



SMITH COLLEGE

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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

Smith College admits both male and female graduate students of any race, color, creed, handicap, and national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to graduate students at the college.

Personal Information

Legal Name _____ Legal Sex _____
Last First Middle Preferred Pronouns _____

Former last name(s) if any _____ Date of birth _____
Month Day Year

Preferred first name _____ Email address _____

Permanent address _____ Phone () _____
Street City State / Zip

Present address _____ Phone () _____
Street City State / Zip

Citizenship U.S. citizen _____
 Dual U.S. citizen; please specify other country of citizenship _____
 U.S. permanent resident visa; citizen of _____ Alien registration No. _____
 Other citizenship _____
Country Visa type

Scholastic Information

Two- and four-year colleges you have attended, in chronological order.

Name of College	Location	Dates Attended	Major Subject	Degree & Date Granted

Year of application to Smith College: Summer _____ Fall _____ Spring _____ Part-time _____ Full-time _____
(Note that the Department of Education and Child Study expects students to complete the summer program prior to the academic year.)

Teaching interest Elementary _____ Middle _____ Secondary _____ Subject area (if middle or secondary) _____

Have you previously enrolled in a course at Smith College through the Graduate Programs office? _____ If yes, dates _____

Optional Information

The following items are optional. No information you provide will be used in a discriminatory manner.

Marital status Never married _____ Married _____ Widowed _____ Separated _____ Divorced _____

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Optional Information, continued

Have any of your relatives attended or been associated with Smith College? If so, please indicate below.

Name	Relationship to you	Class at Smith (or other association)
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1. Are you Hispanic or Latino (including Spain)? Yes No

Please describe your background. _____

2. Regardless of your answer to the prior question, please check *one or more* of the following groups in which you consider yourself a member.

American Indian or Alaska Native (including all Original Peoples of the Americas)

Please describe your background. _____

Are you Enrolled? No Yes. Please enter Tribal Enrollment Number _____

Asian (including Indian subcontinent and Philippines)

Please describe your background. _____

Black or African American (including Africa and Caribbean)

Please describe your background. _____

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (Original Peoples)

Please describe your background. _____

White (including Middle Eastern)

Please describe your background _____

Financial Information

Smith College awards financial assistance in the form of fellowships, scholarships and loans. To be considered for federal loans, please complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by February 15 or as soon as possible after submitting your application for admission.

Are you applying for a Project Coach Fellowship? Yes No

Are you applying for a federal loan to assist you with your college expenses? Yes No

Are you a Smith College employee or spouse of an employee? If so, please check the appropriate box. Employee Spouse

Required Application Materials

To complete your application for admission, all required materials must be submitted to the office of Graduate and Special Programs. Admission decisions will be made on a monthly basis beginning in November. The preferred final deadline is January 15; however, applications will be considered until April 15 if space and funding are available.

1. Transcripts: Official copies bearing signature and seal should be sent by each educational institution attended
2. Resume
3. Statement indicating your objectives in undertaking graduate study
4. Paper written in an advanced undergraduate course or other piece of work illustrative of your writing
5. Three *original, signed* letters of recommendation from instructors at the undergraduate institution and/or supervisors in teaching experience; you are responsible for obtaining your own references

Name	Email Address	Position
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8. Signed application, with \$60 application fee payable to Smith College, submitted to the Graduate and Special Programs office

Required Signature

I certify that all information in my application, including my personal essay, is my own work, factually true, and honestly presented.

Signature

Date