**Application for Bachelor of Arts Program in Education**

**Prerequisite: Admission and acceptance to Northern New Mexico College must be complete**

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| Email Address:  |

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| Associate of Arts (AA) Granting Institution:  |

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| Area of study/Major: | Degree conferred (year): |

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| Minimum of 30 semester hours in the field of: |

I am interested in teaching: (Select only one)

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| Elementary K-8 | Early Childhood |

If Elementary K-8 selected ONLY: I am interested in the following concentration or endorsement area: (Select only one)

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| Language Arts | Social Studies | Math | Science | Bilingual |

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| Have you taken the Praxis Entrance Exams? | YES | NO |
| If yes, which one(s)? | Reading | Writing | Mathematics |

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| Are you currently employed as a teacher?  | YES | NO | Do you have a current background check? | YES | NO |

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| Where (school/district):  |

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| If yes what kind of license do you have? |  |

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| **Signature:**  | **Date:** |

**SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED WITH APPLICATION:**

* Letter of Intent. The letter focuses on significant areas of interest. Include educational influences by drawing on examples, experiences, former teachers, and other relevant topics.
* Philosophy Statement. BA and ALP candidates are to articulate their developing understanding of their philosophy based on their experiences with the K-12 educational system. Consider influences and interactions with members of the K-12 educational system as you write your philosophy and use specific examples to promote your philosophy.
* Unofficial copies of **ALL** college transcripts
* Two (2) letters of recommendation; a character reference, a letter of suitability to the education profession
* Signed Assurance Form
* Program Entrance Interview

**Not required for full admittance into program, but are program requirements**

* Confirmation of current background check. For students currently employed at a

school, authorized school personnel must fill out and sign the background check

confirmation form, confirming that you have a current background check on file

with them. Newly placed student teachers must work with the school to obtain a

background check before they will be allowed to complete their student teaching

in the school. We will need a background check confirmation form for all student

teachers. This form can be obtained from the Department of Education’s website

at: https://nnmc.edu/home/academics/schools-and-departments/college-of-

education/alternative-licensure-programs-alp/ in the “Student Teaching” box.

* Stay up-to-date in reference to exams required by the New Mexico Public

Education Department (NMPED) for licensure. This information can be found on

NMPED’s website at:

https://webnew.ped.state.nm.us/bureaus/licensure/assessment-requirements-for-

educators/. Agree to list NNMC as the attending institution so that the score

reports are sent directly to the Department of Teacher Education.

**Submit Application to:**

**Coordinator of Student and Faculty Services or your program advisor**