



REQUEST AND RECOMMENDATION

Baldwin Wallace University

Adolescence to Young Adult Physical Sciences: Chemistry License

Request:

Baldwin Wallace University requests approval to offer a graduate level program leading to the Ohio Adolescence to Young Adult Physical Sciences: Chemistry License.

Profile:

Baldwin Wallace University is a private, not-for-profit university affiliated with the Methodist church that was founded in 1845. The university has a specific mission as an academic community committed to the liberal arts and sciences as the foundation for lifelong learning. Located in Berea, Ohio, the university has an enrollment of more than 3,000 undergraduates and over 500 graduate students.

Accreditation/Authorization:

Baldwin Wallace University is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission (HLC) until its next scheduled review in 2018. Baldwin Wallace University's educator preparation programs are accredited by National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) until the next review in 2018.

Background:

Baldwin Wallace University is submitting its request to ensure program alignment with Ohio standards and requirements. Programs leading to the Adolescence to Young Adult Physical Sciences: Chemistry License are valid for teaching students in grades 7 through 12. Baldwin Wallace University offers the program leading to the Adolescence to Young Adult Physical Sciences: Chemistry License at the graduate level.

Recommendation:

Baldwin Wallace University's Adolescence to Young Adult Physical Sciences: Chemistry License preparation program meets the Chancellor's requirements for program approval and the State Board of Education's minimum standards for graduate level programs leading to the Adolescence to Young Adult Physical Sciences: Chemistry License. Approval is recommended for Baldwin Wallace University's graduate level program leading to the Adolescence to Young Adult Physical Sciences: Chemistry License until the fall 2024 review cycle. It should be noted that the program is subject to periodic review by the Chancellor to ensure that the standards for Ohio licensure continue to be met.

Over the past three reporting years, fewer than ten candidates have completed the program. Due to the small number of completers in the program, the Ohio Educator Preparation Program Performance Reports could not be considered in the review process to determine acceptable or unacceptable ranges.

End of Comment Period: November 30, 2017 at 11:00 A.M.
No comments received, recommend approval

RECOMMENDATION

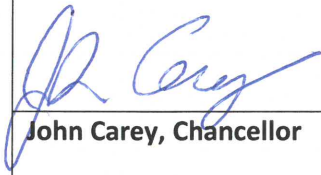
The Senior Director of Educator Preparation has verified that this institution has met the standards and requirements of the Ohio Department of Higher Education.



Jessica Mercerhill, Senior Director of Educator Preparation

11/30/17
Date

APPROVAL



John Carey, Chancellor

12/6/17
Date

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