Revised Fall 2016

Name of Student _____ M# _____

SEC – MA ED
Murray State University
Master of Arts in Education and Teacher Leader Endorsement
Secondary Teacher Leader Track
(Grades P-12, 5-12, 7-12, 8-12, 9-12)
Program Guidesheet

This MA ED degree program is designed to fulfill course requirements for Rank I or Rank II classification. The program must be **PREPLANNED*** with one's advisor and shall consist of 30 semester hours of graduate level course work. For admission, applicants must hold a valid/current Secondary Grades (P-12, 5-12, 7-12, 8-12, or 9-12) Certificate, have a GPA $\geq$ 3.0 in the prior degree, and meet Murray State University guidelines for admission to graduate school. EDU 600 Introduction to Teacher Leadership must be taken as the first course in the core sequence. Graduate courses for the specialization component must be selected from the same content area as the student's undergraduate teaching major/area or an Educational Endorsement Specialization. At least 21 semester hours must be earned at MSU, and the requirements for the program must be completed within eight years of the time a student initially enrolls in any course applicable to the program. The student's progress will be continuously assessed throughout the program using established program checkpoints. A minimum grade point average of 3.0 is required for graduation. Students must complete EDU 600 before enrolling in EDU 639; EDU 639 should be completed before enrolling in EDU 640. **Exit assessments: Successful completion of capstone and two leadership projects.**

Professional Education – Core Courses (15 Hours)

EDU 600	Introduction to Teacher Leadership	2 _____
EDU 631	Classroom Mgmt. & Student Motivation	3 _____
EDU 633	Curriculum Development	3 _____
EDU 637	Instruction for Diverse Students	3 _____
EDU 639	Research to Improve Student Learning	3 _____
EDU 640	Exit Seminar in Teacher Leadership	1 _____

Other Course Requirements (3 Hours)

EDU 621	Advanced Methods of Teaching	3 _____

Specialization - Teaching Field/Educational Endorsement (12 Hours)
Advisor approved courses supporting the teaching field or an educational endorsement.

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The student and advisor have discussed this program and agree to the foregoing plan. *An official MSU Graduate Program form must also be completed and submitted prior to completion of the first course taken. The Program form is approved by a graduate advisor and the Collegiate Graduate Coordinator.

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Student's Signature Advisor's Signature Date