Admission Requirements for the Master of Arts in Elementary Education or Master of Arts in Exceptional Child are:

1. The applicant must have a valid teaching certificate OR a qualifying score on the state content exam appropriate for that certificate OR be in the 50th percentile verbal and analytic components of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE).

2. Undergraduate grade point average of 2.75.

3. The program admission process must be completed within one calendar year. Failure to do so will result in reclassification as a non-degree student. Reinstatement to degree-seeking status will require a new application for admission. Courses taken prior to full admission will not necessarily be accepted toward meeting degree requirements.

Admission Requirements for the Master of Arts in Teaching: Exceptional Child are:

Full Admission

1. Undergraduate grade point average of 2.75

2. Pre-Requisite Courses:
   CF/PY 120 The Child OR PY 521 Advanced Child Development (or equivalent courses)
   EX 390 Psychology and Education of Children with Exceptionalities OR EX 635 Psychology and Education of Students with Special Needs (or equivalent courses)

Provisional Admission

1. Undergraduate grade point average of 2.75

2. Completion of Pre-Requisite courses within one year of provisional admission:
   CF/PY 120 The Child OR PY 521 Advanced Child Development (or equivalent courses)
   EX 390 Psychology and Education of Children with Exceptionalities OR EX 635 Psychology and Education of Students with Special Needs (or equivalent courses)

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