

TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY  
SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES AND EDUCATION  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

PROPOSED MASTER OF ARTS IN SCHOOL COUNSELING PROGRAM

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Requirements for admission to the Master of Arts in School Counseling will be as follows:

1. A baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university with an overall undergraduate grade point average of at least 2.75 (3.0 preferred);
2. Completion and submission of GRE scores;
3. Three letters of recommendation
4. A statement of personal philosophy and professional goals in school counseling.

ADMISSION PROCESS

Given the proposed cohort nature of the School Counseling Program it is proposed that admissions take place in a rolling manner and that students be made aware of the start date of their cohort class when accepted. When the cohort class is filled admission should be offered into the next scheduled cohort class. Students will be allowed to apply to their degree program up to six (6) hours of graduate Counseling classes completed prior to admission to the program.

An admission committee composed of at least two (2) Counseling Faculty members should review all applications monthly and forward recommendation to the Chair of the Education Department who will then forward recommendation to the Graduate Dean. Once the maximum number of students for a cohort has been accepted students should be offered admission for the next scheduled future cohort.