MISSOURI WESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY

Graduate Certificate
Program of Study Declaration

Student Name_____

Address_____
Street City State ZIP

Telephone_____ G#_____

Students are expected to read the regulations and policies in the **University Catalog,** the **Graduate Bulletin** and the **Student Handbook** and to conform to them. The student, not the University or a member of the faculty or staff, is primarily responsible for knowing the regulations and policies, and for meeting the requirements for a degree or certificate.

ADMISSION

- Official transcript showing completion of B.S. or M.S.
- Undergraduate GPA = 2.75 or higher
- Acceptance into the Prairie Lands Writing Project Graduate Certificate in the Teaching of Writing Program.

Applicants who are not citizens of the United States must receive a score of 550 or above on the paper-based or 61 or above on the internet-based Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL), unless the applicant is from a country where English is the native language or they possess a baccalaureate degree from a college or university in which the primary language of instruction was English.

REQUIRED PRE-REQUISITES

		Credits	Grade

Program:	Graduate Certificate	51C
Option:	Teaching of Writing	
Catalog Year: 2011-2012	**Expires:** 2014-2015	

Graduate Advisor_____

Student's Signature_____ Date _____

Program Director's Signature or Chairperson's Signature

_____ Date _____

Graduate Dean Signature_____ Date _____

Registrar's Signature_____ Date _____

PROFESSIONAL CORE COURSES — 12 Credits

		Credits	Grade
EDU or ENG 512	Teaching Writing with Technology	3	
EDU or ENG 610	Prairie Lands Invitational Institute	6	
EDU or ENG 612	Seminar in Professional Writing for Teachers	3	

ELECTIVES — 6 Credits

Six credits from the following:

ENG 500	Literature for Adolescents	3	
EDU or ENG 501	Topics in Teaching Writing *May be repeated for up to 4 credits	1-2	
EDU or ENG 502	Professional Learning Community *May be repeated for up to 4 credits	1-2	
ENG 503	Literature for Children	3	
ENG 567	Grammar and the Teaching of Grammar	3	
ENG 573	History of the English Language	3	

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- Filing of an approved Application for Graduation.
- Satisfactory completion of all required course work as listed on the approved Program of Study.
- Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 in coursework required on the program of study.

This form is not official until signed by the Registrar.