Texas A&M University Commerce MS Physics with Teacher Certification – Fall 2021

Welcome to the Department of Physics & Astronomy. Here is some information that you might find helpful about the MS Physics with Teacher Certification (MPTC) program and what & how to register for classes.

WHICH CLASSES TO REGISTER FOR

(FALL START) A TYPICAL SCHEDULE IF TAKING COURSES ONLY IN FALL AND SPRING:

| | Fall | Spring |
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| Year 1 | PHYS 530 Physics Math Methods for Educators PHYS 531 Classical Mechanics for Educators EDCI 514 Management and Curriculum Development for | PHYS 532 Electricity and Magnetism for Educators PHYS 526 Quantum Universe for Educators OR PHYS 535 Thermodynamics for Educators ETEC 524 Introduction to |
| Year 2 | Diverse Learners PHYS 561 Astronomy and Astrophysics for Educators EDCI 519 Response to Intervention RDG 516 Foundations of Reading | Educational Technology EDCI 517 Reading and Learning PHYS 595 Research Literature EDCI 515 Evidence-Based Teaching |

(SUMMER START) A TYPICAL SCHEDULE IF TAKING COURSES IN SUMMER, FALL AND SPRING:

| | Summer | Fall | Spring |
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| Year 1 | • PHYS 530 | • PHYS 531 | • PHYS 532 |
| | Physics Math | Classical | Electricity |
| | Methods for | Mechanics for | and |
| | Educators | Educators | Magnetism |
| | • EDCI 519 | • EDCI 514 | for Educators |
| | Response to | Management | • EDCI 517 |
| | Intervention | and | Reading and |
| | | Curriculum | Learning |

| | | Development for Diverse Learners | |
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| Year 2 | PHYS 526 Quantum Universe for Educators OR PHYS 535 Thermodyna mics for Educators ETEC 524 Introduction to Educational Technology | PHYS 561 Astronomy and Astrophysics for Educators RDG 516 Foundations of Reading | PHYS 595 Research Literature EDCI 515 Evidence- Based Teaching |

THINGS TO REMEMBER:

- Please consult with your academic advisor (<u>robynne.lock@tamuc.edu</u>) or certification coordinator (<u>tracey.stedman@tamuc.edu</u>) if you need help picking from the classes, but please do that as soon as possible.
- Please consult the certification coordinator (<u>tracey.stedman@tamuc.edu</u>) if you need help with teacher certification requirements.