Planned Program: English as a Second Language (ESL)
Endorsement/ESOL Certificate
(24 Credits)

GRAND VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND COMMUNITY INNOVATION

Name	**Last 4 SSN**	_____
Address	**G-number**	_____
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Advisor checks all that apply:
1._____ Endorsement (1)
2._____ Professional Certificate (2)

	Credits	Grade	Notes
I. ESL Core Courses (21 credits) (1)			
EDF 633 - Race, Class, and Language	3		
EDR 620 - ESL Methodology, Materials Development, and Technology	3	_____	_____
EDR 634 - English Learner Language Development	3	_____	_____
EDR 635 - Teaching Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Students	3	_____	_____
EDR 636 - Bilingualism and Biliteracy Development	3	_____	_____
EDR 637 - Assessment of English Learners	3	_____	_____
EDS 637 - Explicit Language Instruction	3	_____	_____
II. Practicum (3 credits) (3), (4)			
EDR 685 - English as a Second Language Practicum	3	_____	_____
III. Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR) Requirement (5)	0	_____	_____

Program Requirement Notes

1) Requirements for the ESL endorsement (K-12) include the completion of courses listed on this planned program and a passing score on the MTTC Test 86, English as the Second Language.

2) Additional information on certification requirements can be found on the College of Education and Community Innovation website: **https://www.gvsu.edu/education/apply-for-certification-208.htm**

3) Students must apply in advance for each practicum course. Advisor approval is required. Apply online at **https://www.gvsu.edu/education/grad/application-login.htm**. Application deadlines: May 15 for fall enrollment, September 15 for winter enrollment, and February 15 for spring/summer enrollment.

4) All other EDR courses must be completed prior to enrolling in the practicum course. Practicum requires candidates to work with English Learners in their own or others' settings.

5) All students must complete Responsible Conduct of Research training as a graduation requirement. This online training should be completed prior to completion of 50% of the graduate program or prior to engaging in any research activity. Certification expires after 3 years and must be current while engaged in any research activity. More information may be found on the CECI website: **https://www.gvsu.edu/education/grad/responsible-conduct-of-research-rcr-requirement-54.htm**

Important Program Policies

* Students must apply and be accepted for graduate study in the College of Education and Community Innovation. Students who have not been accepted will not be permitted to enroll in coursework beyond 6 semester hours.

* Students have 8 years to complete the coursework for degree. Students who have not enrolled for 24 consecutive months must follow the program requirements in the GVSU catalog that are in effect at the time of their re-entry.

* Students must earn a cumulative 3.0 GPA or higher on GVSU graduate coursework with a letter grade of "C" or higher for all courses used for the program.

* The Graduate Academic Policy on the approval of course waivers, course substitutions, and individual program plans is applicable to graduate certificate programs.

* Students must apply for the certificate online through the Registrar's Office at **http://www.gvsu.edu/registrar**.

* All candidates applying for certification must initiate the certification recommendation process by self-registering in the Michigan Online Educator Certification System (MOECS) at **www.michigan.gov/moecs**.

Student Signature: _____   Advisor Signature: _____   Date: _____

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