

## Application Process for Teacher Exploration Programs

Thank you for your interest regarding the articulation process for high school teacher exploration programs with our EDU 107 course.

There are no application forms to complete. Simply send a program proposal (hard and electronic copy) that documents how your program meets the following criteria:

- Be organized around Michigan's Entry Level Standards for Teachers
- Meet CMU's EDU 107 course objectives (see included copy of objectives)
- Have a fully delineated syllabus of the proposed program (goals, objectives, learning activities, curriculum, assessments)
- Be a two-year program (junior and senior high school years)
- Have a component of goal setting and self-assessment which requires students to be self-directed
- Require students to have at least 90 hours of classroom observation/participation in at least two different grade level configurations
- Include orientation/training for participating students/teachers/mentors
- Require that instructors have a master's degree in an educational field

Once your materials are received, an appointed faculty committee will review your proposal and send you its response.

As a reminder, once a program is approved, students completing the teacher exploration program at your school will be eligible for the credit as long as they meet the following criteria:

- Be accepted and enrolled as a student at Central Michigan University
- Have received a grade of B or better in your teacher exploration program
- Have completed two years in the exploration program
- Have submitted a portfolio that may be used by the committee

Credit will be granted during the second semester of their freshman year.

Students will be expected to meet all other requirements for admission to the Teacher Education Program.

Hardcopy program proposals should be submitted to:

**Teacher Exploration Review Committee  
Teacher Education & Professional Development  
Central Michigan University  
Ronan Hall 208  
Mt. Pleasant, Michigan 48859**

Electronic program proposals should be submitted to [tepd@cmich.edu](mailto:tepd@cmich.edu) with 'Exploration Program' in the subject line of the email.

**Program proposals must be submitted by March 1 of the calendar year in which you wish to initiate your program.**

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact Norma J. Bailey (989-774-5404 or [baile1nj@cmich](mailto:baile1nj@cmich)) or Lorraine Berak (989-774-4411 or [berak1ls@cmich.edu](mailto:berak1ls@cmich.edu)).

Sincerely,

The Teacher Exploration Review Committee