



Acceptance Criteria for Undergraduate GPS Programs

Associate of Arts Application Packet Requirements

1. Submit a completed application for admission.
2. Submit official transcripts from all prior colleges attended.
 - a. Applicants with less than a cumulative 2.0 undergraduate GPA may be considered on a conditional basis. If a student has 12 or fewer earned college credits, a high school transcript or GED must also be submitted with a 2.6 high school GPA.
3. Submit ACT/SAT scores (*optional*).
4. Submit an official high school transcript (required for any student who has not completed an associate or bachelor degree).

Pathway Application Packet Requirements

1. Submit a completed application for admission.
2. Submit official transcripts from all prior colleges attended.
 - a. Applicants with less than a cumulative 2.0 undergraduate GPA may be considered on a conditional basis. If a student has 12 or fewer earned college credits, a high school transcript or GED must also be submitted with a 2.6 high school GPA.
3. Submit ACT/SAT scores (*optional*).
4. Submit an official high school transcript (required for any student who has not completed an associate or bachelor degree).

All undergraduate GPS programs require:

1. Submit a completed application.
2. Submit official transcripts from all prior colleges attended.
 - a. Applicants with less than a cumulative 2.2 undergraduate GPA may be considered on a conditional basis.
 - b. A student will be admitted into an undergraduate GPS program with a minimum of 45 transferrable semester hours or an Associate's degree.
3. Submit ACT/SAT scores (*optional*).
4. Submit an official high school transcript (required for any student who has not completed an associate or bachelor degree).

Specific Application Packet Requirements

Bachelor of Science in Nursing for Registered Nurses Application Packet Requirements

1. Submit a completed application.
2. Submit official transcripts from all prior colleges or diploma programs attended.
 - a. Applicants with less than a cumulative 2.75 undergraduate GPA on a 4.0 scale may be considered on a conditional basis.
3. Submit a copy of current unencumbered license as a Registered Nurse from the Tennessee Board of Nursing or a compact Multi-State license. Applicant should not be on probation and must report any past or current disciplinary action taken by a State Board. If a student fails to pass the licensure exam but he/she has already been

admitted into the nursing program, he/she will be allowed to continue in non-nursing courses, but must receive a passing grade on the NCLEXRN in order to continue in nursing courses.

4. Submit current American Heart Association BCLS (CPR) certification (adult, child, and infant).

Bachelor of Social Work Application Packet Requirements

1. Submit a completed application.
2. Submit official transcripts from all prior colleges and universities attended.
 - a. Applicants are required to have a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale. Students whose cumulative GPA falls below 2.5, but is 2.2 or higher, may be considered on a conditional basis. Students are expected to maintain a minimum GPA of 2.5 while in the program.
3. Submit a specific application to the Social Work program. This may be accessed at <http://www.king.edu/admissions/gps/programs/bsw/programapplication.aspx>
4. Complete the required self-assessment form. This may be accessed at <http://www.king.edu/admissions/gps/programs/bsw/programapplication.aspx>
5. Historical Foundations of Contemporary Issues (SOWK 3410) is a required course for the program. This course is an introduction to the discipline of Social Work. Students who took a similar course at another institution can petition for the course to transfer. Those who have not taken the course before entering must complete it during the first two semesters of enrollment in the program.
6. A highly recommended prerequisite course is Introduction to Statistics.
7. Write and submit a 500-750 word personal statement using the prompt on the Social Work application form.
8. Be willing to participate in an Interview with Program Committee (online or in person), if there are questions about your application packet.

Bachelor of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies K-5 Licensure (Elementary Education) Application Packet Requirements*

1. Submit a completed application.
2. Submit official transcripts from all prior colleges attended.
 - a. Applicants with less than a cumulative 2.75 undergraduate GPA may be considered on a conditional basis.
 - b. All students complete an Associate of Science in Teaching or an Associate of Arts with prescribed prerequisite coursework prior to enrollment.
3. Complete the Praxis Core Academic Skills Assessment. Applicants with ACT composite scores of 23 or higher or SAT math/verbal scores of 1020 or higher are exempt.

* All students will complete the formal process for Admission to Teacher Education in EDUC 2030 Introduction to Education.