

# RESOLUTION TO APPROVE EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAMS Alabama State University (ASU)

**WHEREAS**, *Alabama Administrative Code*, Rule No. 290-3-3-.59(3), allows a program leading to an Alabama Professional Educator Certificate be approved through the Continuous Improvement in Educator Preparation (CIEP) program review process; and

**WHEREAS**, Alabama State University submitted their Class B Biology (6-12), Class B Business Marketing Education (6-12), Class B Chemistry (6-12), Class B Collaborative Special Education (K-6), Class B Collaborative Special Education (6-12), Class B Early Childhood Education (P-3), Class B Elementary Education (K-6), Class B English Language Arts (6-12), Class B General Science (6-12), Class B General Social Studies (6-12), Class B Health Education (6-12), Class B History (6-12), Class B Mathematics (6-12), Class B Music—Choral (P-12), Class B Music—Instrumental (P-12), Class B Physical Education (P-12), Alternative Class A Biology (6-12), Alternative Class A Collaborative Special Education Teacher (K-6), Alternative Class A Collaborative Special Education Teacher (6-12), Alternative Class A Early Childhood Education (P-3), Alternative Class A Elementary Education (K-6), Alternative Class A English Language Arts (6-12), Alternative Class A General Science (6-12), Alternative Class A General Social Studies (6-12), Alternative Class A Health Education (6-12), Alternative Class A History (6-12), Alternative Class A Mathematics (6-12), Alternative Class A Music—Choral (P-12), Alternative Class A Music—Instrumental (P-12), Alternative Class A Physical Education (P-12), Class A Biology (6-12), Class A Collaborative Special Education Teacher (K-6), Class A Collaborative Special Education Teacher (6-12), Class A Early Childhood Education (P-3), Class A Elementary Education (K-6), Class A English Language Arts (6-12), Class A General Science (6-12), Class A General Social Studies (6-12), Class A Health Education (6-12), Class A History (6-12), Class A Instructional Leadership (P-12), Class A Library Media (P-12), Class A Mathematics (6-12), Class A Music—Choral (P-12), Class A Music—Instrumental (P-12), Class A Physical Education (P-12), Class A School Counseling (P-12), Class AA Biology (6-12), Class AA Early Childhood Education (P-3), Class AA Elementary (K-6), Class AA General Social Studies (6-12), Class AA History (6-12), Class AA Instructional Leadership (P-12); Class AA Library Media (P-12), Class AA Mathematics (6-12), and Class AA School Counseling (P-12); and

**WHEREAS**, Alabama State University had a CAEP site visit in November 2021 and was granted continuing accreditation until June 30, 2029; and

**WHEREAS**, Alabama State University submitted programs through the CIEP review process during the August 2023 CIEP review session; and

**WHEREAS**, during the program review, all programs submitted were deemed met with conditions or met pending a few clarifications; and

**WHEREAS**, a review team visited Alabama State University for discovery and clarification on March 7, 2024; and

**WHEREAS**, Alabama State University has selected a new vendor for its Quality Assurance System and displayed its plans to move forward with the new system for data management; and

**WHEREAS**, Alabama State University was able to address all concerns during the onsite review of programs and documented compliance with all standards for the programs submitted; and

**WHEREAS**, Alabama State University submitted a progress report in September 2023 (i.e., revised course syllabi, matrix of program progression, evidence of faculty training in the

Science of Reading, evidence of newly adopted textbooks, etc.) detailing their efforts toward meeting the *Alabama Literacy Act* and the recommendations provided by Barksdale Institution for Science of Literacy; and

**WHEREAS**, the Alabama literacy review team examined the evidence presented by Alabama State University and determined that significant progress has been made toward implementing the *Alabama Literacy Act* requirements and recommendations submitted by Barksdale; and

**WHEREAS**, Alabama State University is engaged in a process of continuous improvement:

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, That the Alabama State Board of Education hereby grants approval of the following programs until June 30, 2031:

- Class B Biology (6-12)
- Class B Business/Marketing Education (6-12)
- Class B Chemistry (6-12)
- Class B Collaborative Special Education (K-6)
- Class B Collaborative Special Education (6-12)
- Class B Early Childhood Education (P-3)
- Class B Elementary Education (K-6)
- Class B English Language Arts (6-12)
- Class B General Science (6-12)
- Class B General Social Studies (6-12)
- Class B Health Education (6-12)
- Class B History (6-12)
- Class B Mathematics (6-12)
- Class B Music—Choral (P-12)
- Class B Music—Instrumental (P-12)
- Class B Physical Education (P-12)
  
- Alternative Class A Biology (6-12)
- Alternative A Class Collaborative Special Education Teacher (K-6)
- Alternative A Class Collaborative Special Education Teacher (6-12)
- Alternative Class A Early Childhood Education (P-3)
- Alternative Class A Elementary Education (K-6)
- Alternative Class A English Language Arts (6-12)
- Alternative Class A General Science (6-12)
- Alternative Class A General Social Studies (6-12)
- Alternative Class A Health Education (6-12)
- Alternative Class A History (6-12)
- Alternative Class A Mathematics (6-12)
- Alternative Class A Music—Choral (P-12)
- Alternative Class A Music—Instrumental (P-12)
- Alternative Class A Physical Education (P-12)
  
- Class A Biology (6-12)
- Class A Collaborative Special Education Teacher (K-6)
- Class A Collaborative Special Education Teacher (6-12)
- Class A Early Childhood Education (P-3)
- Class A Elementary Education (K-6)
- Class A English Language Arts (6-12)
- Class A General Science (6-12)
- Class A General Social Studies (6-12)
- Class A Health Education (6-12)

Class A History (6-12)  
Class A Instructional Leadership (P-12)  
Class A Library Media (6-12)  
Class A Mathematics (6-12)  
Class A Music—Choral (P-12)  
Class A Music—Instrumental (P-12)  
Class A Physical Education (P-12)  
Class A School Counseling (P-12)

Class AA Biology (6-12)  
Class AA Early Childhood Education (P-3)  
Class AA Elementary Education (K-6)  
Class AA General Social Studies (6-12)  
Class AA History (6-12)  
Class AA Instructional Leadership (P-12)  
Class AA Library Media (P-12)  
Class AA Mathematics (P-12)  
Class AA School Counseling (P-12)

Approval of the aforementioned programs until June 30, 2031, is contingent upon Alabama State University receiving CAEP accreditation. If the CAEP accreditation review produces any result other than full approval, the programs are conditionally approved until June 30, 2029.

Done this 13th day of June 2024