OSU Check Sheet for Teacher Certification and Recommendation for Agricultural Education (Grades 6-12)
(Successful Completion of these requirements DOES NOT result in completion of a degree)

Last ___________________ First ___________________ MI ________ CWID # ___________________

Apply for Admission to Professional Education http://tinyurl.com/osuprofedapp (must apply first semester)
Requirements for Full Admission to and Retention in Professional Education (cannot be waived):
    _____ Maintain a 2.50 Overall Cumulative Retention GPA (includes all undergraduate and graduate coursework for grad students)
    _____ Pass the Oklahoma General Education Test (OGET) - sign up at http://www.ceoe.nesinc.com
    _____ “C” or better in a Foundations of Education Course AND a Field Experience (see Prof Ed Courses below for details)
    _____ Begin Professional Portfolio with Submission 1 (in AGED 3101) Purchase LiveText at OSU Bookstore or at http://livetext.com $115
    _____ Demonstrate Competency in a Foreign Language (2 years of high school in the same language with grades of “B” or better, or 3 college hours with a grade of “C” or better.)
    _____ Pass Portfolio Submission 2 (completed in AGED 3203)
    _____ Pass Portfolio Submission 3 (completed in AGED 4200)
    _____ Pass the other Certification Exams for Oklahoma Educators (sign up at http://www.ceoe.nesinc.com):
        OSAT Agricultural Education (Must pass prior to student teaching placement) _______ OPTE
    _____ Hold a bachelor’s degree from OSU in Agricultural Education teaching option (includes coursework listed below), OR approved double major, OR
    _____ Hold a bachelor’s degree and complete the following coursework:

Status  Professional Education Courses (27 hours needed, 2.50 GPA, and no grade below “C”)
Placement in field experiences or clinical practice (student teaching) is not guaranteed. Exhibiting professional dispositions, approval by program faculty, and acceptance by a school are all factors in eligibility for placements.
    _____ Lab and Clinical Experiences: AGED 3101 ($17 OSBI name-based background check and must pass Portfolio Sub 1)
    _____ Foundations of Education: AGED 3103
    _____ Human Growth and Development: EPSY 3213, 3413, OR 5103†
    _____ Exceptional Child: SPED 3202 OR 5633†
    _____ Planning the Community Program in Ag Ed: AGED 3203† (must pass Portfolio Submission 2 in this course)
    _____ Teaching Methods: AGED 4103†
Status  Student Teaching Block (Full Admission, 60 hours field experience, and passing OSAT score required prior to placement):
Professional Development in Agricultural Education: AGED 4203 * ($59 federal fingerprint background check)
Student Teaching: AGED 4200* (9 hours) or AGED 5900** (6 hours) (must pass Portfolio Submission 3 in student teaching course)
PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION HOURS NEEDED  PROFESSIONAL ED GPA: _______

Status  Specialization Courses (46 hours needed: 2.50 GPA with no grade below “C”)
Ag Economics: AGEC 1113
Animal Science: ANSI 1124
Plant Science: PLNT 1213
Horticulture: HORT 1013 or 3084 or 3113
Soil Science: SOIL 2124
Agricultural Communications: AGCM 3103 OR ENGL 3323
International Dimensions: AGED 4713 OR ANSI 3903 OR AGLE 3803
Mechanized Agriculture: (5 hours) MCAG 3011, 3211, 3222, and 4101
Food Science: FDSC 1133 OR 2253 OR 2233
Environmental Science: NREM 2013 OR 3343
Enrichment: 12 hours (to be determined and listed by certification advisor)
SPECIALIZATION HOURS NEEDED  SPECIALIZATION GPA: _______
TOTAL HOURS NEEDED  GRAD RETENTION/CUMULATIVE GPA: _______

* Must be fully admitted to Professional Education prior to enrollment  †Approved for graduate credit

Additional OSU/OSRHE/OEQA policies: Lower division courses may not be substituted for upper division courses. Admission requirements cannot be waived. The student appeal process and other policies are available on the Professional Education website:
https://education.okstate.edu/peu
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The following signature indicates the student has read and understands this checklist:

Name: ___________________ Date: ___________________

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