Mississippi College
A CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

STATUS SHEET
M.ED. IN TEACHING ARTS

NAME_____SS#_____DATE_____

LOCAL ADDRESS_____LOCAL PHONE _____

PROGRAM COURSE STRUCTURE AND SEQUENCE:

PRE-TEACHING REQUIRED COURSES (6 Semester hrs.)

		TRANS	PROFS	SEM	GRADE
EDU 6506	Classroom Management for Elem. and Sec.Tchers (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____	_____
EDU 6554	Tests and Measurement (3 hrs.)	_____	_____	_____	_____

NOTE: Upon completion of EDU 6506 and EDU 6554 the candidate becomes eligible for a Special Class A Alternate Route Educator License in the area of his/her program emphasis i.e. Elementary 4-8, Secondary subject area (7-12) or (K-12). K-12 licenses are available only in music and art. The Special Class A Alternate Route Educator License is issued for three years and is non-renewable.

REQUIRED INTERNSHIP COURSES (6 Semester hrs.)

EDU 6537	Dimensions of Learning I (3 hrs.)	_____	_____	_____	_____
EDU 6538	Dimensions of Learning II (3 hrs.)	_____	_____	_____	_____

NOTE: Students must complete EDU 6506 and EDU 6554 prior to enrollment in either EDU 6537 or EDU 6538. Students must be employed (under contract) as a regular classroom teacher in order to take EDU 6537 and EDU 6538. Other courses in this program may be taken before EDU 6537 and EDU 6538, but the Standard Class A certificate cannot be issued until the student has completed EDU 6537 and EDU 6538.

REQUIRED CORE COURSES FOR AA LICENSURE: ELEM. (4-8) AND SECONDARY (7-12 / K-12 MUSIC/ ART)
(9 Semester hrs.)

PSY 5435	Psychology of Exceptional Children (3 hrs.)	_____	_____	_____	_____
EDU 6542	Technology in Education (3 hrs.)	_____	_____	_____	_____
EDU 6504	Research Methods and Procedures	_____	_____	_____	_____

COURSES FOR AA LICENSURE: ELEMENTARY (4-8) CONCENTRATION : (12 Semester hrs.)

EDU 6524	Teaching Skills of Reading and Comprehension (3 hrs.)	_____	_____	_____	_____
EDU 5411	Children's Literature (3 hrs.)	_____	_____	_____	_____
EDU 5488	Diagnostic/Prescriptive Reading. (3 hrs.)	_____	_____	_____	_____
EDU 6522	Current Methodology in Elementary Ed. (3 hrs.)	_____	_____	_____	_____

COURSES FOR AA LICENSURE: SECONDARY (7-12/K-12 MUSIC &ART) CONCENTRATION:(9 Semester hrs.)

EDU 6523	Current Methodology in Secondary Education (3 hrs.)	_____	_____	_____	_____
EDU 5438	Teaching Reading in the Content Areas (3 hrs.)	_____	_____	_____	_____
EDU 6535	Curriculum Development (3 hrs.)	_____	_____	_____	_____

Master of Education in Teaching Arts Degree

This program has been designed to enable candidates to seek Mississippi Alternative Route Licensure with either an Elementary (grades 4-8) or Secondary (7-12/K-12 music and art) concentration. The elementary 4-8 program is a 33 semester hour program. The secondary 7-12/K-12 options are all 30 hour programs.

Admission, Maintenance and Graduation Requirements

1. Minimum passing score on the Praxis I tests: Currently: Reading 170 (PPST); Writing 172 (PPST); Mathematics 169 (PPST).

2. Minimum passing score on the Praxis II - Speciality Area Tests. The passing scores varies depending on the test area. See Department of Teacher Education for specific passing scores.

3. Maintain a 3.0 quality point average.

4. No degree requirement may be waived without the approval of the Graduate Dean.

5. When the candidate earns the Standard Class A Educator License he/she is eligible for admission to a content based M.Ed program. (Applies to 7-12/K-12 program candidates only) EDU 6537 and EDU 6538 will transfer into other content based M.Ed programs.

The following requirements should be completed at the beginning of the final semester of the student's graduate program.

X Make application for graduation with the Registrar's Office. (The diploma is ordered from this information)

X Apply for Oral/Written Comprehensive Examination with the Graduate Office.

At the end of the last semester, fill out a transcript request form and an application for Standard Class AA Educator License which must be sent to the Mississippi Department of Educator Licensure. These forms are available in the Teacher Education Office in Lowery Hall.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS.

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(Signature) **(Date)**

AREAS AVAILABLE: Art, Biology, Business, Chemistry, English, French, German, Home Economics, Music, Marketing, Math, Physics, PE, Social Studies, Spanish, Speech Communications, Technology Education, and Elementary Education (4-8 grades)

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