



Gifted Education Core Endorsement (Ages 4-21)
Added Endorsement Content Evaluation Worksheet

Applicant

Legal name

Date

Requirements

Professional competency in this content area must be demonstrated by the following pathway:

- A. A bachelor's or higher degree in gifted education **OR** documented evidence from an accepted, regionally accredited college or university indicating completion of 24 semester hours of coursework that meet the minimum requirement in each of the areas listed below. This may include a maximum of six semester hours of documented professional development or work experience.

AND

- B. PRAXIS #5358 / 157 or higher

Content coursework requirements	Coursework	Semester Hours	FOR OFFICE USE ONLY
Gifted Learner Development (3 semester hours) e.g., Nature & Needs of Gifted Learners, The Gifted Learner, Gifted Boys/Gifted Girls, Supporting Twice Exceptional Students, Gifted Students in Underrepresented Populations			
Learning Environment & Structures for Gifted Learners (3 semester hours) e.g., Psychological Aspects of the Gifted, Nature and Needs, Understanding and Affirming the Social Emotional Needs of Gifted Learners, Engaging Gifted Minds			
Instructional Planning & Strategies for Gifted Learners (3 semester hours) e.g., Instructional Strategies for Gifted Learners, Creativity: Theory & Practice, Twice-exceptional Learners, Differentiated Instruction for Gifted Students, Differentiated Instruction and Research-based Strategies for Teaching the Gifted			
Curricular Content Knowledge (3 semester hours) e.g., Curriculum for Gifted Learners/in Gifted Education Curriculum Models and Aligned Programming for Gifted Students Implementing the School-Wide Enrichment Model			
Gifted Learner & Program Assessment (3 semester hours) e.g., Identification and Assessment in Gifted Education Special Topics in Gifted Education (i.e., instructional assessment, student performance), Data Analysis for Instructional Purposes, Assessment Strategies for Differentiation			
Professional Learning & Ethical Practice (3 semester hours) e.g., Program Development & Evaluation in Gifted Education, Foundations of Gifted Education, Best practices in Gifted Education			
Collaboration & Communication (3 semester hours) e.g., Leadership in Gifted Education, Leadership and Communication in Gifted Education			
3 additional semester hours in any one of the above content coursework requirements			
Total semester hours (24 semester hours required)			