



# Indiana Department of Education

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Dr. Katie Jenner, Secretary of Education

To: Indiana State Board of Education

From: Scott J. Bogan, Director of Higher Education and Educator Preparation Programs

Date: December 6, 2023

Subject: New Educator Preparation Program – Middle School Education - Science (5-9)

After reviewing all feedback received from new program reviewers and pursuant to 511 IAC 13-1-1, Sec. 1, (d), the Indiana Department of Education (IDOE) recommends that the Indiana State Board of Education approve the following new program:

**Ball State University – Middle School Education - Science (5-9)**

IDOE will continue to monitor the progress of the above program by reviewing all annual reports required of the institution, including candidate performance data.