

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

**REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS:**

*Please include for your program advisor(s) review for signature(s):*

- ☐ Your unofficial transcript printed from MyWCU with your SIGNATURE at the top of the first page.
- ☐ On your unofficial transcript, highlight "passed the basic skills test" OR "Core Academic Skills for Educators" milestone and date OR your score reports with a combination of qualifying scores displaying passing scores of the tests currently specified by West Chester University for Teacher Candidacy and enter scores below.
- ☐ 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).

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: \_\_\_\_\_

Passed the Basic Skills Milestone date: \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature                  Please print name                  Date

English Academic Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature                  Please print name                  Date

☐ 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 \_\_\_\_\_

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