



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

FERGUSON-FLORISSANT SCHOOL DISTRICT and UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL MISSOURI

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) establishes the coordination activities between the University of Central Missouri (UCM) and the Ferguson-Florissant School District in offering the Elementary Mathematics Specialist Certification Program.

- UCM will provide 24 credit hours towards the Elementary Mathematics Specialist Certification Program. Courses include:
 - ECEL 5800 Internship in Number and Operations for EMS (1 hour)
 - ECEL 5805 Number and Operations for EMS (3 hours)
 - ECEL 5810 Internship in Rational Numbers for EMS (1 hour)
 - ECEL 5815 Rational Numbers for EMS (3 hours)
 - ECEL 5820 Internship in Algebraic Thinking for EMS (1 hour)
 - ECEL 5825 Algebraic Thinking for EMS (3 hours)
 - ECEL 5830 Internship in Geometry and Measurement for EMS (1 hour)
 - ECEL 5835 Geometry and Measurement for EMS (3 hours)
 - ECEL 5840 Data and Probability for EMS (3 hours)
 - ECEL 5855 Leadership 1 (2 hours)
 - ECEL 5860 Leadership 2 (3 hours)
- Courses listed above will be taught online with the exception of the four internship courses that will be taught in-person by adjuncts identified by the Ferguson-Florissant district. The adjuncts will be hired by UCM.
- Courses taught for the cohort identified by Ferguson-Florissant School District will be billed at \$235.00 per credit hour.
- Ferguson-Florissant School District will identify teachers eligible for the program and pay UCM directly for the course enrollment.
- UCM faculty will provide student/teacher personal advising sessions.
- UCM's Extended Studies will provide a virtual admission and enrollment session.
- Students/teachers are expected to enroll in an average four (4) credit hours each semester; three (3) credit hour course and one (1) hour of internship.
- Students/teachers must meet the minimum qualifications for admissions to UCM.
 - Candidates must have current certification in the State of Missouri,
 - A 2.5 minimum undergraduate GPA,
 - A minimum of one year of classroom teaching experience and a recent teaching evaluation
- Students/Ferguson-Florissant School District teachers wishing to seek a master's or education specialist degree will pay the board approved rate for the remaining courses/credit hours in the MSE or Education Specialist program.



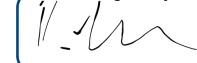
- Remaining courses towards an MSE or Education Specialist degree will be offered online.
- This MOU will stay in effect until Summer 2025.
- Any correspondence during the term of this MOU should be directed to:

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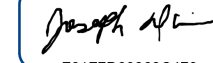
Phil Bridgman, Ph.D., Provost

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Joseph Davis, Ph.D., Superintendent

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