



Master of Arts in Teaching Requirements for Admission into Residency

Teacher candidates must apply for admission into residency, and admission criteria must be met by the end of the semester prior to residency. To be eligible, a candidate must meet the following minimum requirements:

1. Completion of a content area transcript analysis, a minimum undergraduate content area 2.50 GPA, successful completion of Praxis II subject assessment test prior to full admission into the MAT Program.
2. Completion of all graduate coursework with a grade of 'C' or better
3. Attained the required 3.0 GPA for the MAT Program.
4. Attained passing scores on PRAXIS II Principles of Learning and Teaching (PLT) Grades 7-12, test code 5624. Official verification from the testing service must be received in the Department of Education Office prior to the residency eligibility deadline.

Completed applications may be returned to:

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Candidates placed in West Virginia public schools must complete the West Virginia Department of Education Form 24 –Clinical Experience Permit application, Form 7 – Release of Background Results, and verification of an approved permit must be on record prior to entering the placement classroom.

Note: Form 24 requires electronic fingerprinting, State and FBI criminal background check.

Residency Application

Contact Information:

Name:

Student ID Number:

Home Mailing Address:

City, State, ZIP Code:

Cell Phone Number:

Concord E-Mail Address:

Please Select Your Content Specialization(s):

Art PreK-Adult

General Science 5-Adult

Biology 9-Adult

Mathematics 5-Adult

Business 5-Adult

Music PreK-Adult

Chemistry 9-Adult

Social Studies 5-Adult

English 5-Adult

Wellness PreK-Adult

Placement County:

First Choice:

Second Choice (if applicable):

If you have relatives in public schools in the counties listed above, please provide their name(s) and relationship to you.

Name	Relation	School	Grade

Placement School:

If you request to be placed in a specific school we will attempt to secure the specified placement, *however, this cannot be guaranteed.*

First Choice:

Second Choice (if applicable):

Will you be completing residence in your own classroom (on-the-job)? YES NO

If completing residency on-the-job, you MUST be in the content field in which you seek certification

I am aware of the requirements that must be met for admission into Residency.

By submitting this application, I understand that my placement involves a contract between the University and the public school system. I will not request a change after the placement has been confirmed.

Name: _____ **Date:** _____