2021 Cohort GaTAPP Application

All sections must be complete for your application to be considered.

Section 1: Applicant Information

Legal Name (as appears on Driver's License) _____

SSN: _____ Certificate #: _____ Date of Birth: ___/___/____

Address: _____

City:_____ State:_____ Zip:_____

Phone: (H):_____ (C):_____

School Email Address:_____

Alternate Email Address: _____

* Hispanic or Latino: Y/N

* If No: Race (Please Circle)

Black or African American/ American Indian or Alaska Native/ Asian/ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific/ White

* Gender: _____

* Answering these questions is optional.

Section 2: Degree Information: Complete a section for each degree you **completed**. Official transcripts must be received from every college/university you **attended**.

Example:

Degree 1: Bachelor of Science ***Major: Early Childhood Ed.***

GPA: 3.2 ***Institution: Valdosta State*** ***Institution City and State: Valdosta, GA***

Date degree awarded: June 26, 2009

Degree #1: (Associate of Arts, Bachelor of Science, etc) _____ Major: _____

GPA: _____ Institution_____ Institution City and State _____

Date degree awarded: _____

Degree #2: (Associate of Arts, Bachelor of Science, etc) _____ Major: _____

GPA: _____ Institution_____ Institution City and State _____

Date degree awarded: _____

Degree #3: (Associate of Arts, Bachelor of Science, etc) _____ Major: _____

GPA: _____Institution_____ Institution City and State_____

Date degree awarded: _____

(Use additional sheets if additional degrees)

Section 3: Employment Information

System hired by: _____ School teaching in: _____

Grade Level(s) Teaching: _____

Subjects Teaching (if Middle Grades or Secondary): _____

Section 4: Certification Information

GaPSC requires all GaTAPP candidates (except SpEd Consultative candidates) to demonstrate content knowledge prior to program admission. See the document "Demonstration of Content Knowledge Options for Program Admission" to determine the options for your certification area.

Circle certification sought:

- Elementary Education (P-5)
- Middle Grades Language Arts (4 – 8)
- Middle Grades Reading (4-8)
- Middle Grades Math (4-8)
- Middle Grades Science (4-8)
- Middle Grades Social Studies (4-8)
- Secondary Language Arts (6-12)
- Secondary Mathematics (6-12)
- Secondary Science (6-12)
- Political Science (6-12)
- History (6-12)
- Geography (6-12)
- Economics (6-12)
- Business (6-12)
- SpEd Consultative (coteaching) (P-12)
- SpEd: Self-Contained
- Physical Education (P-12)
- Health
- Music (P-12)
- Art (P-12)
- * SpEd General Curriculum/Elementary Ed (P-5)
- Other, specify: _____

* **Note:** We do not recommend the SpEd General Curriculum/Elementary Ed certification route. We recommend completing the Elementary Education certification and testing into SpEd. If you are interested in the SpEd Gen Curriculum/Elementary Ed certification route, please contact Rhonda Robbins (rrobbins@okresa.org) prior to application.

Section 5: Other Admission Requirements

Program Admission GACE:

_____ Date Passed Exempted (Circle exemption): ACT SAT GRE

You must submit copies of your scores or documentation of the exemption as part of your application.

Georgia Educator Ethics Assessment (GACE):

_____Date Passed

You must submit the Certificate of Completion as part of your application.

Are you legally authorized to work in the U.S. on a full-time basis?	**YES_____NO_____**

<u>Have you ever:</u>

Been dismissed from employment?	YES_____ NO_____
Had credentials denied, revoked or suspended in any state?	YES_____ NO_____
Received an unsatisfactory performance evaluation from an Employer?	YES_____ NO_____
Been placed on disciplinary probation or been suspended from any position?	YES_____ NO_____
Been or are you now under investigation for unethical conduct?	YES_____ NO_____
Been convicted of a felony, misdemeanor or pled *nolo contender,* or are you now under investigation for violation of any such offense? (You must include ANY offense for which a fine of $100 or more was imposed. Do not include any offense that occurred before you 18th birthday.)	YES_____ NO_____

If you answered 'YES' to any of the "have you ever" questions, you MUST attach an explanation and supporting documents. If you fail to complete ALL sections of this application, your application package will not be processed.

In 200-300 words, explain why decided to become a teacher. (You may include a separate document instead).

BY SIGNING THIS APPLICATION, I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS APPLICATION IS VERIFIED AND TRUE.

Applicant's Legal Signature

Date