

University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg
Department of Education -- SECONDARY
Application for Pre-Student Teaching and Student Teaching

Dear Teacher Candidate: This application must be fully completed in order for you to be placed in pre-student teaching and student teaching. If any of the benchmarks have not been completed or are left blank, you are at risk for not having your application accepted.

Please follow all directions and return this form by the deadline January 15th (for pre-student teaching in the fall) or September 15th (for pre-student teaching in the spring) Ms. Cheryl Bailey, 211 Cassell Hall, 150 Finoli Drive, Greensburg, PA 15601

Name _____ PeopleSoft # _____

Current Address _____

Home Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

____ Secondary: *Discipline:* _____ Dual Major: Yes No

Current GPA: _____ Current GPA in Major : _____

Please complete the following:

____ Completion of a minimum of 84 credits (including __ in major)

____ 3.0 minimum overall QPA

____ 2.75 minimum QPA in Secondary Content Area Courses

____ Required hours in the field (100 hours minimum)

____ Achievement of acceptable dispositions (see Disposition Rubric)

____ Take Praxis II* (Content Area Test(s) for secondary (7-12) certification candidates;)**

* *Needs to be taken or completed prior to entering student teaching*

** *If applying for more than one certification area, all Praxis II content tests should be taken*

Test: _____ Score: _____ Passing: Y N

Updated Clearances Needed:

- Request them by April 1st for pre-student teaching in the autumn
- Request them by December 1st for pre-student teaching in the spring

- ___ Criminal background check (Act 34)
- ___ Child abuse background check (Act 151)
- ___ TB Test

School District from which you graduated: _____

School Districts in which you have relatives or children: *(Check all that apply.)*

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| ___ Belle Vernon | ___ Gateway | ___ Kiski | ___ Penn Trafford |
| ___ Connellsville | ___ Greensburg Salem | ___ Latrobe | ___ Plum |
| ___ Derry | ___ Hempfield | ___ Mt. Pleasant | ___ Southmoreland |
| ___ Franklin Regional | ___ Jeannette | ___ Norwin | ___ Yough |

Requested School District in which to pre-student teach and student teach:
(Choose 5 and rank in order of preference with 1 being the most desired.)

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Specify the grade level most desired:

(Choose 2, and rank in order of preference with 1 being the most desired.)

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| Secondary: _____ Middle School | PK-4: _____ K-1 |
| _____ High School | _____ 2-4 |

I plan to begin my Pre-Student Teaching during the _____ (Fall/Spring) of _____ (year) with the expectation that I will begin Student Teaching the following semester.

Student Signature

Date

Students will be notified of their placement or rejection. Students are NOT to contact schools or teachers for placements. Do NOT request to be in the district from which you graduated. Placement requests will be attempted, but not guaranteed.