

Have you applied to the College of Education before?

- Yes When? _____
- No

Indicate which program strand you wish to pursue:

- Mild/Moderate (Circle one: Preschool to Grade 6 or Grade 7 to Grade 12)
- Severe

Indicate which admissions test(s) you have taken or will take:

Date(s) of PRAXIS PPST/C-PPST

- Pre-Professional Skills Test (PPST)
- Computer-Based Pre-Professional Skills Test (C-PPST)

If you have repeated any courses, please list them below.

Initial					Retake				
Course	Institution	Semester	CR	Grade	Course	Institution	Semester	CR	Grade

ESSAY

INSTRUCTIONS: Please word process and attach the essay to this application (no handwritten responses, please). On approximately 2-3 pages (one-sided, double-spaced, and 1 inch margins), please answer the following to the best of your ability.

1. Write a brief autobiographical sketch (i.e., hobbies, schooling experiences, work-related experiences, etc.).
2. Explain convincingly your interest and commitment in this educational program.
- 3.a. Field experience is required in all College of Education programs. Please describe your field experiences. Identify the organization(s); age and/or grade level of the learners; your duties; dates of the experiences; and your immediate supervisors' names, addresses and phone numbers. Please include the number of hours you have completed for each field experience. Complete this section with attention to details to demonstrate you have fulfilled the minimum admissions requirement. **Please submit a letter from your supervisor to document your field experience hours. The letter must be on the organization's letterhead or you may use the College of Education's verification form and original signatures are required.**
- b. In what ways do you think these experiences will help you achieve your goals?

PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES

For all first-time applicants:

List three persons that may be contacted as professional references, e.g., employer, instructor. The College reserves the right to contact professional references other than those listed.

Name	Mailing Address	Phone
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APPLICANT'S CERTIFICATION: Successful completion of the PB-SPED program leads to eligibility for a license to teach with the State Department of Education. Other criteria required by the Hawai'i State Department of Education may include, but are not limited to: (a) successful completion of the PRAXIS examination, (b) an original Tuberculosis (TB) Clearance certificate, and (c) fingerprinting and criminal background clearance.

Please note, if admitted to the College of Education, you will be required to undergo fingerprinting and a criminal history background check, per DOE policy. Please contact OSAS for appropriate forms.

LIABILITY & MEDICAL COVERAGE IN A PRACTICUM: Your program in the College of Education will require the completion of field experiences (practicum and residency). As a condition of placement in a field experience, the College requires liability coverage. You may secure coverage through any venue. For your information, liability coverage is available with membership in the Student National Education Association that is available through the College of Education Student Association (CESA). You may pick up a CESA application in the Office of Student Academic Services. Submit a photocopy of your liability insurance showing your name, policy number, and expiration date to the Office of Student Academic Services prior to enrollment. We also strongly advise students to secure medical coverage.

I hereby certify that I have read the information detailed in this application and that the information submitted for this application is complete and correct. I recognize that any intentional misrepresentation may be grounds for non-admittance or disenrollment from the College of Education. I authorize the University of Hawai'i College of Education to obtain information from my current and past employers or from any individual listed on this application form and attachments and waive the right to hold liable those persons from providing any requested information. It is understood that such information is to be held confidential.

Signature

Date

Thank you for your application to the College of Education.

College of Education
Office of Student Academic Services
1776 University Ave. Everly Hall, Rm. 126
Honolulu, HI 96822

All documents must be received (not postmarked) by March 1, 2008 for Fall 2008 admission.

All documents must be received (not postmarked) by September 14, 2008 for Spring 2009 admission.