



Mathematics Education Graduate Degree Programs

Application Deadlines:

Fall Semester - July *1ish*, Spring Semester - November *15ish*, Summer Semester - May *1ish*
<http://www.uga.edu/gradschool/admissions/deadlines.html> for Actual Dates.

Costs:

For current tuition rates go to <http://www.bursar.uga.edu/> click on "tuition and fees schedules". Select correct semester. To determine **tuition costs** choose **Athens**. Under "Select Program" choose "Graduate" for current tuition rates. To determine **Student fees** go back two screens and this time choose the correct semester and **Griffin**. Then under "Select Program" choose Fall 2009 and Later.

Department Admission Requirements: (GRE/MAT scores not necessary for Non-degree students)

For the MEd:

Elementary Certification or Middle School Math Certification

2.6 undergraduate gpa

850 GRE (verbal + quantitative)--with a minimum of 400 verbal and 400 quantitative

MAT: 44 by old scoring system; 402 by new scoring system

For the EdS:

Elementary Certification or Middle School Math Certification

3.3 graduate gpa

950 GRE (verbal + quantitative--with a minimum of 450 verbal and 450 quantitative*

MAT: 48 "old" system; 408 "new" system

Before Admission:

- Apply online www.applyweb.com/apply/ugagrad/ Note: **When the application asks for your degree objective, identify either the MEd or EdS. When it asks for your major, identify Mathematics Education. DO NOT select Elementary Education or your application will go to the wrong department. When it asks for your specialization, please enter Griffin.**
- Send two official transcripts from each institution of higher education where a degree was earned, except the University of Georgia, to the Graduate School. University of Georgia transcripts are already on file. Transcripts must be received in sealed envelopes from each institution where a degree was earned. The address for submitting transcripts to the Graduate School is: The University of Georgia Graduate School, 320 E. Clayton Street, Suite 400, Athens, GA 30602-4401.

- Have official reports of GRE or MAT scores less than five years old submitted directly to the Graduate School from the testing agency. For information about registering for and taking the GRE, visit www.ets.org/gre (Not necessary for Non-degree students)
- Submit three letters of reference directly to the department. You may complete them online or print and mail them to Helen Rogers, Department of Mathematics and Science Education, 105 Aderhold Hall, Athens GA 30602-7124.
- Notify Robyn Ovrick (robynovrick@yahoo.com) and Helen Rogers (hrogers@uga.edu) of your application intent: Non-degree, MEd elementary mathematics, EdS elementary mathematics, MEd middle mathematics, or EdS middle mathematics

After Admission:

- Go to <http://www.uga.edu/gradschool/student/to-do.html> to establish a UGA MyID.
- Daily check UGA mail account to receive all important UGA mail including deadlines, payments, and flags. Additional fees are **NOT** dropped because an email was not read in a timely manner.
- After being admitted (but before you can be cleared to register), you must submit the health/immunization form found at http://www.uhs.uga.edu/appts_forms/immunizations.html
- For financial aid information, see <http://www.uga.edu/osfa> or call Mandy Branch-Friar at (706)542-6147.
- Contact your advisor, Robyn Ovrick, regarding registration robynovrick@yahoo.com
- When you are ready to register, go to <http://www.reg.uga.edu/registration> and the link to OASIS (the online registration system) is there. A \$50 late charge is added to any account for late registration.

Non-Degree Students

You may use up to three non-degree classes towards a graduate degree, but no more. Not switching to the degree program in time will require additional classes, time, and money.

Graduation Application and Program of Study Deadlines:

December Graduation – August 27ish, May Graduation – January 21ish, August Graduation – June 17ish

<http://www.uga.edu/gradschool/academics/deadlines.html> for Actual Dates

Applied Projects/Portfolios Deadlines:

December Graduation – December 10ish, May Graduation – April 24ish, August Graduation – July 23ish

<http://www.uga.edu/gradschool/academics/deadlines.html> for Actual Dates

Required Courses:

**courses required of students enrolled in the MEd or the EdS program; all courses are 3-hour courses
Bolded course numbers are for the middle school cohorts*

*MATH 7001/ 7020	Arithmetic and Problem Solving
*MATH 7002/ 7030	Geometry and Problem Solving
*MATH 7003/ 7035	Algebra and Problem Solving
*STAT 6050	Probability and Statistics for Teachers
*EMAT 6410	Mathematical Learning in PreK-Grade 5
*EMAT 6200/ 7290	Technology in Teaching Geometry and Measurement Elementary School Mathematics
*EMAT 6420/ 7280	Mathematics Methods for Early Childhood Education
*EMAT 6600	Problem Solving in Mathematics
*EMAT 6990	Research Seminar in Mathematics Education
*EMAT 7010/ 7320	Teaching Algebra Mathematics in the Elementary School
EMAT 7200	Special Problems in Mathematics Education (a mentoring course that prepares teachers to be certified as Teacher Support Specialists to host student teachers and mentor new teachers. Required for MEd students/optional for EdS students.)
EMAT 7650	Applied Project in Mathematics Education (Required only for EdS students.)
EMAT 7700	Internship in Mathematics Education (an internship that corresponds to the EMAT 7200 on mentoring for TSS certification. Required for MEd students/ optional for EdS students)

One or two courses will be offered each semester in the evenings. Two courses will usually be offered in June. The time to complete this program is 2-3 years. Students are expected to maintain a B average throughout. MEd candidates and EdS elementary teachers must complete a final portfolio. EdS candidates must submit and defend an Applied Project report and satisfy comprehensive examinations as set. Further information and guidelines about these culminating activities will be distributed later in the program.

Questions about the Math Education program? Contact: Dr. Robyn Ovrick at robynovrick@yahoo.com or (770) 241-1302

Questions about the application process? Contact: Helen Rogers at hrogers@uga.edu or (706) 542-4194

Questions about the Griffin Campus Student Affairs? Contact: Dr. Sheri King at sheri@uga.edu or (770) 229-3464