

**Northern Marianas College
School of Education**

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TEACHER CANDIDACY ADMISSION APPLICATION

FALL application is due April 30th and SPRING application is due November 1st

Semester Applying For:	
FALL	SPRING

Application for Teacher Candidacy takes place during the semester in which students complete 57 semester hours of acceptable college credits and met all the specific prerequisite requirements. All courses must be completed with a grade of “C” or better.

Full Legal Name		
Last:	First:	Middle:

NMC Student I.D. #:	Date of Birth:	Gender:
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Major – Bachelor of Science in Education, Concentration in:
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Mailing Address:

Home Phone:	Work Phone:	Cell Phone:
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Student Email Address:

Personal Email Address:

Have you applied to the School of Education before?
Please place an X on the line: No ___ Yes ___ If yes, please state date: _____

Teacher Candidacy Portfolio Requirements

Instructions:

You are required to develop a paper-based (binder) portfolio or an e-portfolio to assemble the Teacher Candidacy (TC) requirements listed below. If you choose an e-portfolio, you must ensure that you provide access and downloading rights to the TC Coordinator, Ms. Rosaline Cepeda (rosaline.cepeda@marians.edu). Your portfolio must include a title page with your name, and a table of contents.

1. **Teacher Candidacy (TC) Admission Application**

The TC admission application must be filled in, signed, and dated.

2. **Letters of Recommendation**

Obtain three (3) letters of recommendation from current or former instructors or employers (letters should not be from relatives or friends). The letters must be signed by the recommenders. Content of the letters will be evaluated based on collaboration, academic commitment and excellence, and personal conduct (i.e. integrity, honesty, initiative, resourcefulness, and responsibility).

3. **Resume or Curriculum Vitae**

Submit a formal document summarizing your background information related to your education, academic achievements, acquired skills, previous and present jobs, volunteer work, professional developments attended, and personal interests.

4. **Statement of Purpose Essay**

Attach a typewritten double-spaced essay outlining individual reasons for entering the Northern Marianas College School of Education. Include a brief autobiographical sketch (i.e., school experiences, work-related experiences, etc.); explain individual interest and commitment to this educational program. Include your future career goals and what you can offer.

5. **Safety Assurance Documentation**

Obtain and submit a clean **Police Clearance** from the CNMI Department of Public Safety, and a **Health Clearance** from any clinic in the CNMI, processed within the last 12 months. You may use the NMC Health Evaluation form.

6. **57 Acceptable College Course Credits (with a grade of 'C' or better)**

Must complete 57 general education college course credits including EN101, EN202, MA132 (or higher); PY101, HISTORY COURSE, CO210, ED211, ED205, ED282, ED290 (formerly ED480).

7. **Photo**

Include a 2x2 sized photo of yourself.

8. **GPA**

You must have a GPA of 2.80 or better to be accepted into the program.

Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offense? No: _____ Yes: _____

If you answered yes to the above question, give a brief description:

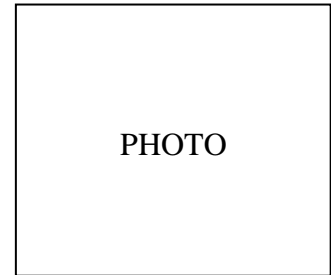
I hereby certify that I have read the information detailed in this application and that the information submitted is complete and correct. I recognize that any intentional misrepresentation may be grounds for non-admittance or dis-enrollment from the School of Education. I authorize the Northern Marianas College School of Education to obtain information from my current and past employers or from any individual listed on this application form and attachments, and waive the right to hold liable those persons from providing any requested information. It is understood that such information is to be held confidential.

Signature

Date

(FOR OFFICE USE ONLY)

**Northern Marianas College
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Teacher Candidacy Requirements
B.S. Degree Education**



Name _____

Student ID# _____

Email _____

Phone # _____

ITEM	REQUIREMENT	COMPLETION	ALTERNATE
Specific Pre-Requisite Requirements: (All courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or better)			
English Composition I	EN 101		
English Composition II	EN 202		
Math	MA 132 or higher		
Psychology	PY 101		
History	Any History		
Fundamentals of Speech Communication	CO 210		
Intro. to Teaching and Participation	ED 211		
Child Development	ED 205		
Multicultural Foundations	ED 282		
Educational Technology	ED 290 (ED 480)		
Minimum Total Credits (Accepted by NMC for Education IDP)	57 General Education courses including the courses above		
TEACHER CANDIDACY PORTFOLIO (Paper-Based or E-Portfolio)			
3 Letters of Recommendation			
Resume (or Curriculum Vitae)			
Statement of Purpose Essay			
CNMI Police Clearance	Within the last 12 months		
Health Clearance (You may use the NMC Health Evaluation Form)	Within the last 12 months		
Photo (size: 2x2)			
GPA	2.8		

Approved: _____

Denied: _____

Print, Sign & Date (TC Coordinator)

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(See recommendations below if this is checked)

Recommendations: