3

Professional Requirements - Total Semester Hours

15

NOTE: We look at candidate's undergraduate degrees to determine what they need for middle school certification.

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