

Grand Valley State University
CLAS Academic Advising Center
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Teaching Endorsement Planned Program
Earth Science Minor – Secondary Education

Student Name: _____ Date: _____

Email Address: _____ SID: _____

Phone: _____

Transfer Institution(s): _____

Earth Science Minor – Required Courses

Course Number	✓	Course Name	Credits	Completed	Scheduled	Grade	Quality Points
GEO 111		Exploring the Earth	4				
GEO 112		Earth History	5				
GEO 319		Earth Science in Secondary Education ¹	4				
GEO 320		Geomorphology ¹	4				
NRM 140		The Climactic Factor	4				
PHY 105		Descriptive Astronomy	3				

Total Credits Needed: 24

Cumulative GPA: _____

Special Considerations:

¹ Pre-requisite GEO 112

Notes:

Departmental Approval: _____ **Date** _____

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Next Steps:

1. Apply to Grand Valley State University if you have undergraduate courses remaining. Click here for a link to the Admissions Application: <http://admissions.gvsu.edu/admissions/undergrad.asp>
2. Successfully complete all coursework
3. Successfully complete the State required test in your endorsement area

4. Complete the “endorsement application” form from the Registrar’s Office.
5. Submit official transcripts from all colleges and universities you have attended (do not resend if Grand Valley has all of your transcripts).
6. A returned approved Endorsement Audit from the appropriate academic department.

After all paperwork has been received and the recommendation has been made to the State, the Registrar’s Office will mail you a 90-day letter verifying the completion of your new endorsement. The State will send you the fee for a new endorsement. Once you pay the fee, the State will mail you a newly endorsed teaching certificate.