

Master of Education Personal Statement Form

Name: _____

Please provide clear and detailed responses to the following questions. Please use as much space as required. A suitable response would be 3 - 5 pages (total) single spaced in 12 pt.

1. Why do you wish to pursue an M.Ed. at this time?

2. Academic standing: Please list any academic awards, scholarships, prizes etc. that you have received. *Please also indicate how your academic background has prepared you and lead you to apply to complete a graduate degree at this time.*

3. What is the extent of your professional experience? Please include length of teaching / professional experience, variety of experiences, professional development and training programs. *Please also indicate how your professional experiences have prepared you and lead you to apply to complete a graduate degree at this time.*

4. Please tell us about personal experiences that are relevant to your application. *Please also indicate how these experiences have prepared you and lead you to apply to complete a graduate degree at this time.*

5. Leadership: What formal and informal leadership positions and activities have you had in schools, school systems and broad educational community? What leadership training have you had? *Please also indicate how your leadership experiences have prepared you and lead you to apply to complete a graduate degree at this time.*

6. Research / Writing/professional accomplishments: Please list any publications, presentations, curriculum development, action research, creative projects, including presentations and performances, etc. in which you have been involved. *Please also indicate this research, writing or these professional accomplishments have prepared you and lead you to apply to complete a graduate degree at this time.*