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Secondary Special Education Mathematics Endorsement

Application for the Utah State Board of Education

Applicant Information

Name: _____

CACTUS ID#: _____

E-mail: _____

Purpose

The Special Education Mathematics Endorsement is attached to a Special Education license. Candidates who currently hold a Utah Special Education Educator License and meet all of the requirements of the endorsement will be approved to teach all special education mathematics courses:

- 7th Grade Mathematics Special Education
- 8th Grade Mathematics Special Education
- Secondary Mathematics I Special Education
- Secondary Mathematics II Special Education
- Secondary Mathematics III Special Education
- Math for Personal Finance Special Education
- Math Decision Making for Life Special Education

Select Endorsement Type: Please check one

- This application is for a Professional Special Education Mathematics Endorsement
- This application is for an Out of State Licensure Applicant.
- This application is for an Associate Special Education Mathematics Endorsement. I have completed the following requirement(s):
 - Earned a bachelor’s or higher degree in the endorsement area
 - Completed at least 1 of the 2 Requirement Areas for the endorsement
 - Successful completion of Mathematics Praxis Exam (5169 or 5161)

Instructions for Completing the Application:

1. Complete the Special Education Mathematics Endorsement Application by filling in the table demonstrating how you have completed at least one option for each of the requirement areas.
2. Email completed application and required documentation to licensing@schools.utah.gov. Attach documentation to the email (e.g., MIDAS Transcript, certificates) and submit necessary University transcripts.

ENDORSEMENT REQUIREMENTS:

The Special Education Mathematics Endorsement has the following two requirement areas:

- a) [Content Knowledge](#)
- b) [Pedagogy, Skills and Dispositions](#)

Each requirement may be earned by taking University courses, completing the Microcredential(s), National Board Certification in Mathematics, Presidential Award for Excellence in Mathematics and Science teaching, or other experience that demonstrates knowledge, skills, and dispositions as approved by the USBE Mathematics Equity Specialist. Examples of other experiences could include teaching a University course, certification in a related area, or work experience directly related to the requirement.

If Taking Utah-Based University Courses Approved by USBE:

1. University courses are reviewed and approved by agreement with USBE.
2. Applicants must earn a C or higher in the course(s) taken (Classes with a grade of C- or below do **not** meet endorsement requirements).
3. Unless specifically indicated, **all courses require a minimum of Calculus I as a prerequisite.**
4. College Algebra and Trigonometry or Pre-Calculus are automatically counted for credit if you have successfully completed Calculus I.
5. Find approved courses and their corresponding course numbers from Utah Institutions of Higher Education [here](#).

Endorsement Requirement Areas Checklist

For a list of approved evidence of competency options by University that meet the endorsement requirements, please visit: [Course list for Utah Institutions: Secondary Special Education Mathematics Endorsement.](#)

Requirement Area (Aligned Area Competency hyperlink to more details below)	University Course <u>Evidence:</u> If this option is used, the application must include a transcript for each course below	College Major or Minor <u>Evidence:</u> If this option is used, the application must include a transcript with the Major or Minor posted	National Board Certified Teacher in Mathematics (EA NBCT Math) <u>Evidence:</u> If this option is used, the application must include the official record of completion from the National Board	Presidential Award for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching Awardee or Finalist (PAEMST) <u>Evidence:</u> If this option is used, the application must include the PAEMST or USBE press release or the email from USBE staff.	Micro-credential <u>Evidence:</u> If this option is used, the application must include the PDF copy of the MIDAS Transcript for each stack listed below	Exam <u>Evidence:</u> If this option is used, the test score must be submitted officially from the testing company to the licensing department at USBE
Special Education Mathematics Content Knowledge (C.1)	1a. College Algebra University _____ Course Code _____ Year _____ Grade _____ 1b. Trigonometry University _____ Course Code _____ Year _____ Grade _____ 2. Calculus I or Conceptual Calculus	Major/Minor in Mathematics or related field and including 24 semester hours of math including Geometry, Statistics, and Algebra coursework: Institution _____ Year _____ Evidence of 24 semester hours of math (highlighted on transcript). Coursework must include Algebra, Geometry and Statistics	Year _____	Circle one: Finalist or Awardee Year: _____		PRAXIS 5161 (Utah Passing Score 160): Date taken: _____ Score: _____

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	University _____ Course Code _____ Year _____ Grade _____					
	3. Probability and Statistics OR Statistics for Secondary Math Teaching University _____ Course Code _____ Year _____ Grade _____				Microcredential Bundle Year _____ _____ Posted in MIDAS Documentation Included	
	4. Algebra for Secondary Math Teaching University _____ Course Code _____ Year _____ Grade _____				Microcredential Bundle Year _____ _____ Posted in MIDAS Documentation Included	
	5. Geometry for Secondary Math Teaching OR Euclidean/Non-Euclidean Geometry University _____ Course Code _____ Year _____ Grade _____				Microcredential Bundle Year _____ _____ Posted in MIDAS Documentation Included	

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<p>Special Education Mathematics Dispositions, Skills and Pedagogy (P.1-4, D.1-5, S.1-6)</p>	<p>6. Special Education Mathematics Course for Secondary Teaching University _____ Course Code _____ Year _____ Grade _____</p>	<p>Degree in <i>Mathematics Education</i> Institution _____ Year _____</p>	<p>Year _____</p>		<p>Micro-credential Bundle Year _____ Posted in MIDAS Documentation Included</p>	
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Applicant’s Signature

I, _____, certify that the information contained in this application is true.

- I have attached any required documentation such as MIDAS transcripts, PAEMST, NBCT certificates, etc.
- I have attached original transcripts (Please note that copies are not acceptable). **OR** I have requested electronic transcripts to be sent directly from the university/college to transcripts@schools.utah.gov

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- The application is complete and approved.
- The application is incomplete, but the applicant qualifies for an associate endorsement.
Applicant is qualified by: Passed Praxis exam; bachelor’s degree or higher; 9 credit hours or more of coursework completed
- The application is incomplete and not approved for the following reason(s):

ENDORSEMENT SPECIALIST: _____ Date Reviewed and Returned to Licensing: _____