

2014 Mississippi Business and Technology
Framework Guidance
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Agenda

- **Overview of the 2014 Business and Technology Education (BTE) Framework**
- **Implementation and Transition to 2014 BTE Framework**
- **Endorsement Requirements**
- **Licensing Process**

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Overview of 2014 BTE Framework

- Content of the 18 BTE courses selected from CTE framework
- Reflected in MSIS after the system reboot for 2014-2015
- Framework will be updated by **June 1** each year to maintain alignment across BTE and CTE courses

Implementation and Transition

2014-2015 School Year

- Districts can offer courses from 2004 and 2014 BTE frameworks
- A business teacher can teach either framework with current endorsements
- Apply for a 3-year 405 Business Management or 411 Business Technology endorsement
- Can begin the process to complete the requirements for new endorsements (have 3 years to complete requirements)

2015-2016 School Year

- **ONLY** 2014 BTE framework course can taught
- Exceptions: Keyboarding and Computer Applications available until the end of the 2015-2016 school year
- Must have applied for a 3-year 405 Business Management or 411 Business Technology endorsement to teach new courses.

Licensure Application

Submit licensure application for three-year 405 or 411 endorsements:

1. Log in to the Educator Licensure Management System* (ELMS): <https://sso.mde.ms.gov/Login/Login.aspx>
2. Select the “supplemental endorsement” application and choose “approved program” from the drop-down menu and submit.

Endorsement Requirements

1. Must hold a current 5-year standard teaching license in one of the following subject areas:
 - 405: Business Education (105) or Marketing (318) or Economics (193)
 - 411: Computer Applications (111) or Computer Education (113) or Industrial Technology (118)
 2. Must be able to validate competency in the field of instructional technology (IC³ or other certification approved by MDE)
 3. Must successfully complete a certification for online teaching (C.O.O.L.)
 4. Must successfully complete a teacher preparation training based on the curriculum to be taught (Methods of Business Management (405) or Methods of Business Technology (411))
 5. After successful completion of endorsement requirements, apply for the five-year endorsement
- ❖ Have 3 years to complete requirements 2-4 above
- ❖ A more detailed description of each endorsement requirement can be found online in the *2014-2015 Business Technology Courses Memo and Crosswalk* at <http://www.mde.k12.ms.us/curriculum-and-instruction/business-and-technology>

Professional Learning Opportunities

<https://rcu.gosignmeup.com/Public/Course/Browse>

Endorsement Descriptions

Endorsement	Courses Eligible to Teach
405 - Business Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Business Law• Entrepreneurship• Accounting Fundamentals• Management Fundamentals• International Business• Sales & Distribution• Personal Finance• Business Finance• Business Fundamentals I• Management Essentials• Marketing Essentials
411 - Business Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Information & Communication Technology I & II (Academic Only)• Graphic Design I & II• Web Design and Media Rich Content• Introduction to Information Technology• Technology Foundations (Academic Only)

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