Teaching

The Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT) program is an accelerated program with a 100% online option that will prepare you to apply your experience to make a difference from your first day in the classroom, whether you’re teaching in-person, remotely or both. The content areas being served by the MAT program are:

• Secondary Math, Science, Social Studies, and English;
• Middle Grades Math, Science, Social Studies, and Language Arts;
• English as a Second Language;
• Special Education;
• Technology Education and Elementary Education.

The NC Department of Public Instruction has conferred accreditation to the graduate programs in Teacher Education and Learning Sciences. The College of Education is approved any the Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP).

Admission Requirements

Applicants must have:

1. a four-year degree from a college or university that holds regional accreditation, such as SACS;
2. 3.00 GPA or higher in prior work, as required by the Graduate School;
3. an undergraduate degree in the content area/discipline or 24 semester hours/credits in content relevant to the area in which you wish to teach (if you have fewer than 24 hours in a relevant content field, or if your course work does not prepare you adequately to teach the North Carolina curriculum, you may be assigned additional course work to overcome the deficiency).

Applications require original transcripts, 3 letters of recommendation (one of which should speak to teaching potential), a personal essay stating applicant’s background and goals, GRE scores are only required if undergraduate GPA is below 3.0 (and TOEFL if you have international citizenship), and a completed online application.

Master’s Degree Requirements

A total of 30-33 credit hours must be earned for completion of the degree, depending on the particular licensure area. These hours include student teaching for non-lateral entry students.

Student Financial Support

Financial aid is available.

Degrees

• Teaching (MA) (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-ma/)
• Teaching (MA): Elementary Education Concentration (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-ma-elementary-education-concentration/)
• Teaching (MA): English as a Second Language Concentration (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-ma-english-second-language-concentration/)
• Teaching (MA): English Education Concentration (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-ma-english-education-concentration/)
• Teaching (MA): K-12 Reading Concentration (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-ma-k-12-reading-concentration/)
• Teaching (MA): Math Education Concentration (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-ma-math-education-concentration/)
• Teaching (MA): Middle Grades Education Concentration (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-ma-middle-grades-education-concentration/)
• Teaching (MA): Middle Grades Math Concentration (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-ma-middle-grades-math-concentration/)
• Teaching (MA): Middle Grades Science Concentration (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-ma-middle-grades-science-concentration/)
• Teaching (MA): Science Education Concentration (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-ma-science-education-concentration/)
• Teaching (MA): Social Studies Education Concentration (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-ma-social-studies-education-concentration/)
• Teaching (MA): Special Education Concentration (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-ma-special-education-concentration/)
• Teaching (MA): Technology Education Concentration (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-ma-technology-education-concentration/)
• Teaching (Minor) (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/teaching/teaching-minor/)

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