

Michigan Alternate Route to Certification (M-ARC)
Additional Endorsement Pathway
CONFIRMATION OF EMPLOYER SUPPORT

Teacher's Name _____
First Last

Content Area(s) & Grade(s) Hired to Teach in 2020-2021 _____

District Name _____ School Name _____

School Address _____
Number Street

City State Zip Code

Principal's Name _____

Principal's Contact Information: Telephone _____ Email _____

STATEMENT OF SUPPORT

I understand the expectations of the M-ARC program as described below and support this teacher's participation in the 3-year program.

- As a participant in the M-ARC program, the teacher will receive an interim teaching certificate in the following endorsement area: _____
Endorsement Area
- The M-ARC participant will teach at least one course which aligns with the new endorsement area throughout each of the 3 years in the program.
- The M-ARC participant will participate in biweekly content methods seminars and program-sponsored workshops, which are legislatively required to maintain the interim teaching certificate in the new endorsement area. These requirements take precedence over participation in voluntary school activities such as extracurricular programs and committee meetings.
- A University of Michigan field instructor will periodically observe the M-ARC participant in his/her classroom.
- If the M-ARC participant successfully completes the 3-year program, the endorsement area will be added to his/her standard or professional teaching certificate.

Principal's Signature

Date