Gifted Endorsement At MSU

Gifted Endorsement program at MSU offers both online and face-to-face (or hybrid) courses.

This is a 12-hour program with 4 courses. Students may either register to the Endorsement only, or complete the Endorsement as part of their Master’s Degree, e.g., M.A.Ed. or +30 program in elementary, middle, or secondary education.

This endorsement also requires one year of successful teaching experience. It is valid for grades K-12; however, assignment to a full-time self-contained gifted education class shall be restricted to the level of the base certificate. The endorsement shall have the same duration as the base certificate.

Exit Assessment: GPA of 3.0 or higher in endorsement course, with complete GTE 694, and a portfolio score of 82 or above. Individuals applying for this endorsement September 1, 2009 or after, must successfully complete Praxis II Gifted Education (5358).

About the Courses:

Required Courses:
-- GTE 691 Nature and Needs of Gifted Student
-- GTE 692 Methods and Materials
-- GTE 694 Supervised Practicum in Gifted Ed

Elective Courses:
-- GTE 693 Educational Programs for Gifted Ed
-- EDU 621* Advanced Methods of Teaching
-- EDU 637** Instruction for Diverse Learners

* Not applicable to Teacher Leader - High School program students
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