



College of Education Student Teaching Application

All fields must be fully completed for your application to be reviewed. Incomplete and/or late applications will not be processed.

Teacher Candidate (Last, First, M. I.)	GCU Student ID Number												
Street Address	City, State, Zip Code												
Home Phone #	Alternate Phone #												
GCU E-mail Address	Alternate E-mail Address												
Program of Study: B.S. Elementary Education <input type="checkbox"/> M.Ed. Elementary Education <input type="checkbox"/> B.S. Secondary Education <input type="checkbox"/> M.Ed. Secondary Education <input type="checkbox"/> B.S. Elementary Education/Special Ed. <input type="checkbox"/> M.Ed. Special Education <input type="checkbox"/> B.S. Early Childhood Education <input type="checkbox"/> M.Ed. Early Childhood Education <input type="checkbox"/>													
Content/ Professional Knowledge Examinations Please list all examinations you have successfully completed. Please submit copies of exam results with application materials.													
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Placement Information Semester: Fall <input type="checkbox"/> Spring <input type="checkbox"/> Year _____													
Grade Level Preference (based on program of study): Early Childhood Education: Birth – PK and K- 3 (Both placements are required) Elementary Education: K-4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5-6 <input type="checkbox"/> 7-8 <input type="checkbox"/> (Choose one) No Preference <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary Education: 7-12 <input type="checkbox"/> 7-8 <input type="checkbox"/> 9-12 <input type="checkbox"/> (Choose one) No Preference <input type="checkbox"/> Content Area(s): _____ Special Education: K-4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5-6 <input type="checkbox"/> 7-8 <input type="checkbox"/> 9-12 <input type="checkbox"/> (Choose one) No Preference <input type="checkbox"/> NOTE: B.S. Elementary/Special Education learners are required to indicate an elementary AND a special education placement preference. Are you currently a contracted teacher and plan to utilize your classroom for student teaching (classroom setting must be appropriate for program of study)? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, submit Student Teaching Placement Agreement with application (skip school preference section).													
School Preference In order of preference, list 3 schools (in at least 2 different districts) where you would like to conduct your student teaching experience. Schools must be state licensed or accredited to qualify for placement. Incomplete preferences will not be accepted.													
Preference 1:	School Name												
School Address	City, State, Zip Code												
School Phone #	Cooperating Teacher Request (optional)												
School District	District Phone #												

District Student Teaching Contact	District Contact E-mail Address
Preference 2:	School Name
School Address	City, State, Zip Code
School Phone #	Cooperating Teacher Request (optional)
School District	District Phone #
District Student Teaching Contact	District Contact E-mail Address

Preference 3:	School Name
School Address	City, State, Zip Code
School Phone #	Cooperating Teacher Request (optional)
School District	District Phone #
District Student Teaching Contact	District Contact E-mail Address

I have read, and I understand the information in the Teacher Candidate Manual and acknowledge the following with regard to student teaching through the College of Education at Grand Canyon University:

- I understand that student teaching is a 16-week, full-time commitment, scheduled in two consecutive 8-week sessions.
- I understand that the Teacher Education Specialist facilitates all student teaching placements and that I should not attempt to make arrangements with any prospective school districts.
- I understand that Grand Canyon University cannot guarantee placement in a specific location or district, as all placements are dependent upon school district and University guidelines.
- I understand placements are sought based upon my listed preferences and should I decline a confirmed placement; a future placement will be attempted but not guaranteed.
- I understand that to be eligible for student teaching I must:
 - Complete all coursework in my program of study and applicable exams
 - Maintain a minimum GPA of 2.8 for undergraduate students and 3.0 for graduate students
 - Provide Grand Canyon University with appropriate fingerprint clearance documentation
- I understand that during the placement process I might be required to complete additional district requirements at my own expense.
- I understand that I must receive formal notification from my Teacher Education Specialist that my placement has been approved before I can begin student teaching.
- I understand that student teaching may only be repeated once.
- I understand that Grand Canyon University's College of Education is approved by the Arizona State Board of Education and the Arizona Department of Education to offer Institutional Recommendations for the certification of elementary, secondary, special education teachers, and administrators in the state of Arizona.
- I understand that I am responsible for contacting my residing state's Department of Education or Licensure Department for certification requirements and program approval information

I hereby certify that all information provided on this application is true and correct.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please fill out completely and return with any additional required documentation to:

Your Assigned Teacher Education Specialist

If you have questions or are unsure who to contact, please call 1-800-800-9776

Request to speak to your Teacher Education Specialist

Application Deadlines:

Spring Placement – September 1st

Fall Placement – February 1st