

MICHIGAN ROUTES TO TEACHER CERTIFICATION

TRADITIONAL PA 451 (1976 as amended)

Who: not employed as
teacher during program
so permit or annual
authorization not needed

REQUIREMENTS

- Teachable major
- Teachable minor
- Reading course/s
- CPR and first aid
- Pass MTTC basic skills and content tests
- Student teaching
- Pedagogy courses

LEADS TO

Provisional Certificate
(valid for up to 6 ¾ years)
Employment in years 1-4
if satisfactory, earn
tenure after year 4

EXPERIMENTAL Administrative Rule 390.1153

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- No minor
- Reading course/s
- CPR and first aid
- Pass MTTC basic skills and content tests
- Student teaching
- Pedagogy courses

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- No minor
- Reading course/s
- CPR and first aid
- Pass MTTC basic skills and content tests
- Student teaching as part of teaching exp.
- Pedagogy courses

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Employment in years 1-4
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(valid for up to 6 ¾ years)
Employment in Years 1-4, if
satisfactory, earn tenure
after year 4

ALTERNATE PA 202 (2009)

Who: employed during
program completion so
Interim Certificate,
permit or annual
authorization needed

Who: Not employed
during program
completion

PRE-REQUISITES

- BA or higher degree w/3.0 GPA
- Must Pass MTTC basic skills and content tests
- Must clear fingerprinting and FBI criminal history check

REQUIREMENTS

- Teachable major and minor not required
- Reading course/s
- CPR and first aid
- Student teaching as part of teaching exp. if employed; if not 12 weeks of student teaching
- Pedagogy courses or equivalent (at least 12 hrs)

LEADS TO

Provisional Certificate or Professional
Education Certificate (requires 3 years of
successful teaching under the Interim
Teaching Certificate, MA degree, and 3
semester credit hours of diagnostic
reading), if satisfactory earn tenure
after year 4