

## Applying to the School of Teacher Education

Thank you for considering the School of Teacher Education credential program.

We advise you to begin the application process well before the department and university deadline dates.

Please begin by reading through each of the **eight steps** below carefully. We have included links to pertinent URL's for further information, documentation and application materials.

### **Step one:**

Download an informational brochure from our [web site](#) and carefully read the details on prerequisites and admission requirements.

You may also purchase the brochures at SDSU campus book store.

### **Step two:**

Attend a group advising session.

Dates, times, and locations can be found on our [web site](#).

### **Step three:**

Apply to the university using the [CSU Mentor](#) graduate application and begin working toward completion of the prerequisite courses:

ED 451  
SPED 450  
HHS 280  
Math 210 (multiple subject only)

Prerequisites can be taken in the summer for fall admission.

The university application deadlines are May 1st for the Fall semester and November 1st for the Spring semester.

### **Step four:**

Register to take the [CBEST exam](#) as soon as possible. If you are applying to the multiple subject program, you may take the writing skills portion of the CSET exam instead of the CBEST. Test can be in progress at the time of application.

**Step five:**

The [CSET exam](#) is required for all multiple subject candidates.

Single subject candidates who have not completed a subject matter waiver program at an approved university must also pass the CSET exam. Test can be in progress at the time of application.

**Step six:**

Download the [Early Field Experience Guide](#) from our web site or purchase one at the SDSU campus bookstore. Work toward completing this requirement.

**Step seven:**

Visit the [Office of Student Services](#) (EBA 259) to pick up information to apply for your certificate of clearance.

**Step eight:**

Download the current credential program application from our [web site](#).

Gather the items required to submit with your program application. Submit your packet to the School of Teacher Education department (EBA 255).

Applications are due in early October for Spring admission and early March for Fall admission.