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COE Department	Degree Programs	Certificate	Endorsement/Licensure
Counseling and Human Services	Master of Arts Degree in Counseling and Human Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Clinical Mental Health Counseling</li> <li>Counseling and Leadership (AOC Training/USAFAPartnership)</li> <li>School Counseling</li> </ul> Bachelor of Arts Degree in Human Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Emphasis Areas: General Human Services, Military and Veteran Support Specialist, Certified Career Planner, Certified Addictions Counselor, and Student Affairs in Higher Education.</li> <li>Minor in Human Services</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Advanced Certificate (24 credit hours, post master's degree)</li> <li><a href="#">Academy Military Trainer (AMT) Leader and Leadership Development Certificate (15 credit hour, undergraduate executive education program)</a></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Endorsement for the Nationally Certified Counseling credential (NCC)</li> <li>Academic preparation for Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC) credential in Colorado</li> <li>Academic preparation for Licensed Addictions Counselor (LAC) credential in Colorado</li> <li>Endorsement for School Counselor licensure in Colorado</li> </ul>
Leadership, Research and Foundations	Master of Education Degree in Leadership and Education <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>P – 12 Education</li> <li>Student Affairs in Higher Education</li> <li>Foundations and Research</li> </ul> Ph.D. in Educational Leadership, Research & Policy Minor in Student Affairs in Higher Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Superintendent Certificate (leads to licensure)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Principal Licensure in CO</li> <li>Superintendent Licensure in CO</li> </ul>
Special Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Master of Arts Degree in Special Education</li> <li>Bachelor of Arts Degree in Special Education</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Special Education Generalist (Initial Licensure)</li> <li>Special Education Generalist (Added Endorsement)</li> </ul>
Alternative Licensure Program	One year intensive program that leads to recommendation for initial teaching license (CO).		Initial Teacher Licensure (CO)
Teaching & Learning (formerly Curriculum and Instruction)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>General Master of Arts Degree in C &amp; I</li> <li>Master of Arts Degree in TESOL</li> <li><b>(Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages)</b></li> <li>Master of Arts Degree: Gifted and Talented Education</li> <li>Master of Arts Degree: Literacy</li> <li>Master of Arts Degree Science Education</li> <li>Master of Arts Degree in Special Education</li> <li>Bachelor of Arts Degree in Special Education</li> <li>Bachelor of Innovation in Inclusive Early Childhood Education (BI:IECE)</li> <li>Bachelor of Arts in Inclusive Elementary Education (BA:IEE)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Certificate Instructional Technology</li> <li>TESOL/TEFL</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gifted and Talented (Added Endorsement)</li> <li>Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Education (CLDE) (Added Endorsement)</li> </ul>
Teacher Education Licensure Program (TELP)	Bachelor's Degree (One year, full time program) Major selected from the College of Letters, Arts and Sciences		Initial Teacher Licensure (CO)
UCCS Teach	Undergraduate students majoring in math, science or computer science are eligible.		Initial Teacher Licensure (CO)



# College of Education

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO COLORADO SPRINGS

## College of Education Admissions Criteria:

GPA Requirements: 2.75 GPA for Graduate Programs, 2.50 for Undergraduate *\*Note: TELP Early Admission students 3.0*

Advising session with department faculty member  
Previous work and volunteer experience is preferred

## College of Education Admissions Checklist:

- (1) Take the GRE or MAT *for programs in Counseling and Human Services only*  
Take the GRE for *Ph.D. program in Leadership, Research and Policy*
- (2) Obtain three letters of reference
- (3) \*Submit one transcript from all institutions of higher education previously attended
- (4) Prepare a goal statement (see department specific requirements)
- (5) Current résumé
- (6) Complete a background check or provide an unofficial copy of teaching licensure
- (7) Interview with department faculty member
- (8) Complete the online application: <http://www.uccs.edu/apply/>  
*\*Note: Students who attended UCCS as undergraduates DO NOT need to request an official transcript.*

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