UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA AT LAFAYETTE

STEP Committee

Technology Fee Application

Online Praxis Exam for Secondary Education Majors

Title

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Name of Submitter

(Faculty or Staff Only)

EDCI

Organization

Title: **Online Praxis Exam for Secondary Education**   Date: 7-22-2020

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ABSTRACT (250 words or less):

This grant seeks $1,600 for the purchase of up to eighty Praxis II Secondary Content Online Interactive practice exams.

The Praxis II content exam is required for Teacher Certification in the State of Louisiana as well as graduation. Each certification area has a specific Praxis Content exam (Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary). While we have online access to online Early Childhood and Elementary exam through the Dupre Library, we do not have access to online Secondary exams. While on campus, Secondary Ed majors utilize the Materials Center, which has printed study guides with tests in their library. This semester EDCI 100 will be teaching the classes remotely and secondary students may not be on campus to utilize the Materials Center. Funding this grant should allow all students across EDCI 100 classes to take the appropriate exam.

1. Purpose of the Grant:
   a. Provide an online study guide and practice exam for Secondary Education majors taking EDCI 100.
2. Projected Lifetime of the Grant
   a. The study guide and practice test has a lifespan of 90 days.
3. Implementation
   a. Mr. David Lynch will administer the implementation of the grant.
4. Budget Narrative
   a. A total of up to 80 ETS Secondary Interactive Practice Test ($20 ea.) will be purchase for $1600. The actual cost may be lower depending on the makeup of students in the classes.
5. Previous STEP Grants
   a. Mr. Lynch has received a number of STEP grants over the last 15 years. The most recent of the awarded grants are: SSD Hard Drives for EDCI Macbooks, Apple Classroom for Education (2018), EDCI Mobile Computer Carts (2014), Macintosh Campus Lab Integration (2014), Materials Center Computer Update (2014), UAV's for Student Use (2014), Reading Lab Podium Computer Replacement (2015).

Budget Proposal

1.   **Software**   **$ 1600**

      TOTAL: **$ 1600**