

**Periodic Review/Program Evaluation
Follow-up to Prior Pending Approval**

**Recommendations from Review Panel Regarding Programs to Prepare
Teachers of Elementary Language Arts (BX)**

June 28, 2006

Institution: Central Michigan University			Date of Original Review: 10/30/02		
Program Level	Major (# Credits)	Minor (# Credits)	Group Major (# Credits)	Group Minor (# Credits)	Endorsement Only (# Credits)
Elementary			36-37	24-25	
Secondary					
K-12					
Source of Standards/Guidelines: Michigan State Board of Education				Pub. Date: 2000	
Program Assessment Summary/Recommendation					
X	Meets all standards and requirements	Not all standards and requirements are met		Insufficient documentation for program review	
X	Approval	Approval Pending		Approval Suspended	
Standards/Requirements Not Met:					
Additional information needed/action to be taken:					
Comments:					
<p>The revised Standards Matrix reveals a comprehensive set of courses providing broad coverage of the standards. Reviewers were impressed by the clear documentation of field experiences and a strong emphasis on writing and the writing process. The institution's Language Arts Interdisciplinary Program Council is set up to provide guidance and oversight for the program.</p> <p>As the institution continues to evaluate and strengthen this program, it would be valuable to focus on ways to measure, document and report candidate success, as the next round of program reviews will be based on outcomes.</p> <p>Congratulations on completing this arduous task!</p>					