

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Advisor \_\_\_\_\_

Student Identification Number \_\_\_\_\_ T-4 Certificate in \_\_\_\_\_  
 Program Plan Initially Prepared by \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Degree Requirements (30 semester hours)**

**Professional Studies (15 semester hours)**

Planned      Completed      Grade

- \_\_\_\_\_ EDUC 603 School Philosophy & Teacher Leadership
- \_\_\_\_\_ EDUC 625 Culturally & Educationally Responsive Pedagogy
- \_\_\_\_\_ EDUC 651/652/653 Contemporary Curriculum Practices in ECE/MGE/SEC
- \_\_\_\_\_ EDUC 690 Intro to Educational Research (fall only; to be taken the fall prior to degree completion)
- \_\_\_\_\_ EDUC 662 Clinical Practicum (spring only; exit criteria; to be taken within last two semesters of program) (pre-req: EDUC 647, 690, and 687 or 688)

**Content & Methods (15 semester hours)**

**Reading Core (9 hours; required of all students)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ EDUC 647 Preventing / Diag / Correcting Literacy Problems
- \_\_\_\_\_ EDUC 687 Reading Theory: Research & Best Practices in ECE (fall only)
- \_\_\_\_\_ EDUC 688 Research & Best Practices in Content Area Literacy (spring only)

**Select one class (3 hours) from:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ EDUC 654 Children’s Literature
- \_\_\_\_\_ EDUC 655 Young Adult Literature

**Select one class (3 hours) from:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ EDUC 649 Writing Workshop
- \_\_\_\_\_ EDUC 698 Research project (spring only) (NOTE: If this option is selected, the research project must focus on a topic in reading education approved by the student’s Reading Program advisor.)

**Each student in the MEd program will demonstrate his or her ability to meet designated program standards by reflecting on artifacts in the professional portfolio. Artifacts will be created in designated courses and evaluated by professors prior to being selected for placement in the portfolio.**

**NOTE: Upon program completion, students must pass the appropriate PSC content assessment and complete a PSC application in order to be eligible for the T-5 certificate in Reading. The assessment scores and the application must be submitted to the Tift Certification Office for processing and submission to the PSC.**

**Record Review**

Reviewed on (date)	Reviewed by(advisor’s name)	Student Initials