

October 18, 2022

Dr. Kevin Sightler
Director of Substantive Change
SACSCOC
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Dear Dr. Sightler,

St. Petersburg College is pleased to submit the following information regarding changes to its certificate and academic programs. Board approval was received on August 16, 2022 concerning these changes. Please accept this letter as notification of the closure of our B.S. in Middle Grades General Mathematics Education.

The change below regards closing a program offering and represents our teach-out plan.

Teach out of Program - Middle Grade General Mathematics Education (MGMED-BS)

The Middle Grades General Mathematics Education program (MGMED-BS) will be closed to further enrollment as of Spring 2023 due to consistent low enrollment within the degree program (only three students enrolled as of Fall 2022). Additionally, there is only one course unique to this specific degree program, and that course will be made available to complete online during Spring 2023 and as an independent study should any student need to complete it past Spring 2023.

As of the date of the August Board of Trustees approval, there were 3 students who had not completed this degree plan. These students were sent an email outlining the degree closure and advised to take the one unique course during Spring 2023. The College of Education will continue to track and work with each of these students to completion.

Faculty were informed of the impending change in conversations with the College of Education Dean. All instructors teaching the one unique course within this program will continue to teach the course through Spring 2023. Faculty credentialed for this program are also credentialed for and teach courses in other College of Education programs. For future semesters, faculty will be reassigned to other courses within other education programs fitting their credentials and no need for new employment is anticipated. Neither the students nor the instructors will incur any charges/expenses due to this teach-out plan.

If you have need for further information, please feel free to contact our SACSCOC Liaison, Sabrina Crawford at (727) 341-3118 or Crawford.Sabrina@spcollege.edu.

Sincerely,



Dr. Sabrina Crawford
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