

UCC Document # UCC 2 College Document # _____ Review Type: Edit Exp Full

CATALOG YEAR <u>2013-2014</u>

 Course:
 Add:
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 (check all that apply)
 Change:
 Number
 Title
 SCH
 Description
 Prerequisite

 Response Required:
 New course will be part of major
 minor
 as a required
 or elective
 course

 Response Required:
 New course will introduce
 reinforce
 or apply
 concepts

If new, provide Course Prefix, Number, Title, <u>Measurable</u> Student Learning Outcomes, SCH Value, Description, prerequisite, and lecture/lab hours if applicable. If in current online catalog, provide change and attach text with changes in red and provide a brief justification.

Program: Delete: ____Add: _X___ Change: ____ Attach new/changed Program of Study description and 4-year plan. If in current online catalog, provide change and attach text with changes in red.

- COED TOEFL requirements: A minimum TOEFL computer-based score of 26 in each of the four areas is required for admission into the College of Education.¹ See note on page 3.
- Overloads will only be approved for TAMIU GPAs of 3.0 or higher, and approval of the departmental chair and dean.
- Waivers for candidates on suspension will not be granted.

COLLEGE/SCHOOL/SECTION: Education

- Candidates on suspension must sit out for long term. Summer sessions are considered short terms and thus must not be supplanted for a long term.
- The COED application fee is \$30.00² (Increased mandates from the state increased our responsibilities for admission oversight) Changed to \$15 per approved TAMUS Fees. 3/22/13
- Option to graduate without completing Student Teaching Semester:

COED candidates in their culminating semester may supplant/substitute 12 credits from a pool of specified courses in lieu of completing their student teaching requirement for certification. By doing so candidates electing this route may graduate in the degree program and will not be recommended for certification. Candidates choosing this route must:

- Be in the culminating semester of their degree program;
- Be in good standing in the College of Education by having a TAMIU 2.7 GPA or higher and a 2.7 or higher GPA in the major;
- Have a "C" or better in all course work (including course work completed in the Core Curriculum); clarification on page 3.
- Complete all program requirements except student teaching plus one course remaining;
- Register for EDCI 4399 Issues in Curriculum and Instruction;
- Register for nine (9) additional credit hours from a select pool of courses approved by the College for this culminating term;

¹ This is a TEA admission requirement for education majors. Candidates are encouraged to check with the College of Education's Department of Educator Preparation and Certification.

² The fee is being increased to accommodate new admission oversight mandates from the Texas Education Agency.

- Forfeit eligibility to obtain approval by the College of Education to sit for any TExES exam as an undergraduate program completer;
- Sign a statement of agreement.

Post-graduation certification may be attained through either a post-baccalaureate or Alternative Certification Program of one's choice.

Minor: Add: _____ Delete: _____ Change: _____ Attach new/changed minor. If in current online catalog, provide change and attach text with changes in red.

College Introductory Pages: Add information: Change information: Attach new/changed information. If in current online catalog, provide change and attach text with changes in red.

Other: Add information: Change information: Attach new/changed information. If in current online catalog, provide change and attach text with changes in red.

Approvals:

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From: Coronado, Jennifer M Sent: Friday, October 26, 2012 3:36 PM To: Trevino, Mary T. Subject: UCC-2 Document (TOEFL)

Dear Mary,

A follow-up to today's UCC meeting and what we had discussed earlier, the second indented bullet should read:

• Complete all degree plan courses with a grade of "C" or better (including coursework completed in the Core Curriculum and all courses that are approved as substitutions for courses required on the degree plan);

Enjoy your weekend,

Jennifer

The minimum TOEFL score requirement should read as noted below based on TEA Subchapter B-General Requirements-English Language Proficiency: The TOEFL IBT is required of all students having academic studies from a country where English is not the native language. A minimum TOEFL IBT score of 26 in each of the four areas (reading, listening, speaking and writing) is required for admission to the College of Education.