

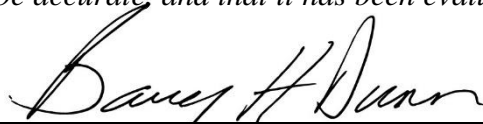


**SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF REGENTS**  
**ACADEMIC AFFAIRS FORMS**  
**Program Termination or**  
**Placement on Inactive Status**

<b>UNIVERSITY:</b>	SDSU
<b>DEGREE(S) AND PROGRAM:</b>	Early Childhood Education (B.S.) – Cooperative Elementary Education Program with DSU [SBS.ECE.DSU]
<b>CIP CODE:</b>	13.1202
<b>UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT:</b>	School of Education, Counseling & Human Development
<b>BANNER DEPARTMENT CODE:</b>	SECH
<b>UNIVERSITY DIVISION:</b>	College of Education & Human Sciences
<b>BANNER DIVISION CODE:</b>	3H

**University Approval**

*To the Board of Regents and the Executive Director: I certify that I have read this proposal, that I believe it to be accurate, and that it has been evaluated and approved as provided by university policy.*

  
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 President of the University

4/2/2024  
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 Date

1. **Program Degree Level:** Associate  Bachelor's  Master's  Doctoral
2. **Category:**<sup>1</sup> Certificate  Specialization  Minor  Major
3. **The program action proposed is:**<sup>2</sup> Inactive Status  Termination

**5. TERMINATION WITH ENROLLED STUDENTS**

**a. Provide a justification for terminating the program:**

The College of Education and Human Sciences requests to terminate the Early Childhood Education (B.S.) – Cooperative Elementary Education program with DSU. In May 2023, the SDBOR approved SDSU to offer an Elementary Education (B.S.) program.

**b. What is the plan for completion of the program by current students?**

Current students enrolled in the DSU Cooperative Elementary Education program are

<sup>1</sup> Note: Certificates, specializations, and minors may only be terminated and not placed on inactive status due to limitations in the student information system.

<sup>2</sup> Note: An inactive program is a program a university has authority to offer, but the program is not admitting new students and has not formally terminated. A presumption exists that inactive status is a temporary status; universities review inactive programs periodically to determine the feasibility of reactivating or terminating the program. Programs can remain inactive for five (5) consecutive years at which time a university must terminate the program. A terminated program is a program for which a university ceases to have authority to offer. Reinstatement of a terminated program requires university and BOR approval through the prescribed new program approval processes.

allowed to continue with their current program of study. SDSU currently has 39 students enrolled in the program. All students are anticipated to graduate no later than December 2025.

- c. What is the proposed date (day/month/year) program termination status begins (program status in the database changes to *Phasing Out* and last date a student may enroll in or declare the program)?**

Fall 2023

- d. What is the last date (day/month/year) in which a student may enroll in the program (program status in the database changes to *Phase Out*)?**

Fall 2023

- e. What is the last term or date (day/month/year) by which a student can graduate from the program?**

Fall 2025

- f. What are the potential cost savings of terminating the program and what are the planned uses of the savings?**

No cost savings anticipated; all costs transfer to new program.

- g. What are the resulting employee terminations and other possible implications including impact on other programs?**

No employee terminations are necessary.