KANSAS STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

PERSONALIZED PROFESSIONAL LEARNING FOR EDUCATORS **Required Components of a Microcredential**

A Microcredential is defined as a personalized professional unit of study that is competency based and results in a credential. It can be used for formal and informal professional learning experiences.

COMPONENTS	DESCRIPTION
Overview	Rationale – description
	Hypothesis – purpose
	Tied to personal/building/district goals
Basis of Knowledge	Supporting Research which could include literature reviews or other resources.
	(Knowledge) what the educator uses to gain knowledge
Implementation	Job-embedded - applied learning
	Action in classrooms, buildings, district
	(Application)
Impact	Results, data, Artifacts, such as sample student work, video, pictures, documents
	(Impact) verification that the application of knowledge or skills has had an impact on student performance or educational program of the school or school district.
Reflection	Reflections on professional practice and or student learning, personal thoughts, student or staff feedback, including changes for future practices
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