

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL STUDIES

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COLLEGE OF EDUCATION & HUMAN ECOLOGY

POPULATION

Students	
Graduate	1,061
Undergraduate	4,446
Faculty (including regional campuses)	155
Staff (including research centers)	594

DIVERSITY

Students of color, undergraduate	15.47%
Students of color, graduate	16.37%
Minority faculty	23.3%
Minority staff	23.3%

DEPARTMENTS

Educational Studies
Human Sciences
Teaching and Learning

RESEARCH AND OUTREACH

CETE
Crane Center for Early Childhood Research
and Policy
Metro Early College High School
Ohio Resource Center
Schoenbaum Family Center at Weinland Park
Walter E. Dennis Learning Center

Graduate Application Checklist—M.A.

Deadline December 1 for most specializations (see exceptions below)

BEFORE YOU APPLY:

The Department of Educational Studies requires that you upload all application documents (including copies of official transcripts) with your online application. The only exceptions are official test scores (which are sent electronically from the testing center) and electronic letters of recommendation (which are submitted by the recommender after the application is submitted).

Please see our Prospective Student web page go.osu.edu/esprospective for helpful tips to prepare your application. Pay close attention to information about uploading transcripts and preparing to have your recommendation letters submitted electronically.

All MA applications are due on December 1 for fall admission the following year. **Exceptions:** *Educational Administration and Workforce Development and Education*: November 1 for Spring Semester; March 1 for Summer Term; April 1 for Fall Semester.

CHECKLIST:

- Apply online.** Follow the link to “Find Your Program” at gpadmissions.osu.edu. The application opens after August 1. Application fees are non-refundable. *Fee only applies to students new to Ohio State.
- Transcripts.** One original copy of transcripts from each university-level school attended should be uploaded.
- Statement of Purpose.** See go.osu.edu/esprospective for more details on writing a statement of purpose.

- Curriculum vitae/resume.**
- Official GRE scores.** Send to institution code 1592 only. GRE Scores are required of most MA applicants. Applicants to *Educational Administration, Philosophy & History of Education, Special Education and Workforce Development and Education* are only required to submit GRE scores when the cumulative undergraduate or graduate GPA is less than 3.0.
- Letters of recommendation.** Three letters from individuals who have personal, academic and/or supervisory knowledge of your capabilities. Letters must be submitted electronically by your recommenders. Follow the directions included in the application.
- Writing sample.** The following programs require writing samples: *Educational Policy, Teacher Education, Policy and Leadership, Educational Psychology, and Philosophy and History of Education.*

INTRA UNIVERSITY TRANSFERS:

IF you previously enrolled as a degree seeking graduate student at Ohio State, you will submit a Transfer of Graduate Program application. The application can be found at gpadmissions.osu.edu/apply/grad.html. Choose the application type that best suits your current situation and then choose Intra-University Transfer. Upload all the documents listed above into your online application. If a copy of your previous academic file is available, please have that department send it to EdStudies@osu.edu. If your transcripts and your GRE scores are included in your previous file, you do not need to submit new copies. You DO need to submit transcripts for any coursework completed since leaving your previous program.