GRADUATE SCHOOL OF STEPHEN F. AUSTIN STATE UNIVERSITY
Early Childhood
Graduate Degree Plan
Seeking M.Ed. in ECH

To the Candidate

Complete items 1 through 6 below. Type or print plainly. Confer with the early childhood program adviser and the minor department adviser, if you desire a minor. Submit to the program adviser an official copy of your undergraduate and graduate transcript(s) and this completed degree plan. SFA graduates may secure a transcript copy in the Registrar's Office. Once the form has all required signatures, a copy of your degree plan will be mailed to you. Keep your copy in a secure location and refer to it each time you seek advising.

Should you need to do so, the Petition to Change Degree Plan can be completed and filed.

Responsibility for knowing the current Graduate Bulletin requirements rests entirely upon the candidates.

Upon completion of 12 semester hours of graduate work at SFA, you are required to complete the Admission to Candidacy form and submit it to the early childhood program adviser. The adviser will submit the completed form to the Dean of Education for approval.

1. **name** _____ Campus ID# _____
   (last) (first) (middle or maiden)
   preferred e-mail _____
2. **mailing address** _____
   (street or box number) (city) (state) (zip code)
3. **Bachelor's Degree**
   degree held _____ conferring institution _____ dates _____
   major _____ # sem. hrs. _____ minor _____ # sem. hrs. _____
4. **Master's Degree**
   degree held _____ conferring institution _____ dates _____
   major _____ # sem. hrs. _____ minor _____ # sem. hrs. _____
5. **Title of Teaching Certificate**(s) held _____
6. **GRE total score** _____ **GRE verbal score** _____ **GRE quantitative score** _____

Work to be completed for the EARLY CHILDHOOD MASTER'S DEGREE.

Give DEPARTMENT or DEPARTMENTS and COURSE NUMBERS.

	Completed Courses	Needed Courses (3 hrs. unless otherwise noted)
MAJOR: Early Childhood Education **27 hrs.**		**ECH 528, 531, 532, 525, 535** **ELE 584, RDG 501, SPE 564** — **24 hrs.** **ELE 575 OR ELE 595 *OR*** **ECH 561* (1hr.), ECH 562* (2 hrs.)** — **3 hrs.** *** required courses for candidates who did not graduate ECH at SFA**
OPTION **9 hrs.**		**Choose 9 hours from ONE of the following options:** **Option I** Standard Elementary: ELE 521, 522, 523, 527 **Option II** ESL/Bilingual Education: ELE 515, 505, 506, 507 **Option III** Reading: RDG 502, 503, 504 **Option IV** PBIC^: ELE 520, 521, 522, 523, 539 (1), 560 (1), SPE 503 (1) **9 hrs.** ^ not an option for certified teachers
TOTAL		

In recommending approval of this plan, the department concerned indicates acceptance of this candidate as a major.

_____ _____
Major Graduate Adviser date Certificate Officer date

_____ _____
Major Department Chair date Dean date