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Dr. Karen Adams, Dean  
College of Education, Health, & Human Services  
Central Michigan University  
307 Ronan Hall  
Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859

Dear Dr. Adams:

The Michigan Department of Education is pleased to inform you that Central Michigan University's program to prepare teachers of Middle Level (ZL) has been approved. This program may be offered as a minor or as an additional endorsement at the elementary or secondary levels.

The program is subject to continuing approval based on the new seven-year schedule. Your next review will occur sometime within that new schedule; you will be notified when review and timelines are in place. During the period of 2005-2012, all periodic reviews will focus on outcomes that demonstrate the effectiveness of a program to prepare well-qualified teachers. Your institution is encouraged to begin collecting outcome data that is aligned with the teacher preparation program standards approved by the State board of Education for each specialty area.

Should you have questions regarding this approval or other aspects of this program, please contact Dr. Catherine Smith, Supervisor, Professional Preparation & Development Unit, at 517/335-0874, or Steven Stegink at 517/241-4945.

Sincerely,

Flora L. Jenkins, Ph.D.  
Director  
Office of Professional Preparation Services

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Enclosure

CC: Kate Jacobson  
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Steven Stegink



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