SPALDING UNIVERSITY

2015-2016 PROGRAM SHEET (REVISED 2/2/15) MAT ALTCERT BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE (8-12)



Name:	Student ID:		
Street Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Telephone (Home):		(Cell):	
College/University:		Degree Held:	
Email:		Date of Entry:	

PROGRAM INFORMATION:

- All teacher candidates must meet current admission criteria as designated by the Kentucky Education Professional Standards Board and the College of Education of Spalding University.
- On recommendation of the College of Education, a regular graduate student may transfer up to 12 hours toward a graduate degree of at least 36 hours, 9 hours toward a degree of at least 33 hours, and 6 hours toward a degree of at least 30 hours.
- Candidate must pass appropriate Praxis Specialty tests prior to verification of eligibility for KTIP.
- Change in or addition to certification area/program requires teacher candidate to meet current admission policies as designated by the Kentucky Education Professional Standards Board and the College of Education of Spalding University.

PROGRAM CREDIT HOURS: 38

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COURSE	NUMBER	COURSE TITLE/FIELD EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENT	CREDIT HOURS	TERM / YEAR	GRADE
EDU	513	Foundations of Education	3	/	
EDU	514	Classroom Management	3	/	
EDU	677	Learning & Development though the Lifespan	3	/	
EDU	579	Multimedia Application for Teaching & Learning	3	/	
EDU	520	Assessment for Teaching & Learning	3	/	
EDU	560	Curriculum & Methods in Middle & High School	3	/	
EDU	585	Inclusive Classroom	3	/	
EDR	556	Developmental Reading in Middle & High School	3	/	
EDR	531	Literature for Young Adults	3	/	
EDU	547	Education Capstone Seminar	3	/	
EDU	625	Teaching Seminar	8	/	
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PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS:

- Maintain minimum GPA of 3.0. Any grade of "F" or two grades of "C" or one grade of "C" in a class of 6 or more credit hours; any breach of the Professional Code of Ethics for Kentucky Certified School Personnel; or any failure to demonstrate consistently professional dispositions and expected behaviors may result in the teacher candidate's dismissal.
- Written and dated documentation of eligibility to be considered for employment.
- Admission to ACP pending employment.
- A written plan of mentoring in the employment setting consisting of minimum of fifteen (15) hours of observation in the employment setting utilizing university faculty, school based mentor, and principal;/designee.
- All teacher candidates must meet current criteria for the Alternative Certification Program as designated by the Kentucky Education Professional Standards Board and the College of Education of Spalding University.
- Test Disclaimer: All required examinations must be passed as a condition of certification/licensure and entry into Kentucky Education Professional Standards Board. For a current listing of tests required by the state of Kentucky, please see: http://www.epsb.ky.gov

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PROGRAM CONTRACT

Program Director

Date