

TEACHER CANDIDACY APPLICATION
(Formerly known as Formal Admission to Teacher Education)
WEST CHESTER UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
UNDERGRADUATE APPLICATION
ENGLISH BSED

REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS:

The following items must be attached BEFORE reviewing your application with your program advisor for signature:

- ☐ Your unofficial transcript printed from MyWCU with your SIGNATURE at the top of the first page.
- ☐ Your basic skills testing score report(s) (SAT, ACT, Core, PAPA OR combination of qualifying scores) displaying passing scores of the tests currently specified by West Chester University for Teacher Candidacy.
- ☐ Transfer Students: If your transfer credits **do not** yet appear on your unofficial transcript OR you **do not** yet have a WCU GPA, copy(ies) of transcripts from institutions where you earned any transfer credit(s).

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Submit completed applications with all attachments to the Office of Candidate Services (107 Wayne Hall)

Name: _____ **WCU#:** _____
(Please print. Add former name/s if applicable)

Cell Number: _____ **WCU Email address:** _____

Gender (circle one): M / F **U.S. Citizen (circle one):** Y / N

Major: **ENGLISH BSED** **Total Credits Earned:** _____ **WCU Cumulative GPA:** _____

Scores for a basic skills test OR a combination/mix & match of scores from basic skills tests:

SAT Reading: _____ SAT Math: _____ SAT Writing: _____

ACT Composite: _____ ACT Math: _____ ACT English/Writing: _____ (prior to Sept 2015, submit IT Service Desk PDE Determination)

ACT Reading: _____ ACT Math: _____ ACT Writing: _____ (Sept 2015 & after)

Pre-service Academic Performance Assessment (PAPA) Reading: _____ Math: _____ Writing: _____

Core Academic Skills for Educators Reading: _____ Writing: _____ Math: _____

Composite Score Total (if applicable): _____ *Please refer to the PA Dept. of Education's Composite Score Calculator at LINK:*
<https://www.education.pa.gov/Educators/Certification/CertTestingRequirements/Pages/default.aspx>

List courses taken to satisfy: 3 credits English composition _____
3 credits English literature _____
6 credits mathematics _____ and _____

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Student Signature: _____ **Please print name** _____ **Date** _____
Signature

English Academic Advisor: _____ **Please print name** _____ **Date** _____
Signature

☐ I have met the additional English BSED requirement of passing the Test of Writing Competency

Secondary Education Department Chair:

Signature Please print name Date

Verification by Candidate Services: _____
PS Code Date Initials

Original to: Office of Candidate Services, College of Education and Social Work, 107 Wayne Hall

