



## **POLICY STATEMENT**

**Student Teaching Content Exams (ETS Praxis II or Pearson PECT)**

**And**

**Grade Point Average (GPA)**

The teacher certification programs require the appropriate ETS Praxis II or Pearson PECT exam(s). The exam(s) should be completed before the student teaching placement.

The specifics of this policy are:

- All candidates must take the required ETS Praxis II or Pearson PECT exam(s) or present a copy of the registration or seat ticket that shows the test(s) are scheduled prior to the start of the student teaching placement to the Office of Field.
- Once the candidate has taken the exam(s), he or she must report the scores to the Office of Field Services.
- Candidates will not be eligible for certification unless they pass the appropriate ETS Praxis II or Pearson PECT exam(s).
- Your B.S.E. degree through Clarion University requires successful completion of the required course work for your program, a 3.0 GPA, taking the required ETS Praxis II or Pearson PECT exams, and successful completion of student teaching.
- Once you are eligible for your CUP degree, it is the Teacher Candidate's responsibility to pass the required ETS Praxis II or Pearson PECT exams and apply through T.I.M.S to receive PA Certification issued by the Pennsylvania Department of Education.

I have read and understand that I must and have a 3.0 GPA to graduate with a Bachelor of Science in Education from Clarion University of PA and in order to receive a Pennsylvania teacher certification I must and pass the ETS Praxis II or Pearson PECT exam(s).

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_