# For Teachers Hired on a Provisional Certificate in a Teaching Field

# How to Apply for Admission

Important Notice: This coursework is at the undergraduate level and it is a non-degree track.

**Step 1:** Apply online at <u>https://www.athens.edu/admissions/</u>, click the top right box of page "Apply Now."

**Step 2:** Click on Create my BearTrack to set up an account. When you create your account, you will need to provide your Personal Information, Primary Contact Information, and verify that your data is correct.



Step 3: Click on Apply for Admission located under "My To-Do List."

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Status:	In Progress	
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Must Apply By:	3/3/2022	
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## Step 4: Create your Application.

Create your Application
Welcome to the Athens State University application for admission!
We're excited to help you continue on your pathway towards reaching your goals! Athens State University is an upper-division University offering Junior and Senior level courses as well as graduate courses, & we provide the lowest tuition rate of any public, state institution in Alabama! This means by transferring to Athens State you are choosing the most convenient and affordable pathway to a college degree! Before you get started on your application for admission, please review our available programs and their respective admission requirements to ensure the appropriate enrollment type to fit your goals!
Your Intended Enrollment Type:
Undergraduate Degree: seeking a Bachelor's Degree from Athens State University
Undergraduate Certificate: seeking an Athens State Certificate
Undergraduate Non-Degree: not seeking a degree or certificate from Athens State
Adult Degree Program: adult working students who have completed some college coursework without completing a baccalaureate degree.
Graduate Degree: seeking a Master's Degree at Athens State
Graduate Non-Degree: not seeking a graduate degree but would like to take graduate courses
Transient/Visiting: students regularly enrolled at another institution, who want to take courses for credit at Athens State for transfer back to their home institution.
Readmission: students who are returning after an absence of more than one semester (excluding summer term) must complete and submit this Readmission form instead of a new application.?
STEP 1: Choose your intended location: <ul> <li>STEP 2: Choose your intended enrollment type:</li> <li>STEP 3: Choose program:</li> <li>STEP 4: Choose the degree you wish to apply for:</li> </ul>
STEP 5: Choose your intended term of entry:
Cancel

#### Follow Steps 1-3 below to ensure completion of correct application.



# <u>Complete all required sections of the application.</u> Start with the General Information section.



# Complete the General Information Section, Additional Application Information, and Residency.

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	General Information
. General Information	First Name:
General Information	Middle Name:
💄 Demographic Info	Last Name: (required)
	Suffix:
Contact Info	Preferred First Name:
	Former last names or variations that may appear on official records or transcripts:
Education Information	Former Last Name(s):
_	(Note: Failure to provide any/all former last names will delay your application review.)
Ē	Date of Birth:
★ Military Info	Sex: ? (required)
🛤 Submit	Gender:

## Complete the Demographic and Citizenship Information.

	Demographic Information
Dashboard	Federal regulations require institutions that receive federal assistance to report minority enrollments. Your participation is optional.
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General Information	
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Contact Info	Asian     Black or African American
Education Information	□ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
🛧 Military Info	
	Citizenship Information
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	(required)

### Complete the Permanent (Primary Residence) and Current Mailing address.







Provide the name and information for <u>each</u> college or university you have ever attended for any length of time – regardless of whether or not you completed a semester.



#### Proof of Provisional Eligibility/Teaching Subject (required)

Please upload official documentation from Alabama State Department of Education and/or school where employed specifying provisional eligibility and teaching subject being pursued.

Instructions for Uploading Documents using the browse button, navigate to and select the Proof of Provisional Eligibility/Teaching Subject file you want to upload. <u>Be sure to select carefully</u> . click the Upload File Now button	
Choose File       No file chosen         Upload File Now       Proof of Provisional Eligibility/Teaching Subject has not been uploaded.	

# **Notice of Importance**

#### **Document Needed for Course Registration:**

- 1. The preferred document is a copy of your teaching provisional certificate that states specifically your provisional teaching discipline and grade level.
- If issued, the easiest method to access this is to look yourself up on the Alabama State Department of Education's public teacher search site at <u>https://tcert.alsde.edu/Portal/Public/Pages/SearchCerts.aspx</u> and take a screenshot of your record which must include your name and teaching subject. Or you may already have a PDF copy of this document.

### Sample screenshot below.

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Professional C	ertificate	
Class A, Schoo	l Counselor (050)	
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2. A letter issued from your school department on letterhead stating your teacher subject and grade level.

Sample Letter below:

School Letterhead	
November 18, 2021	
To Whom It May Concern:	
The purpose of this letter is to notify you that was hired by the Board of Education for the 2021-2022 school year. He was employed on August 1, 2021 as a Business Marketing 10-12 grade teacher at He would like to enroll in classes for the upcoming semester in order to meet the requirements for the route of Provisional Certification.	
If you need any further information regarding employment, please contact me at 256-233-8173.	
Sincerely,	low

3. Hire letter from your school board that states specifically your provisional teaching discipline and grade level on letterhead.

