Education

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About the ProgramTeach the Future Generation Are you looking for a career change? The Master of Arts in Teaching (M.A.T.) in Education is designed for individuals with a bachelor's degree in a content-related field who want to earn both T-5 level teacher certification and a master's degree. You can choose from certification options in Middle Grades (grades 4-8); Secondary Biology, Chemistry, Earth/Space Science, English Language Arts, History, Mathematics, or Physics (grades 6-12); or Computer Science (grades P-12). Apply Now Request Info ## Certification Options Middle Grades Education (Grades 4–8) Prepare to teach core subjects in upper elementary and middle school classrooms. Secondary Education (Grades 6–12) Specialize in one of the following fields: Biology, Chemistry, Earth/Space Science, English Language Arts, History, Mathematics, or Physics. Computer Science Education (Grades P–12) Equip students with essential computing and programming skills across grade levels.	**Total Credit Hours:** 32 Hours **Delivery Format:** Online **Completion Time:** 2 years **Academic Unit:** Department of Teacher Education, Leadership, and Counseling	View the Program of Study View Admission Requirements View Program-Specific Requirements Out-of-state Student Information

Program HighlightsYour Academic Experience
- **Earn teacher certification and a master's degree in one program**
- Approved by the **Georgia Professional Standards Commission** (GaPSC)
- **Multiple certification areas:** middle grades, secondary, or P–12 computer science
- Blend of professional studies, pedagogy, and clinical practice
- **Dedicated faculty mentors** and individualized transcript evaluations for content requirements

What Can You Do With This Degree?
Explore job trends, average salaries, and growing opportunities so you can see how your degree connects to meaningful career pathways and the future of your field.

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Program-Specific Admission Requirements

This program has specific admission requirements. These requirements are available in our catalog.

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Institutional Admission Requirements

All applicants must meet our institutional admissions requirements to be accepted into Columbus State University.

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