1. **Catalog Description of the Course.** [Include the course prefix, number, full title, and units. Provide a course narrative including prerequisites and corequisites. If any of the following apply, include in the description: Repeatability (May be repeated to a maximum of ___ units); time distribution (Lecture ___ hours, laboratory ___ hours); non-traditional grading system (Graded CR/NC, ABC/NC). Follow accepted catalog format.]

   **EDSS 575 STUDENT TEACHING MIDDLE SCHOOL (6)**
   Equivalent of eight weeks of full-time student teaching.
   Prerequisite: Admission to the Single Subject Credential Program.
   Corequisite: EDMS 571
   Participatory observation and teaching in selected middle level secondary schools under the supervision of a classroom teacher and University supervisor, with a student teaching seminar.

2. **Mode of Instruction.**

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3. **Justification and Learning Objectives for the Course.** (Indicate whether required or elective, and whether it meets University Writing, and/or Language requirements) [Use as much space as necessary]

   This course is a required course in the Single Subject Teacher Credential Program. It meets the standards set by the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing.

   Students who successfully complete this course will be able to:
   1. Teach middle school-aged children from the various linguistic and cultural groups in California school settings in developmentally appropriate ways
   2. Acquire a repertoire of effective and efficient classroom management techniques and instructional strategies to utilize during their professional teaching career
   3. Assess student learning and diagnose student needs based on their responses to assessment activities
   4. Design standards-based units of study and lessons for a variety of student groupings and meet the differing needs of individuals within the class
   5. Implement lessons making appropriate use of class time and instructional resources
   6. Manage instruction, routines and student interactions efficiently and effectively
   7. Critically analyze the content and delivery of a lesson and appraise its strengths and weaknesses
   8. Act on feedback to modify and improve their teaching practice
   9. Establish professional, collaborative relationships with all school community members
   10. Examine relevant district, state and federal laws pertaining to the education of diverse learners, and the impact of those laws in educational contexts
4. Is this a General Education Course  YES NO
   If Yes, indicate GE category:
   A (English Language, Communication, Critical Thinking)
   B (Mathematics & Sciences)
   C (Fine Arts, Literature, Languages & Cultures)
   D (Social Perspectives)
   E (Human Psychological and Physiological Perspectives)

5. Course Content in Outline Form. [Be as brief as possible, but use as much space as necessary]
   - Keep a reflective practitioner journal
   - Observe the social and instructional environment of middle school classrooms and learn about students
   - Implement, interpret and use assessments to inform instruction
   - Plan instructional units and lessons suitable for whole class, small group and individuals
   - Develop subject-specific pedagogical skills for multiple subject teaching assignments
   - Monitoring all students' learning during instruction
   - Use a variety of strategies to make content accessible to a variety of learners
   - Manage student learning time efficiently and ensure effective student engagement in activities
   - Practice using methods to teach English language learners throughout the curriculum
   - Develop awareness and understanding of professional, legal and ethical obligations of teachers
   - Participate in opportunities for professional growth

6. References. [Provide 3 - 5 references on which this course is based and/or support it.]


7. List Faculty Qualified to Teach This Course.
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8. Frequency.
   a. Projected semesters to be offered: Fall X Spring X Summer X

9. New Resources Required.
   None

10. Consultation.
    Attach consultation sheet from all program areas, Library, and others (if necessary)

11. If this new course will alter any degree, credential, certificate, or minor in your program, attach a program modification.

Merilyn Buchanan & Jeanne M. Grier  02/19/03

Proposer of Course Date