

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH GEORGIA
 POST-BACCALAUREATE
 APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION – JUNE 2021 Cohort
 (A University of North Georgia, College of Education/Pioneer Resa Collaborative Program)
 Required for All Candidates Seeking Initial Certification

Carefully read and thoroughly complete ALL portions of your application. Include all documentation that is required. Enclose the \$50.00 non-refundable application fee.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

Please make checks payable to **Pioneer Resa**

SEND COMPLETED APPLICATION PACKETS TO:

University of North Georgia
 College of Education Post Bac Program
 Attention: Reginia Samples
 82 College Circle
 Dahlonega, GA 30597

All students entering this program must have a baccalaureate degree or higher from an accredited institution before beginning any professional education coursework leading to certification. Candidates are accepted on a first come first serve basis only when all requirements are satisfied and if space is available; each location is subject to close at any time if maximum capacity is reached.

All requirements must be satisfied before submitting an application. The following items **MUST** be included with your application packet: **Copies of GACE Basic Skills scores or documentation of exemption, GACE II Content passing report (by May 15), Georgia Ethics Exam confirmation, official transcripts, and the \$50 non-refundable application fee.**

Incomplete applications will be held, pending receipt of missing information.

Cohort Information		
Campus	Start Date:	Deadline To Apply:
Cumming Campus 300 Aquatic Circle Cumming, GA 30040	June 1, 2021	<u>MARCH 31, 2021</u>

Important Program Notes:

- 1) The Post-Baccalaureate Program is a Professional Learning Unit (PLU) program that will lead to Initial Teacher Certification. **PLU credit(s) cannot be applied or transferred into a Graduate degree.**
- 2) Total program cost: \$7,500.00
- 3) Additionally, a \$50.00 non-refundable application fee is required.
- 4) Program admission is contingent on the receipt of your Pre-Service Certificate from the GAPSC which includes a background check.

June 2019 Cohort payment schedule: (Note: No payments will be refunded after the first session of each class)

- May 15 \$2500
- July 1 \$2500
- August 8 \$2500

NO GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL AID CAN OR WILL BE ACCEPTED;
 Government funding includes any money, grant, student loan, etc. acquired as a result of completing the FAFSA, Sallie Mae, etc.

*I understand that I will have to pay \$7500 for PLU tuition without assistance from Federal financial aid. _____ [Initial]

*** *If you need this document in another format, please email Reginia Samples or call 706-867-2044* ***

**University of North Georgia
Post-Baccalaureate APPLICATION**

DO NOT leave any area of this application blank; if a portion does not apply to you, put N/A. Incomplete applications will not be processed.

Applicant Information			
Last name	First name, MI	Date of Birth	Social Security Number
Primary Phone (cell):	Mailing address		City, State, and Zip Code
Email address:	Gender: ____ Male ____ Female	Degree(s) Obtained: ____ Baccalaureate ____ Doctorate ____ Masters	

Please list prior institution(s) attended, degree(s) earned, major(s), and date(s) conferred (semester and year) below:

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

Final College GPA (Program Minimum is 2.75): _____

** Please attach an official copy of your transcript(s) to verify this GPA; document must show degree conferred, date, major, and completion of required courses.

Ethnic Origin: ____ Black , Non-Hispanic ____ Pacific Islander ____ American Indian ____ Alaska Native ____ Asian ____ Other ____ Hispanic ____ Mixed Race ____ White, non-Hispanic	In case of emergency notify: Name: _____ Phone: _____ Relationship: _____
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Admittance Requirements

GACE Program Admission Exam	GACE Content Area(s)
<p>____ I have passed GACE Program Admission.</p> <p>____ I am exempt because my SAT scores meet the minimum composite requirement of 1000.</p> <p>____ I am exempt because my ACT scores meet the minimum composite requirement of 43 (combine the mathematics and English scores only).</p> <p>____ I am exempt because my GRE scores meet the minimum composite requirement of 301 or higher (revised scoring as of Jan 2011) OR 1030 or higher (old scoring) ***Verbal and Quantitative scores combined *.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>YOU MUST ATTACH DOCUMENTATION VERIFYING YOUR SELECTION ABOVE (Score report, high school or college transcript)</u></p> <p>If you took the SAT before April 1995 or the ACT before October 1989 your re-centered score value(s) can be found online via Collegeboard.org</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">My intended teaching area is the following. Please enter ONE content area unless you are Middle Grades as it now requires Dual Certification.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Please note: The Post-Baccalaureate Program DOES NOT OFFER INITIAL CERTIFICATION IN SPECIAL EDUCATION OR EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">GACE II Assessment(s) must be passed at the Professional Level of 250. *Official score report must be attached to this application</p> <p>Middle Grades: Content Area #1 _____ Date Exam Passed _____ Content Area #2 _____ Date Exam Passed _____</p> <p>Secondary Education Content Area _____ Date Exam Passed _____</p> <p>P-12 Fields Content Area _____ Date Exam Passed _____</p> <p>*As determined by the Professional Standards Commission, one must select a teaching field that correlates to his or her degree. Transcripts will be evaluated by the Post Bac Coordinator to correlate degree to content if different from degree.</p>

Additional Applicant Requirements/Student Fees

Content Exam(s) must be taken and passed at the professional level of 250 by May 15, 2021
in order to begin the program.

No refunds will be given for the Ethics Entrance Exam or Application Fee if GACE Content is not passed by 5/15/2021.

- Student Professional Liability Insurance must be purchased before beginning Internship. The projected cost is \$20.00 - \$27.00
- Student must purchase Textbooks for each class.
- Students must take the Georgia Educator Ethics Entrance Exam before being admitted to the program. Students will also take the Exit Exam at the end of the program. The cost is \$30.00 per exam.
- Admittance to the program depends on your Pre-Service Certificate being issued by the GAPSC which includes a background check.
- Students must subscribe to Live Text Field Experience Edition.
- Tentative Program Schedule: **Summer:** 3 Classes **Fall:** 2 Classes and fulltime practicum placement from early August thru the end of October. **Spring:** Internship class and fulltime internship placement from Nov thru mid-May

Are you currently teaching on a provisional certificate? Yes No If yes, list field and expiration: _____

If so, name of school: _____

Name of system: _____

Name, phone, and email of your Principal: _____

Please Note: If you are teaching on a provisional certificate (IN4T) you will be required to complete placement hours/days in another classroom. This will set-up with your principal. *You must be the fulltime lead teacher in your content area in order to remain in your position during the program. Assistants, Para pros, positions outside your content area, or positions at a private school are not eligible.

Upon completion of the Post-Baccalaureate Program, you will receive PLU Credits from the UNG College of Education. Documentation of the completed PLUs will need to be submitted, along with the Professional Standards Commission Certification Application, to the Certification Official at the University of North Georgia. The recommendation form will be completed by the Certification Official and forwarded to the Georgia Professional Standards Commission for certification. During your last semester of the program, you will be given detailed information regarding completing the certification process.

I affirm that, to the best of my knowledge, all information on this application is true and correct. I also understand that Professional Learning Units (PLU's) will be given for the completion of courses earned through this program. These PLU's will not be counted as graduate credit(s) or applied to obtaining a Master's Degree.

*I understand that I will not be able to switch from PLU to Masters credits after starting the program.

_____ [Initial]

Student Signature

Date