

**2009 - 2010**  
**University of South Alabama**  
**College of Education**  
**Master of Education – Secondary Science**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Student Number \_\_\_\_\_  
 Advisor \_\_\_\_\_ Term Entered \_\_\_\_\_

**Minimum semester hours required: 33**

I. Curriculum and Teaching (6 semester hours required)	Hours	Sem.	Grade
SED 552 High School Curriculum	3	___	___
SED 564 Trends & Practices in Teaching Science	3	___	___
II. Foundations of Education (6 semester hours required)			
EPY 502 Psychological Principles of Learning	3	___	___
EDF 515 Multicultural Education	3	___	___
III. Research and Evaluation (6 semester hours required)			
IDE 510 Educational Research and Evaluation	3	___	___
SED 560 Graduate Research Seminar	3	___	___
IV. Science Teaching Field (12 semester hours, 500 level)			
_____	3	___	___
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**NOTE: The Science Composite teaching field requires coursework from at least two of these areas: Biology, Chemistry, Geology, Physics.**

V. Technology (3 semester hours required)			
EDM 510 Microcomputing Systems in Education	3	___	___

**All certification programs require an introductory special education course SPE 500 if not completed at the undergraduate level. This is in addition to the 33 semester hour requirement.**

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**DEPARTMENT OF LEADERSHIP AND TEACHER EDUCATION  
GRADUATE STUDENT CHECKLIST**

**Master of Education Degree Program**

1. Keep a copy of this program checklist and maintain it. You must complete all program requirements for graduation and teacher certification. Course substitutions are not permitted.
2. SED 560: Graduate Research Seminar, is an end-of-program course. ***Do not*** schedule this course until you are within two semesters of graduation.
3. Teaching field courses must be consistent with your area of certification. Your advisor must approve your choices for this requirement.
4. You **must** take a comprehensive end-of-program examination during the semester in which you complete your degree requirements. Application forms can be obtained from Student Services, UCOM 3020 or online at <http://www.southalabama.edu/coe/forms/compsapp.pdf>. (This requirement applies to all graduate students who complete the program, including those in the Educational Specialist program.)
5. Graduation deadlines are posted on bulletin boards in UCOM hallways and are listed in class schedules and the University Bulletin. Application forms are available in the Office of the Registrar.
6. Application for your class “A” teaching certificate is done through the Student Services Office, UCOM 3020.
7. Confer with your assigned advisor when you have questions concerning your program. ***Remember*** that advisors give advice, they are not responsible for your program. That is your personal responsibility.