

OFFICE OF CHIEF ACCOUNTABILITY OFFICER
Summary of State Board of Education Items
Consent Agenda
June 19, 2025

DIVISION OF EDUCATOR PREPARATION

AF. Approval of Mississippi College's request to modify course titles and the approved course list for its licensure-track Media Arts (K-12) supplemental endorsement

Background Information: In accordance with Miss. Code Ann. § 37-3-2 there is established within the MDE the Commission on Teacher and Administrator Education, Certification and Licensure and Development. It shall be the purpose and duty of the commission to make recommendations to the Mississippi Board of Education regarding standards for the certification and licensure and continuing professional development of those who teach or perform tasks of an educational nature in the public schools of Mississippi.

On May 2, 2025, at its regular meeting the Commission on Teacher and Administrator Education, Certification and Licensure and Development granted approval of Mississippi College's request to modify course titles, remove courses, and add courses to its approved Media Arts supplemental endorsement, licensure code 103. Due to the quickly changing field of study, some of the previously approved courses are no longer appropriate and should be replaced by more relevant courses. Candidates are required to take ART 205 and must choose six (6) courses out of seventeen (17) on the approved course list to earn the twenty-one (21) credit hours required for the Media Arts (K-12) supplemental endorsement. The request is as follows:

Modify Course Titles:

- *From* ART 205 Introduction to Graphic Software
to ART 205 Introduction to Graphic Design and Software (Required)
- *From* ART 414 Web Design I
to ART 414 Interactive Design
- *From* ART 481 Digital Photography I
to ART 481 Photography I
- *From* JOU 333 Journalism 1
to JOU 333 Media Writing

Remove Courses:

- ART 206 Digital Presentation
- COM 335 Electronic Cinematography
- COM 336 Television Workshop I
- COM 338 Mass Media Survey

Add Courses:

- ART 216 Graphic Design II
- ART 315 Graphic Design III
- ART 316 Graphic Design IV
- COM 332 Video Design and Production
- COM 334 Digital Storytelling
- COM 360 Social Media Communication

No Change to Courses:

- ART 209 Digital Animation
- ART 215 Graphic Design I
- ART 281 Introduction to Digital Photography
- ART 317 Digital Illustration
- JOU 101 Journalism Laboratory 1
- JOU 334 Multimedia Journalism
- MUS 209 Introduction to Music Technology

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material: Attached

Mississippi College
Media Arts (K-12) Supplemental Endorsement (licensure code 103)
Recommended List of Approved Courses

Candidates are required to take ART 205 and choose 6 additional courses to meet the 21-credit hour requirement.

ART 205 Introduction to Graphic Design and Software (Required – 3 semester hours)
ART 209 Digital Animation (3 semester hours)
ART 215 Graphic Design I (3 semester hours)
ART 216 Graphic Design II (3 semester hours)
ART 281 Introduction to Digital Photography I
ART 315 Graphic Design III (3 semester hours)
ART 316 Graphic Design IV (3 semester hours)
ART 317 Digital Illustration (3 semester hours)
ART 414 Interactive Design (3 semester hours)
ART 481 Photography I (3 semester hours)
COM 332 Video Design and Production (3 semester hours)
COM 334 Digital Storytelling (3 semester hours)
COM 360 Social Media Communication
JOU 101 Journalism Laboratory I (3 semester hours)
JOU 333 Media Writing (3 semester hours)
JOU 334 Multimedia Journalism (3 semester hours)
MUS 209 Introduction to Music Technology (3 semester hours)