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## MASTERS DEPARTMENTAL APPLICATION Programs in Special Education

	ation (No Degree) Only? Y/N* / Hard of Hearing applicants only	Proposed Area of Study* *Please refer to the list at www.coe.arizona.edu/dps/spec_ma						
Proposed Start Date (semester/year)			Full time or Part-time Student?			AZ resident? Y/N		
NAME				Phone				
Other na	ames that might be on your tran	scripts						
Address	s, City, State							
Student	ID / Social Security #			Citizenship	)			
Email ac	ddress*e sure that the given e-mail address is	correct and legible sin	ce it will usually be	the primary source of cor	mmunication r	egarding you	ur application.	
1.	List colleges and universities a	ttended. Attach sh	neet if additional	space is needed				
Name/L	ocation of College	Dates Attended		Major	Minor		Degree	
2.	Approximate total semester hours to date in education courses							
3.	What types of courses have you had difficulty with in the past?							
4.	Do you hold a valid regular elementary or secondary teaching credential? If so, what type?							
		State		Date Issu	ed			
5.	Do you hold a valid special education credential? If so, what type?							
		State		Data Issuad				

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6. Beginning with your present position, record your professional employment and services during the last ten years. Attach sheet if additional space is needed Position Area of Exceptionality **Employer and Supervisor Duties Dates** List other employment, volunteer work in Special Education. Include military service, if any. Position **Employer & Supervisor Duties Dates** 8. List three college professors and/or administrative supervisors who will be writing professional letters of recommendation for you. These should be people who are acquainted with your professional preparation and experiences. Include at least one person who has supervised your work with children or adolescents. These must be current (within the past year) original letters and not copies. Send the letters in sealed envelopes to the Graduate Coordinator in the application package along with the other materials (including this application form). .....

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9.	Why did you select The University of Arizona as an in institution at which to pursue a Master's degree?					
10.	Compose and submit a brief autobiographical essay noting how or why you became interested in Special Education as a career field and your long-range professional goals. Also include what you consider to be your strengths and weaknesses. Complete your statement on 1-2 separate pages, typed and double-spaced.					
11.	Attach other information you believe the Master's Committee should have in reviewing your application.					
The Do	epartment does not, at this time, require MAT or GRE test scores for a Master of Arts degree					
permits	Date  ing Date  ing Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA) opens many student records for the student's inspection. The law also the student to sign a waiver relinquishing his/her rights to inspect letters of recommendation. The applicant's signature on this not constitutes a waiver signifying that the letters of recommendation submitted will remain CONFIDENTIAL.					
	APPLICATION PROCESSING INSTRUCTIONS					
	Complete a Graduate College Application Form and Domicile Affidavit Form, which can be done online by visiting: <a href="http://grad.arizona.edu/admissions/">http://grad.arizona.edu/admissions/</a> . Or if using a paper application, send it and the application fee to: The University of Arizona, Graduate Admissions Office, P.O. Box 210066, Tucson, AZ 85721-0066					
	Complete the following application materials for the DPS Master's Degree Program in Special Education and send them in one complete package to:					
	Cecilia Carlon, Graduate Coordinator  DPS, College of Education  P.O. Box 210069  The University of Arizona  Tucson, Arizona 85721-0069					
	Departmental Application (otherwise known as the Personal Data Blank) Autobiographical Essay (refer to number 10 above) If a paper application was completed, a copy of the filled-out Graduate College Application Two copies of official, sealed transcripts Three original letters of recommendation from individuals (college professors and administrative superiors) who know your professional work and can address your potential for success in a graduate program and in the future in the role of a special educator. (There is no required format.) International applicants: official TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) passing score(s)					
Action, U	concerning application to Title IX, Title VII and Section 504 may be referred to the Assistant Executive Vice President for Affirmative University Services Building. The University of Arizona is an Equal Opportunity Affirmative Action Employer. In compliance with Title					

IX (Education Amendments of 1972) and Title VII (Civil Rights act of 1973), the University does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, creed, national origin, color, or disability or national origin in its educational program or activities, including admissions and employment.

- Application materials (such as this document) can be downloaded from <a href="https://www.coe.arizona.edu/dps/apply">www.coe.arizona.edu/dps/apply</a>
- Application materials that are faxed or e-mailed must be followed-up with the originals.

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