Louisiana Tech University
Master of Arts in Teaching
Plan of Study (PK-3)
Early Childhood Education (39 Hours)

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Name _____ CWID# _____
Last First
Address _____ _____ _____
_____ Home Phone Work Phone
Email _____ Employer _____

Admission Requirements:	
1.	Possess a baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited university.
2.	Have a 2.5 GPA, or higher, on undergraduate work.
3.	Pass the Pre-Professional Skills (Reading ____, Writing ____, and Mathematics ____) PRAXIS I examination.
4.	Pass the Elementary Education: Content Knowledge (0014) PRAXIS II specialty examination.
5.	Present GRE scores, which equal or exceed 1300 (cumulative UGPA x 200 + GREV + GREQ)
6.	Respond to this statement: All Children Can Learn. Be sure to consider socioeconomic status, culture, gender, learning disabilities, and gifted and talented.
7.	Submit your resume.
8.	Submit three letters of recommendation.
9.	Complete and submit a Professional Conduct Form.
10.	Complete a graduate application and submit to Graduate School with $30.00 application fee.
11.	You may enter the program conditionally for one quarter only if you have passed PRAXIS I. To register for a second quarter you must meet all admission requirements.
12.	I understand deliberate falsification of this document may result in my being dropped from the College.
Interview with Admissions & Retention Committee. Date: Time: Recommendation:	

Quarter 1	**Semester Hours**	**Grade**
PSYC 507 Advanced Learning & Development	3	
EDCI 434 Diverse Learners	3	
EDCI 471 Classroom Management	3	
Quarter 2		
EDCI 521 Assessment of Students and Programs	3	
EDCI 577 Science/Social Studies Methods	3	
EDCI 431 Literacy for Emergent Learners	3	
Quarter 3		
EDCI 500 Research Applications for Teachers and Educational Leaders	3	
EDCI 421 PK-3 Math Methods	3	
EDCI 575 Practicum (By application only.)	3	
_____Pass the Principles of Learning and Teaching (0521) examination before entering into Clinical Practice/Internship. Check with your advisor for updates._____		
Quarter 4		
EDCI 435Trends and Issues in Education	3	
EDCI 576 Clinical Practice or EDUC 530 Internship in Teaching **by application only**. If you elect to take this as an Internship, you must register for 3 hours each quarter for the entire academic year and complete it in your own PK-3 classroom. A minimum of ½ of your load must be in your content area.	9	

Note:

Education 575 and 576/530 must be completed in public schools within the geographic area determined by the Louisiana Board of Regents: Bienville, Bossier, Caddo, Claiborne, Jackson, Lincoln, Monroe City, Ouachita, Union, and Webster Parishes.

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Student Signature Date

Maintain a 3.0 or higher GPA. Minimum grade of "B" required in all program coursework.
Successfully complete a Master of Education paper.
Successfully complete a comprehensive examination.
Submit a comprehensive professional portfolio.
Register for graduation in the Registrar's Office.

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Student Signature Date Director of Undergraduate Studies Date

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Advisor/Director of Alternative Certification Date Director of Graduate Studies Date

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Department Head C, I,&L Date Dean of the College of Education Date

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Graduate Office Date

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