OSU Check Sheet for Teacher Certification and Recommendation for Elementary Math Specialist (Grades PK-8)

(Completion of these requirements DOES NOT result in completion of a degree)

Last ______________________ First __________________ MI ___________ ID# __________________

To be recommended for certification for elementary math specialist through Oklahoma State University’s Professional Education, the student must:

Status Prerequisites

__________ Hold a valid teacher certification in Elementary Education and/or Early Childhood Education and will only correspond to the certification already held

__________ Two years of full-time teaching experience in grades Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 5 at an accredited school under a valid state issued teacher credential

Status Program Requirements

__________ Submit Application for Admission to OSU’s Professional Education @ http://tinyurl.com/osuprofedapp.

__________ Gain and Retain Full Admission to OSU’s Professional Education (http://www.okstate.edu/peu)

_______ Maintain a 3.0 Overall Cumulative Retention GPA; for graduate students this includes all undergraduate and graduate coursework

_______ Submit a copy of all transcripts (undergraduate & graduate) to 325 Willard

_______ Submit a copy of the above Oklahoma Teaching Certificate to 325 Willard

_______ Maintain Graduate College Academic Standing Minimum Grade Requirements per the current OSU catalog.

_______ Pass the Oklahoma Elementary Mathematics Specialist Certification Examination

And

Complete the following graduate coursework (Minimum GPA 3.0 with a minimum grade of “C” in any course) (18 hours):

_______ CIED 5913 Algebra and Mathematical Tasks at the Elementary level (PK-6)

_______ CIED 5923 Geometry, Spatial Visualization, and Learning Trajectories at the Elementary Level (PK-6)

_______ CIED 5933 Teaching Measurement, and Data at the Elementary Level (PK-6)

_______ CIED 5253 Rational Number Concepts, Proportional Reasoning, and Classroom Interactions at the Elementary Level (PK-6)

_______ CIED 5273 Number Concepts and Assessment at the Elementary Level (PK-6)

_______ CIED 5943 Mathematics Leadership and Coaching

Note: If a person plans on pursuing a master’s degree, it is important to note that a maximum of 9 hours can be completed prior to being admitted to a graduate program. These Math Specialist Certification hours will count toward the M.S. in Teaching, Learning and Leadership’s Mathematics/Science Education option for an admitted student and/or the graduate certificate in Elementary Mathematics Specialist.

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