**Checklist for Admission to Advanced Study**
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Name ____________________  Student ID _________________  Date ____________________

☐ **Grade Point Average** maintained at a minimum 2.75 cumulative GPA. Current GPA:

- **Catalog Years 2015 and beyond:** Education programs in other Colleges (Arts & Sciences, Arts) must have minimum 2.5 cumulative and major GPA. Students in Arts & Sciences must declare the Education Minor. Art Education majors must have a 2.75 cumulative GPA and a 2.75 major GPA. Music Education majors must have a 2.5 cumulative GPA and a 2.75 major GPA.

- **Catalog Years prior to 2015:** Education Minors must have a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA (Art Education majors must have a 2.75 cumulative GPA) and a 2.75 major GPA.

☐ **Advising appointment with a professional advisor** in the Vacca Office of Student Services (or regional campus advising office if completing the program at that campus). Note: You will be assigned a faculty advisor.

☐ **Teacher Candidate Acknowledgements** If you have not yet electronically signed all acknowledgements, please go to https://stuportal.ehhs.kent.edu/ to complete.

☐ **Legal Questions for Licensure**

☐ **Pre-Advanced Study coursework with a grade of C (2.0) or better** (at KSU or transfer).

☐ **ENG 11011** (Integrated Language Arts ONLY – grade of B (3.0) required)

☐ **ENG 21011** (Integrated Language Arts ONLY – grade of B (3.0) required)

☐ **Minimum Education Coursework in progress or complete at time of application:**
  - CULT 29535 Education in a Democratic Society (prerequisite for EPSY 29525 and ITEC 1/39525)
  - Plus one: EPSY 29525 Educational Psychology
  - ITEC 19525 Educational Technology (prior to Fall 2016)
  - SPED 23000 Intro. To Exceptionalities

☐ **The three (3) Praxis Core Tests (or their equivalents).** Passing test scores must be on file in 304 White Hall PRIOR TO Application for Admission to Advanced Study.

  Deadline to take: ____________________

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- Praxis Core Information is found here: http://www.kent.edu/ehhs/voss/praxis-licensure-tools
- Praxis Alternative Tests – free tests offered by 304 White Hall if one or more portions of Praxis I are not passed after a second attempt. Go here for more information: http://www.kent.edu/ehhs/voss/alternative-praxis-tests.

☐ **EHHS Advising Blackboard** – You are responsible & required to check for information shared through this site. Verify you are a member by logging into Blackboard and checking under My Courses.

The Application for Admission to Advanced Study must be submitted no later than the SECOND FRIDAY - ONE semester BEFORE the term you are eligible to start Advanced Study courses. Application is available here: https://stuportal.ehhs.kent.edu/.

Term to Apply
Additional Requirements for Specific Majors

Early Childhood
- MATH 14001/10771 Math Concepts I & MATH 14002 Math Concepts II – grade of C (2.0) or better required in both courses
- ECED 10120 Intro. to Early Childhood Services – Prerequisite for Block I ECED courses – grade of C (2.0) or better required

Selective Admission Requirements (information online at http://www.kent.edu/earlychildhood):
- Essay and Interview with Faculty

Middle Childhood
- MATH 14001/10771 Math Concepts I & MATH 14002 Math Concepts II – grade of C (2.0) or better required in both courses
- Block I (HDFS 24013 Early Adolescence and CES 20092 Field Experience – not offered in the summer) must be taken together prior to admission to Advanced Study
- EPSY 29525 must be taken prior to admission to Advanced Study

Selective Admission Requirements (information online at http://www.kent.edu/ehhs/tlcs/mced/advanced-study):
- Complete half of the total hours needed for each concentration (currently enrolled courses are included) before Block II:
  - R/LA-9 hours (Done ______ hours, In-Progress ______ hours, Need ______ hours)
  - SS-15 hours (Done ______ hours, In-Progress ______ hours, Need ______ hours)
  - Math-15 hours (Done ______ hours, In-Progress ______ hours, Need ______ hours)
  - Science-14 hours (must include a lab) (Done ______ hours, In-Progress ______ hours, Need ______ hours)
- Interview with Faculty
- TWO letters of reference from a teacher, coach, community member, or parent of a young adolescent who has observed you work with early adolescents at the interview with faculty & a brief resume

Adolescence to Young Adult (Grades 7-12) Apply for Advanced Study in Spring & Summer Only
- Major GPA of 2.6

Selective Admission Requirements (information online at http://www.kent.edu/aded):
- Interview with Faculty
- TWO forms of reference to present at the interview with faculty.
  1. Content Knowledge- To be completed by an instructor teaching a course in the student’s content area: ____________.
  2. Knowledge of Adolescent Learners- To be completed by an individual that can attest to the student’s experience in working with adolescents (e.g. tutoring, coaching, summer camps)

Special Education (except ASL English Interpreting)
- MATH 14001/10771 Math Concepts I & MATH 14002 Math Concepts II – grade of C (2.0) or better required in both courses

School Health, Physical Education, and Health & Physical Education majors need to provide evidence of certification in First Aid, CPR and a minimum equivalence to level 5 competency in Red Cross swimming to graduate.

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