



# Becoming A Bearcat Teacher INFORMATION SESSION

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# Program Offerings

**Initial Teacher  
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Preparation  
Programs**

**Educational  
Leadership  
Program**

**Educational  
Studies Program**

**EdD Program**

**Accelerated/4+1  
Programs**

# Program Offerings

## Initial Teacher Preparation Programs

Our Initial Teacher Preparation (MSEd, MAT) programs are for students who do not yet have any certification to teach.

### Program Offerings

- Childhood/Early Childhood Education
- Adolescence English Education
- Adolescence Mathematics Education
- Adolescence Sciences Education
- Adolescence Social Studies Education
- Adolescence Romance Language Education

## Educational Studies Program

Our non-certification Educational Studies (MS) program is designed for those interested in education as a general area of study and offers flexibility in course-taking around three areas: foundations, teaching and learning, and research.

## Accelerated/4+1 Programs

The accelerated/4+1 programs within TLEL allows you to take undergraduate coursework for your first three years, then get a headstart on your graduate coursework during your senior year. In your fifth year, you are admitted to the Graduate School and focus solely on the coursework to complete your master's degree.

# Clinical Experiences

A man in a light blue polo shirt and khaki shorts is shaking hands with a student in a grey t-shirt. They are sitting at a desk in a classroom. Other students are visible in the background, some wearing lanyards. The scene is dimly lit, suggesting an indoor setting.

- SWAP Program
- Field Experience
- Internship Experience

# Funding Opportunities

- ❖ Graduate Assistantships
- ❖ CCPA/TLEL Scholarships
- ❖ Application Waivers

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# How Do I Become A Secondary Teacher? Qualify to Earn Your MAT

- 30 hours of undergraduate coursework in your content area
- 3 years of a high school language or 1 semester of a college language course
- Transcript Review
- Completing the Admissions Requirements

# How Do I Become An Elementary Teacher? Qualify to Earn Your MSEd

- A Liberal Arts & Sciences Concentration as an undergraduate
- 2 courses in English (C+ or better)
- 2 courses in a natural science (C+ or better)
- 2 courses in social studies (C+ or better)
- 2 courses in math (C+ or better)
- 3 years of a high school language or 1 semester of a college language course
- Transcript Review with our staff
- Completing the Admissions Requirements





# STARTING YOUR APPLICATION

- ❖ General Inquiries: If you are interested in learning more about one of our programs, please contact [t1el@binghamton.edu](mailto:t1el@binghamton.edu) or our Director of Recruitment, [Dina Hartung](#).
- ❖ Application Process or Transcript Review: To learn more about the application process or a transcript review, please contact our Admissions and Certification Advisor, [Tami Mann](#).
- ❖ Start your Application Today: To start your application click [here](#).

# Application Information

- ❖ GRE/ GPA
- ❖ Personal Statement
- ❖ Undergraduate Requirements

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# QUESTIONS?

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