

Teacher Education Admission Requirements

Transition Point I: Pre-Admission

- ❖ C or better in the following:
 - EDUC 1143
 - ENGL 1013
 - ENGL 1023
 - MATH 1003 or MATH 1043
 - SPCH 1023, 2203, or 2283
- ❖ Praxis I: PPST (Passing scores for all three areas)
 - Reading
 - Writing
 - Math
- ❖ B or better in EDUC 2233 (Prerequisite: EDUC 1143)
- ❖ B or better in EDUC 2253 (Prerequisite: EDUC 1143)
- ❖ Cumulative GPA of 2.65 or better
- ❖ Completion of Portfolio Competencies for Transition Point I
- ❖ Completion of Application for Admission to Teacher Education: Two letters of recommendation
- ❖ Successful interview with Teacher Education Committee

Admission to Teacher Education Program

NOTE: Candidates will not be permitted to take education courses beyond EDUC 1143, EDUC 2233, and EDUC 2253 without being admitted to the Teacher Education Program.

Transition Point II: Teacher Education Program

- ❖ B or better in EDUC 3203 (Prerequisite: Admission to Teacher Education Program)
- ❖ B or better in EDUC 3563 (Prerequisite: Admission to Teacher Education Program)
- ❖ Cumulative GPA of 2.75 or better for admission to Transition Point III: Clinical Internship
- ❖ PRAXIS II: Subject Assessment(s): Passing score(s) for appropriate area of licensure
- ❖ Completion of Portfolio Competencies for Transition Point II
- ❖ Completion of Application for Admission to Clinical Internship I
- ❖ Submit to a State of Arkansas and F.B.I. background check

Admission to Clinical Internship

NOTE: To be admitted to Transition Point III, Clinical Internship, candidates must complete all requirements listed in Transition Point II, Teacher Education Program.

Transition Point III: Clinical Internship

Clinical Internship I:

- ❖ Cumulative GPA of 2.75 or better
- ❖ Completion of formative observations and summative evaluations
- ❖ Completion of Portfolio Competences for Internship I
- ❖ PRAXIS II: Principles of Learning and Teaching (PLT)
 - Passing score for appropriate grade level

Clinical Internship II:

- ❖ Cumulative GPA of 2.75 or better
- ❖ Completion of formative observations and summative evaluations
- ❖ Completion of Portfolio Competencies for Transition Point III

Graduation and Licensure

Transition Point IV: Graduation

- ❖ GPA of 2.75 or better
- ❖ Completion of all degree requirements
- ❖ Degree conferral

NOTE: These admission requirements are subject to change as required by the Arkansas Department of Education (ADE) or as approved by the UAM Teacher Education Committee.