Letter of Intent to Pursue Endorsement or Certificate

The Graduate School
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Students enrolled in a Valdosta State University (VSU) or VSU Georgia ONmyLINE (GOML) degree program, who wish to pursue an Endorsement or Certificate program offered by VSU, must complete this letter of intent. By completing this form, you certify the following:

- I am a current, active student enrolled in a VSU or VSU/GOML degree program;
- I intend to pursue the Endorsement or Certificate course sequence selected below;
- I hold the education– and/or certification- credentials needed to meet minimum eligibility requirements for this Endorsement or Certificate program;
- If using these courses for elective credit, I have consulted with my academic advisor;
- I understand that completing the Endorsement or Certificate may require completion of additional credit hours beyond the scope of my current degree program.

Student Information

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Current Program & Major

Advisor’s Name

Select the Endorsement or Certificate Program you intend to pursue:

- Gifted and Talented Endorsement
- Online Teaching Endorsement
- Certificate in Online Teaching
- Reading Endorsement
- K-5 Science Endorsement
- K-5 Mathematics Endorsement
- English to Speakers of other Languages (ESOL) Endorsement

How do you plan to use these courses? (check all that apply)

- Some/all of the courses required for the certificate or endorsement will be used to fulfill elective credits for my degree program.
- I plan to complete the endorsement/certificate courses in addition to the requirements for my degree program.

Indicate which semester you wish to begin the Endorsement/Certificate course sequence: ________________

By signing below, I certify that I understand and agree to the following:

- I have consulted my advisor about pursuing the Endorsement/Certificate.
- I understand that to pursue an Endorsement program I must meet all certification requirements outlined by the program.
- I understand that completion of the Endorsement or Certificate sequence may result in additional hours beyond the scope of my degree program.

Signature __________________________ Date ________________

Return completed form to:
The Graduate School
Valdosta State University
1500 N. Patterson Street
Valdosta, GA 31698-0005
Or by fax: 229-245-3853

You will be notified of the department’s decision through your VSU email address.

Please email questions regarding this form or process to goml@valdosta.edu.

For Endorsement/Certificate Granting Department Use

- Approved
- Request Denied
- Approved with conditions

Signature of Evaluator __________________________ Date ________________