

OFFICE OF QUALITY PROFESSIONALS
Summary of State Board of Education Items
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EDUCATOR LICENSURE

Approval to begin the Administrative Procedures Act Process: To Approve a New Endorsement Code #193 for Economics as recommended by the Commission on Teacher and Administrator Education, Certification and Licensure Development

Specifications:

The Certification Commission is recommending approval of the new endorsement code #193 to teach Economics. This will be a supplemental endorsement that can be added by 21 hours of coursework with an Economics prefix or by completion of the Master Teacher in Economics training. This endorsement can only be added to a 5-year license in Social Studies, Business Education or Marketing.

Rationale:

Economics is now being taught as a required course for all ninth grade students. Economics is one of the approved subject areas under the acceptable coursework for a Social Studies license. With the other subject areas of History, Political Science, Geography, Sociology and Government allowed for Social Studies, it is possible for a Social Studies endorsement to be earned with no Economics coursework at all. A teacher with that endorsement could teach Economics without ever having taken an Economics course.

Many teachers in our Mississippi high schools that are being asked to teach Economics have Business and Marketing backgrounds. Much of the Economics coursework in our colleges and universities are housed in the Business school.

If a teacher adds a Social Studies endorsement by challenging the Praxis II test in Social Studies, they must master the Economics component of that test, so Social Studies is still a viable endorsement to teach the Economics course.

The recommendation to approve a new endorsement code for Economics requests that the new #193 code for Economics only be a supplemental endorsement that can be added to an existing five-year license in either Social Studies (192), Business Education (105) or Marketing (318).

Attachments: Licensure guidelines page 30 and 33.

**APPENDIX A:
SUPPLEMENTAL ENDORSEMENTS THAT MAY BE ADDED TO A VALID MISSISSIPPI LICENSE**

**Supplemental Endorsements Added By Praxis II
Specialty Area Test**

<u>CODE</u>	<u>AREA</u>
102	Art Education
181	Biology Education
105	Business
185	Chemistry
119	English
130	French
134	German
208	Hearing Disability K-12
322	Home Economics
147	Technology Education
440	Library/Media
318	Marketing
154	Mathematics
901	Math 7-8
902	Language Arts 7-8
903	Social Studies 7-8
904	Science 7-8
166	Music Education
144	Physical Education
189	Physics
192	Social Studies
140	Spanish
221	Special Education (<i>Mildly/Moderately Disabled—K-12</i>)
910	Special Education Fundamental Subjects
196	Speech Communications
218	Visually Impaired K-12

**Supplemental Endorsements
Added by Completion of Approved Program
(Institutional Program Verification required)**

<u>CODE</u>	<u>AREA</u>
111	Computer Applications
114	Driver Education
117	Elementary Education (4-8)
143	Health Education
150	Nursery-Grade 1 (N-1)
152	Elementary Education (K-4)
174	Remedial Reading
177	English as a Second Language
182	Physical Science
207	Gifted
208	Hearing Impaired (K-12)
218	Visually Impaired (K-12)
221	Mild/Moderate Disability (K-12)
222	Severe Disability (K-12) added to 221 only
223	Mild/Moderate Disability (K-8) added to elementary only
224	Mild/Moderate Disability (7-12) added to secondary or special subject license only
310	Business & Computer Technology (only added to 105)
314	Vocational Guidance(added only to 436)
317	Cooperative Education(added to vocational license only)
328	Child Care (only added to 322 or 321—Home Economics)
329	Aging Services (only added to 322 or 321-Home Economics)
330	Clothing (only added to 322 or 321— Home Economics)
331	Food Production, Management, and Services (only added to 322 or 321— Home Economics)
440	Library/Media

**Supplemental Endorsements
Added with 18 Hours in Area Prior to September 1, 2004
and 21 Hours in Area After September 1, 2004
(Course work must have a grade of “C” or higher)**

<u>CODE</u>	<u>AREA</u>
102	Art Education
104	Bible
105	Business Education
193	ECONOMICS
119	English
123	Drama (Performing Arts)
130	French
134	German
135	Latin
136	Italian
139	Russian
140	Spanish
144	Physical Education
149	Journalism
154	Mathematics
165	Music Education Instrumental
166	Music Education Vocal
171	Psychology
181	Biology
185	Chemistry
188	General Science
189	Physics
192	Social Studies
196	Speech Communications
302	Agriculture
318	Marketing
322	Home Economics

**Supplemental Endorsements
Added by Completion of
MDE Approved Module, Course or Workshop**

<u>CODE</u>	<u>AREA</u>
193	Economics
992	Agri & Envir Sci/Tech
994	Technology Applications
995	Work-Based Learning
996	Career Discovery
997	Computer Discovery
998	Technology Discovery

**Supplemental Endorsements
Added by Completion of MDE Approved
MiddleGrade Professional Development Institute(s)**

<u>CODE</u>	<u>AREA</u>
Added to Elementary licenses:	
901	Math 7-8
902	Language Arts 7-8
903	Social Studies 7-8
904	Science 7-8
Added to Special Education licenses :	
905	Math 7-8 (Sped only)
906	Language Arts 7-8 (Sped only)
907	Social Studies 7-8 (Sped only)
908	Science 7-8 (Sped only)

(Endorsements from Institutes can only be added to an Elementary or Special Education license)

**APPENDIX E:
MISSISSIPPI ENDORSEMENT CODES**

<u>CODE</u>	<u>AREA</u>	<u>CODE</u>	<u>AREA</u>
<u>PRE-K/12 LICENSES</u>		<u>OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES</u>	
102	Art (N-12)	301	Vocational Agriculture-Related Program (7-12)
104	Bible (7-12)	302	Agriculture (7-12)
105	Business Education (7-12)	304	Vocational Agriculture Occupations (7-12)
111	Computer Applications (K-12)	305	Agripower and Equipment (7-12)
113	Computer Education (K-12)	310	Business and Computer Technology (7-12)
114	Driver Education (7-12)		<i>Added to 105 only</i>
116	Elementary Education (K-3)	311	Lodging and Hospitality (7-12)
117	Elementary Education (4-8)	314	Vocational Counselor (K-12) <i>Added only to 436</i>
118	Instructional Technology (K-12)	317	Cooperative Ed (7-12) <i>Added to voc. license only</i>
119	English (7-12)	318	Marketing (7-12)
120	Elementary Education (K-6)	321	Vocational Family and Consumer Science (7-12)
121	Dancing (K-12) Performing Arts	322	Home Economics (7-12)
123	Drama (K-12) Performing Arts	323	Design Technology for Fashion Interiors (7-12)
125	Music (K-12) Performing Arts	328	Child Care (7-12) Added only to 321
127	Visual Arts (K-12) Performing Arts	or 322	
130	French (7-12)	329	Aging Services (7-12) <i>Added only to 321 or 322</i>
134	German (7-12)	330	Fashion & Int Des & Merch (7-12) <i>Added only to 321 or 322</i>
135	Latin (7-12)	331	Food Production, Management & Services (7-12) Added only to 321 or 322
136	Italian (7-12)		
139	Russian (7-12)	335	Computer Systems Technology (7-12)
140	Spanish (7-12)	336	Computer Graphics Technology (7-12)
141	Health Education (K-8)	340	Electronic Communication Production (7-12)
142	Health Education (7-12)	342	Automotive Body Repair (7-12)
143	Health Education (K-12)	343	Automotive Mechanics (7-12)
144	Physical Education (K-12)	344	Building Trades (7-12)
147	Technology Education (7-12)	346	Carpentry (7-12)
149	Journalism (7-12)	348	Cosmetology (7-12)
150	Nursery - Grade 1 (N-1)	349	Custodial Services (7-12)
	<i>Added to 115, 116, 152 only</i>	350	Diesel Equipment Repair (7-12)
152	Kindergarten - 4 (K-4)	352	Electrical Trades (7-12)
153	Child Development (PreK-K)	353	Electronics (7-12)
154	Mathematics (7-12)	355	Health Cluster (7-12)
165	Music Education/Instrumental (K-12)	356	General Drafting (7-12)
166	Music Education/Vocal (K-12)	357	Industrial Maintenance (7-12)
171	Psychology (7-12)	359	Machine Shop (7-12)
174	Remedial Reading (K-12)	360	Brick, Block and Stone Masonry (7-12)
177	English as a Second Language (K-12)	361	Metal Trades (7-12)
181	Biology (7-12)	363	Plumbing and Pipe Fitting (7-12)
182	Physical Science (7-12)	364	Printing (7-12)
185	Chemistry (7-12)	366	Food Production, Management & Services (7-12)
188	General Science (7-12)	369	Heating and Air Conditioning (7-12)
189	Physics (7-12)	373	Small Gas Engines (7-12)
192	Social Studies (7-12)	376	Welding (7-12)
193	Economics (7-12) (added only to 105, 192 or 318)	377	Food Production (Meat) (7-12)
196	Speech Communications (7-12)	378	Furniture Manufacturing (7-12)
202	Audiologist (K-12)	379	Polymer/Plastic Technology (7-12)
203	Dyslexia (K-12)		
206	Emotional Disability (K-12)		
207	Gifted (K-12)		
209	Hearing Disability (K-12)		
211	Special Education Birth – Kindergarten		
215	Speech/Language Clinician (K-12)		
218	Visually Impaired (K-12)		
221	Mild/Moderate Disability (K-12)		
222	Severe Disability (K-12) <i>Added to 221 only</i>		
223	Mild/Moderate Disability (K-8)		
	<i>Added to elementary only</i>		
224	Mild/Moderate Disability (7-12) <i>Added to secondary or special subject license only</i>		
436	Guidance Counselor (K-12)		
440	Library/Media (K-12)		
451	School Psychologist (K-12)		
499	JROTC Instructor (7-12)		
901	Math (4-8)		
902	Language Arts (4-8)		
903	Social Studies (4-8)		
904	Science (4-8)		
909	Special Ed Elementary added by HOUSSE		
910	Special Ed Fundamental Subjects HQ K-12		
		213	<u>ADMINISTRATOR LICENSES</u>
		480	Administrator Special Fellowship
		486	Administrator (all three levels)
		494	Alternate Route Assistant Administrator
		495	Athletic Administrator
			<u>TECH PREP LICENSES</u>
		981	Information & Communication Technology I
		982	Information & Communication Technology II
		983	STEM Applications
		992	Agriculture & Envir Science Technology (7-12)
		994	Technology Applications (7-12)
		995	Work Based Learning (7-12)
		996	Career Discovery (7-12)
		997	Computer Discovery (7-12)
		998	Technology Discovery (7-12)