

Secondary Field-Based Teacher Education Checklist: Texas A&M University-Commerce

Overall GPA based on catalog year: i.e. 2.50 or 2.75 respectively
2.75 GPA with all grades “C” or above in teaching field
2.75 GPA with all grades “C” or above in pre-internship professional development courses
CSCI 126 or ETEC 224 completed with a passing grade (<i>if applicable</i>)
Have GPA based on catalog year: i.e. 2.50 or 2.75 respectively and all grades of “C” or above in the following pre-internship (professional development) courses:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SED 200 Schools, Community and Society, for some Content Areas (requires observation hours) • SED 300 Introduction to Teaching (requires 30 hours of observation & departmental approval required to enroll in course) • PSY 300 Learning Processes and Development • ETEC 424 Integrating Technology into Curriculum in FB or Music 310 for Music Students • Pre-requisite GPA 2.75: RDG 380 Comprehensions and Vocabulary. Note: All-Level Sped students may take RDG 370 or RDG 380
By internship/resident semester may lack no more than 6 hours in teaching field, or no more than two courses
A grade of “C” or above in a public speaking (speech)
One of the following acceptable scores in Reading : TASP/THEA Reading 250 score; ACT Composite 23 and English 23; SAT 1070 Combined AND 550 Critical Reading/Verbal;
TSI Standards are accepted to meet Math and Writing basic skills admission requirements including the C Rule.
SED 300 EFE Evaluation + documented 30 hours of observation
Completed approximately 90 hours of college coursework
Departmental approval as a future teacher - no action required by student
Criminal Background Check - obtained as needed after confirmed placement with school district
Successful interview and placement in a school district required for full admission to the Teacher Education Program and being maintained in the program.

Secondary Advisors in the Content Areas

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History 7-12	Dr. Derrick McKisick	903-886-5222
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