



Board of Regents

University System of Ohio

John R. Kasich, Governor
John Carey, Chancellor

REQUEST AND RECOMMENDATION

Kent State University

Adapted Physical Education Endorsement

Request:

Kent State University requests approval to offer a graduate-level program of study leading to the Adapted Physical Education Endorsement.

Profile:

Kent State University is a public university founded in 1910 with a specific mission to discover, create, apply and share knowledge, as well as to foster ethical and humanitarian values in the service of Ohio and the global community. Located in Kent, Ohio, the university has an enrollment of more than 22,000 undergraduate students and 5,500 graduate students.

Accreditation/Authorization:

Kent State University is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association (HLC) until its next scheduled review in 2014. Kent State University's educator preparation programs are accredited at the undergraduate and graduate levels by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE)/Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP) until the next review in fall 2015.

Background:

Kent State University is submitting its request to ensure alignment of the program of study leading to the Adapted Physical Education Endorsement with the 2008 Modified Ohio/AAHPERD & APENS program standards. The endorsement may be added only to a physical education certificate or license, and is valid for teaching grades PK-12.

Recommendation:

Kent State University's Adapted Physical Education Endorsement program meets the Chancellor's requirements for program approval and the State Board of Education's minimum standards for graduate-level programs. Approval is recommended until April 30, 2021. 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.

End of Comment Period: May 12, 2014
No comments received, recommend approval

RECOMMENDATION

The Associate Vice Chancellor of P-16 Initiatives has verified that this institution has met the standards and requirements of the Ohio Board of Regents.

Rebecca L. Watts

5/14/14

Rebecca Watts, Associate Vice Chancellor of P-16 Initiatives

Date

APPROVAL

John Carey

5/16/14

John Carey, Chancellor

Date

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