

**Visiting Team Program Summary/Team Recommendation**  
**PR/PE – Grand Valley State University**  
**February 20-23, 2000**

Specialty Studies Program Area: <b>Computer Science</b>					Code: <b>NR</b>
Program Level	Major (# Credits)	Minor (# Credits)	Group Major (# Credits)	Group Minor (# Credits)	Endorsement Only (# Credits)
Elementary					
Secondary		25			
K-12	34				
Source of Standards/Guidelines: International Society for Technology in Education				Pub. Date: 1997	
<b>Rationale for the Decision:</b> All standards met. The program is up-to-date in programming languages, including JAVA. The MTTC passing rate since 1996 is approximately 85% for 24 students.					
<b>Standards/Competencies Not Met:</b> None					
<b>Strengths:</b> None					
<b>Comments:</b> The department might consider the following suggestions for the minor: 1. Expanding the focus on application software to include desktop publishing, presentation graphics, and web applications. 2. Expanding the depth in programming content areas to include data structures, comparative languages, and algorithm analysis.					
<b>Recommendation</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	<b>Approve with Strength</b>	<b>Approve with Weakness</b>	<b>Do not Approve</b>		
<b>X</b>					