

Program Articulation Agreement **Interim Progress Report**

TAOC requires each Program Articulation Committee to submit a monthly progress report to PDE. The first report is due March 15, 2011. The second report is due April 15, 2011. All reports must be submitted to PDE by the PAC TAOC representative.

Date 3/14/2010

PAC Field of Study: 4-8 Middle Level Education

TAOC Member Submitting Report: Phil Ginnetti

Project Status

Briefly describe the PACs progress to date.

At the PAC Kick-Off meeting in Harrisburg on Feb. 28, we identified 53 credits that would fulfill general education requirements. We also identified entrance requirements; including passing Praxis I scores, portfolio, clearances, and a 3.0 GPA. We identified some competency areas such as Field Experience (40 hours), Adolescent Development, Cognition, Intro to Special Ed, Technology and ELL. A chart showing current courses in each area at each school is being developed.

Resolved Issues

List issues resolved by the PAC since submitting the last report to PDE. Attach related documents, if necessary.

Unresolved Issues

List outstanding issues still being discussed. Attach related documents, if necessary.

Faculty members of the PAC are going to be reviewing NMSA and PDE standards for the 4-8 level. We need to determine another 7-10 credits of coursework based on the competencies.

We also need to verify that the 53 credits in general education would be needed at the community college, or if we can add more Education courses in the first two years.

Do we need to have a separate agreement for each content area? The original feeling was that we needed to pursue four separate agreements.

Next Steps

Outline the PAC's next steps in completing the agreement. Include a deadline for each step.

APRIL 1ST - Review of NMSA standards and PDE standards

APRIL 8th - Final Selection of courses - Is a face to face meeting necessary?

Additional Comments

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