

Advancement to Candidacy Form for Masters' or Specialists' Degree Programs College of Graduate Studies • Office of the Dean • Middle Tennessee State University

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1. A copy of your candidacy form should be submitted to the College of Graduate Studies according to your program's curricular requirements.
2. Please list course number & department, course title, and semester hours of credit as indicated below.
3. Secure the signatures of the appropriate persons and submit the signed form to the College of Graduate Studies, Room 114, Cope Building.

Name: _____ Student Identification # _____ Date: _____

Address: _____ Telephone # _____

Degree: MEd Major: Professional Counseling Concentration: Mental Health Counseling

If applicable: Minor: _____ Specialization: _____

Course ID # (including Prefix)	Course Title	Sem. Hours	Grade	IF APPLICABLE: <i>Transfer Credit Taken Prior to Attending MTSU</i> Transfer Institution	Substitute for MTSU Course#	Dept. Approval for Transfer Credit
	Prerequisites					
	Fifteen hours of undergraduate psychology courses <i>including</i> Abnormal Psychology & Basic Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences (minimum grades of "B" in the latter two courses): List of undergraduate psychology courses: _____ _____ _____ _____ _____	(15)				
	Degree Program					
PSY 5655	Foundations of Mental Health Counseling	3				
PSY 5260	Introduction to Psychological Testing	3				
PSY 5470	Theories of Counseling	3				
PSY 5720	Multicultural Perspectives in Psychology & Education	3				
PSY 6020	Theories of Personality	3				
PSY 6080	Interventions with Children and Adolescents	3				
PSY 6150	Career Counseling	3				
PSY 6170	Group Counseling	3				
PSY 6180	Lab: Group Counseling	1				
PSY 6230	Legal & Ethical Issues in Counseling	3				
PSY 6260	Pre-Practicum in Counseling	3				
PSY 6270	Practicum: Counseling	3				
PSY 6400	Psychological Disorders of Children	3				
PSY 6410	Development Across the Lifespan	3				
PSY 6540	Internship: Mental Health Counseling (2 semesters)	3 + 3 = 6				
PSY 6615	Basic and Applied Research Methods in Psychology	3				
PSY 6765	Diagnosis and Treatment Planning in Counseling	3				
PSY 6820	Family Therapy: Evaluation & Treatment Planning	3				
PSY 6885	Play Therapy	3				
PSY 7520	Assessment & Treatment of Addictions	3				

	<i>Language Research Tools (if relevant)</i>					
PSY 3020/302	Basic Statistics for Behavioral Sciences	(3)				

Signature of Candidate Date: _____

I certify the above degree plan _____ Date: _____
Signature of Graduate Advisor

This individual holds a professional license, or licensure requirements will be met by the above courses, if applicable.

Signature of Teacher Licensing Analyst (*Not necessary for mental health counseling students*) Date _____

Signature of Dean, College of Graduate Studies or Graduate Analyst Date _____

If Applicable:

Signature of Minor Advisor Date: _____

MST & MAT Students, only:

Signature of Chair of Educational Leadership Department or Elementary Education Department Date: _____

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