

Add-On Endorsement Program of Study for Middle Grades English/Language Arts, Math, Science, and/or Social Studies (TN Codes 121, 122, 123, 124)

Total Credit Hours: 14. Contact Dr. LaShay Wood at jenningsjl@etsu.edu for advisement.

EAST TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY Clemmer College of Education and Human Development (Revised March 18, 2026)

Student Name:

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Required Courses:

- CUIAI 4957: Special Topics Middle School Curriculum & Assessment (3 credits) **OR** CUIAI 5450: Middle School Curriculum & Assessment (3 credits)
- READ 4557/5557: Adolescent Literacy: Assessment and Instruction (3 credits) for those seeking middle-grades English endorsement **OR** READ 4657/5657: Disciplinary Literacy: Assessing and Instructing Adolescents (3 credits) for those seeking middle-grades Math, Science, or Social Studies endorsement
- READ 4957: Special Topics in Reading Education Advanced Middle Grades English/Language Arts (2 credits) **OR** READ 5453: Advanced Middle Grades English/Language Arts (2 credits)
- SCED 4454: Middle School Science Methods (2 credits) **OR** SCED 5454: Middle Grades Science (2 credits)
- CUIAI 4957: Topics in Curriculum and Instruction Middle Grades Math (2 credits) **OR** CUIAI 5454: Middle Grades Mathematics (2 credits)
- CUIAI 4957: Topics in Curriculum and Instruction Middle Grades Social Studies (2 credits) **OR** CUIAI 5455: Middle Grades Social Studies (2 credits)

Instructions and Information:

- Contact the Certification Coordinator, Clemmer College of Education and Human Development, at telephone (423) 439-7562 or email teacherlicensure@etsu.edu. Office is located in 305 Warf-Pickel Hall.
- Teacher education students who are pursuing initial teaching license and wish to add credits toward an add-on endorsement may do so. Please be advised: an add-on program does not necessarily meet the requirements of a minor, and substitutions or approvals made for add-ons do not take the place of catalog requirements or departmental advisement for degree purposes.
- Courses counted toward an add-on must have a minimum grade of “C” (2.0) or equivalent unless otherwise stated in this program of study.
- Add-ons will not be verified unless all requirements for initial Tennessee teaching license are met.
- This endorsement can be added by coursework only, that is, by completing this add-on endorsement program of study, and does not require passing a content area assessment.
- When coursework is complete, please contact the Certification Coordinator to request the college submit the endorsement recommendation to your account in TNCompass.