

Teacher Education FAQ List

What is the process of transferring with the AAT?

The semester prior to completing your AAT, you should submit your application and send all completed transcripts to date to the University. You can then begin your Teacher Education program application if you have met all qualifications. Your AAT will meet all of the General Education requirements at Missouri Southern.

Transfer Admissions: <http://www.mssu.edu/advancement/admissions/transfer-application.php>

Teacher Education Application: <https://www.mssu.edu/academics/education/teacher/pdf-uploads/Jr%20Blk%20App%20Instructions%20Spr%202020-updated.pdf>

What are the steps and deadlines of which I need to be aware?

The steps are outlined in the Teacher Education Application link above. You must meet ALL of the steps in order to apply for tentative admission to Teacher Education.

What is the minimum college GPA for transfer?

You must have a 2.75 GPA to be admitted to Teacher Education.

What types of scholarships do you offer?

The TEACH Grant Program provides grants of up to \$4,000 a year to students who are completing or plan to complete course work needed to begin a career in teaching. As a condition for receiving a TEACH Grant, you must sign a TEACH Grant Agreement to Serve in which you agree to (among other requirements) teach in a high-need field at an elementary school, secondary school, or educational service agency that serves students from low-income families for at least four complete academic years within eight years after completing the course of study for which you received the grant.

Financial Aid Scholarships: <http://www.mssu.edu/student-affairs/financial-aid/scholarships/index.php>

What features of your program set it apart from other teacher education programs?

The MSSU Teacher Education program is the first Missouri program to be nationally accredited by the Council for Accreditation of Educator Preparation and made up of faculty and staff who are dedicated to developing the best possible teachers for tomorrow's classrooms.

Our faculty and staff:

- are experts in the field and have experience in education P-12
- care about our students, make time for them, and have their best interest at heart
- help guide students through the program to completion and a career in education

Students will:

- attend small classes and receive personal attention from their professors
- participate in active, hands-on lessons using the newest technology and create real-world projects that are classroom ready
- have the opportunity to participate in community service and internships that give them classroom experience

Missouri Southern Teacher Education is a CAEP and Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education accredited program.