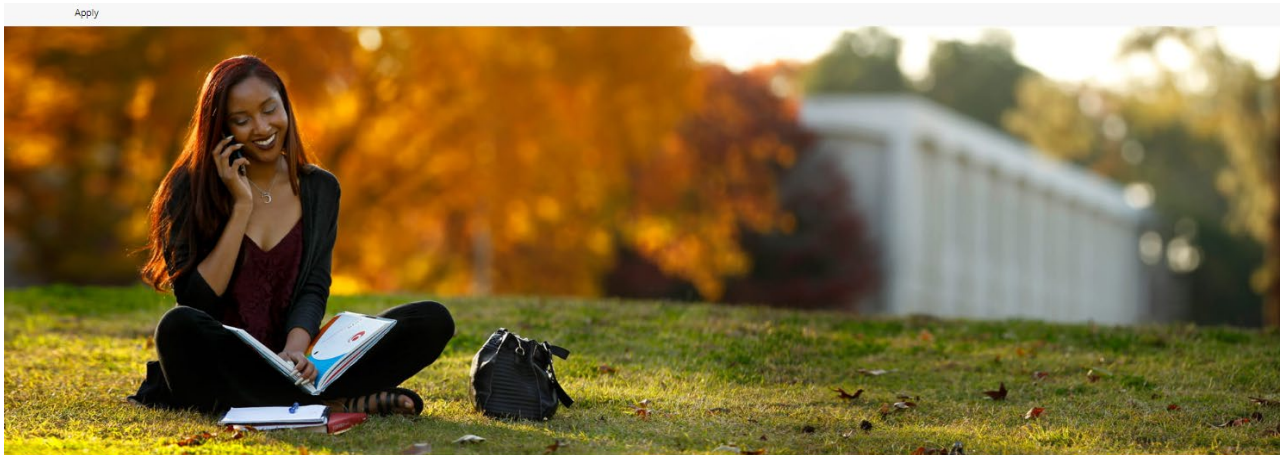


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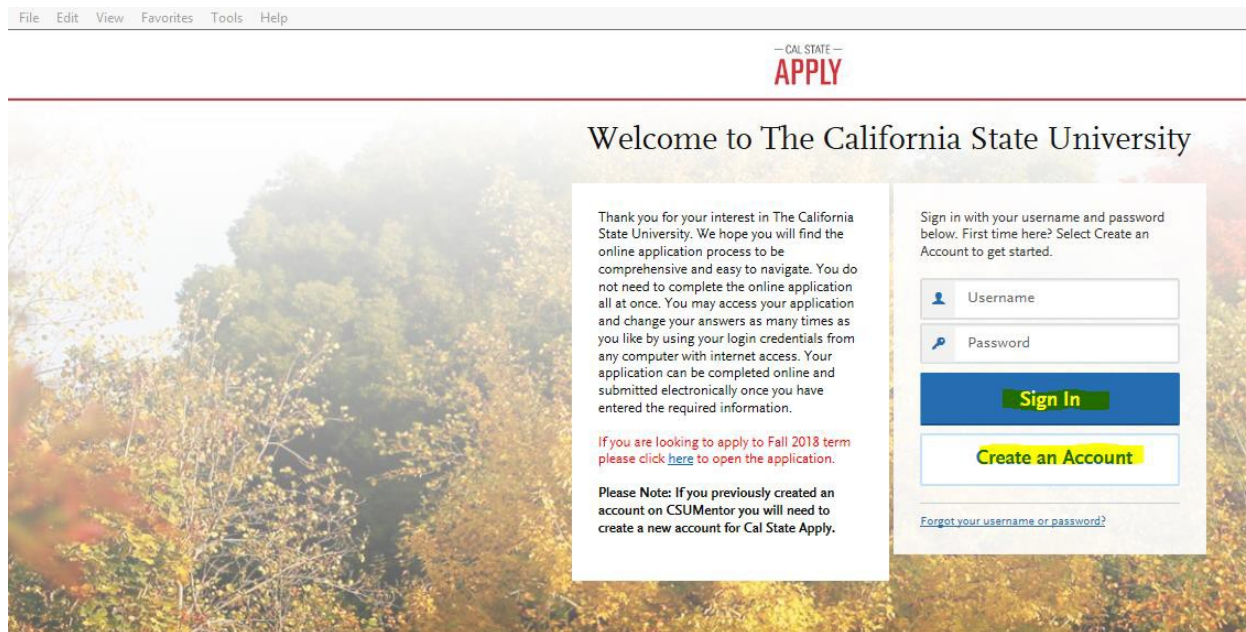
IMPORTANT: CSUN requires a separate program application to be submitted **for Credential applicants**. The program application is available on the Credentials Website <http://www.csun.edu/eisner-education/credential-office>



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STEP 1: CREATE AN ACCOUNT AND PROFILE



The screenshot shows the Cal State Apply website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with 'File', 'Edit', 'View', 'Favorites', 'Tools', and 'Help'. Below this is the 'CAL STATE APPLY' logo. The main heading reads 'Welcome to The California State University'. The page is divided into two main sections. The left section contains a welcome message: 'Thank you for your interest in The California State University. We hope you will find the online application process to be comprehensive and easy to navigate. You do not need to complete the online application all at once. You may access your application and change your answers as many times as you like by using your login credentials from any computer with internet access. Your application can be completed online and submitted electronically once you have entered the required information.' Below this is a note: 'If you are looking to apply to Fall 2018 term please click [here](#) to open the application.' and a 'Please Note: If you previously created an account on CSUMentor you will need to create a new account for Cal State Apply.' The right section is for login and account creation. It says 'Sign in with your username and password below. First time here? Select Create an Account to get started.' There are two input fields: 'Username' and 'Password'. Below these are two buttons: a blue 'Sign In' button and a yellow 'Create an Account' button. At the bottom of the right section is a link: 'Forgot your username or password?'.

Select “Create Account” to begin your application. Once you have created your account, you will need to “Complete Your Extended Profile.” In the first section titled “Degree Goal” select “Second Bachelor’s Degree and Beyond” then select “Teaching and Services Credential only.” The other questions should be self-explanatory. Click “Save Changes” once complete and then on the next page click “Start Your Application!”

* indicates required item

1. Degree Goal

* What degree, credential or certificate are you applying for?

- First Bachelor's Degree (Seeking your first bachelor's degree and have not earned a prior bachelor's degree)
- Second Bachelor's Degree and Beyond (e.g. Master's, Teaching Credential, Certificate, Doctoral)

* Please select one or more of the following degree goals.

- Second Bachelor's Degree (already earned a bachelor's degree and are seeking another one)
- Graduate (e.g. Master's, Doctoral) or Professional's Degree
- Teaching and Service Credential Only (e.g. Single or Multiple Subject, Special Education, PPS, Librarian, Admin, CalStateTEACH)
- Certificate

STEP 2: SELECT YOUR PROGRAM

Enter “Northridge” in the search box, a list of open programs will appear.

[← Back to Extended Profile](#)

Add Programs

You must select at least one program to begin your application. Use the search filters below to locate programs by **Campus Name**, **Start Term**, **Delivery** and **Source**. When using the Search field, reset (i.e. Fullerton Undergraduate). You may add additional programs from the Add Program tab at any time before the submission deadline.

Due to CSU enrollment pressures, campuses may offer very limited Lower Division and Second Baccalaureate programs. Please click [here](#) for campus specific program Dates & Deadlines.

Application fees for some undergraduate programs may be waived based on eligibility. Once you have completed your application in full, please click on the Submit Applications tab to review your fee eligibility, please click [here](#).

Programs with a Source of Extended Education are offered by Extended and Continuing Education on each campus. Programs offered through Extended Education are not eligible for automatic application structures.

[Find Program](#) | [View Selected Programs](#)

Northridge



[Filters](#)

Showing results for: Available Programs

Click on the title of the program you are interested in for detail admission information for that specific program, including deadlines.

+	Added Authorizations in Special Education	Credential
+	Bilingual Authorization	Credential
+	CLAD Certificate	Credential
+	Preliminary Early Childhood Special Education	Credential

Showing results for: Available Programs

Preliminary Early Childhood Special Education	Credential
Preliminary Education Specialist Credential - Deaf and Hard of Hearing	Credential
Preliminary Education Specialist Credential - Mild/Moderate Disabilities	Credential
Preliminary Education Specialist Credential - Moderate/Severe Disabilities	Credential
Preliminary Multiple Subject Credential	Credential
Preliminary Single Subject Credential - Art	Credential

Program Description

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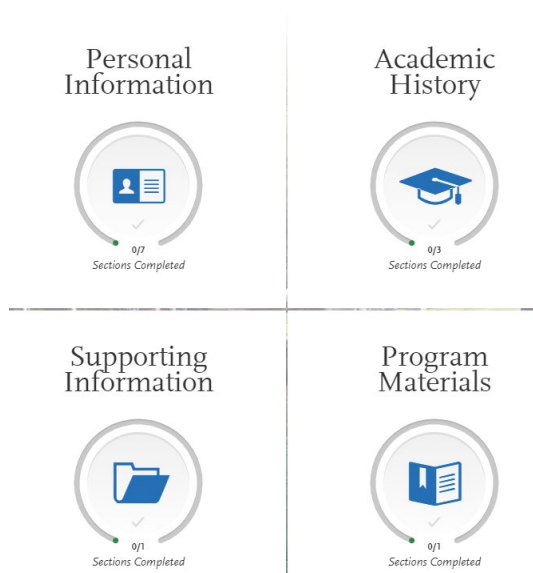
Academic Year: 2022 Source: Campus
Deadline: December 1, 2021 Degree Type: Credential
Program Name: Preliminary Multiple Subject Credential Delivery Format: Face to Face
Start Term: Spring Campus Name: CSU Northridge

The College of Education
The College of Education, as a professional school, promotes reflection, critical thinking, and excellence in teaching through interdisciplinary studies in an inclusive learning community. Its graduates are well educated persons who view themselves as lifelong learners and who are prepared to practice in an ever-changing, multicultural world. Graduates assume service and leadership roles in

Click the “+” box next to the credential program you wish to apply for. Remember that you can only apply for one program per campus, per term. On the next page, select “Continue to My Application.”

STEP 3: MY APPLICATION

On the next page, you will see the four areas of the application: **Personal Information, Academic History, Supporting Information and Program Materials**. You will need to be sure to complete all of the required information in each of these areas before it will allow you to submit the application. The Program Materials section should already be completed and show as green since we do not require any additional program materials at this time.



Personal Information

This section should be self-explanatory. In the “Other Information” section there is a question on “Teacher or Other Education Credential Information.” Be sure to select “Planning to apply to a credential program for this term” if you have either already been admitted to the credential program or if you will be submitting a program application for this term. It will then ask for your Credential Objective. Select your credential objective in the drop-down box.

Teacher or Other Education Credential Information

* Select your interest in obtaining your teacher or other educational credential.

Planning to apply to a credential program for t... ▼

* Select Credential Objective:



Academic History – You will need a copy of your transcripts to complete this section

Colleges Attended – Enter information for each college and university you have ever attended in this section. You will need to have official transcripts from each college and university you have attended sent to Admissions and Records and the Credential Office. If you have previously attended CSUN you will just need to submit any transcripts for institutions you have attended since you last attended CSUN, if any.

Transcript Entry – You DO NOT need to enter any of your transcripts in this section. Select “I Am Not Adding Any College Transcripts.”

GPA Entries – Enter the total units and GPA for each of your degrees.

Standardized Tests – You DO NOT need to enter any test information. Select “I Am Not Adding Any Standardized Tests.”

Supporting Information – This section does NOT need to be completed.

Experiences – You DO NOT need to add any experiences. Select “I Am Not Adding Any Experiences.”

Program Materials – There is nothing required in this section.

You will need to acknowledge the statement under the “Questions” tab.

Preliminary Multiple Subject Credential Deadline: 12/01/2021

Home Questions Save

* Indicates required field

Applicants to a CSUN credential program are considered for admission as post-baccalaureate **classified** students. Students interested in earning a credential should review the eligibility requirements below, the [University Catalog Credential Programs section](#) and the [Credentials Office website](#).

Please review the [Pre-Admission Disclosure for Academic Programs Leading to Licensure or Credentialing](#).

Two Application Processes

Applicants to credential programs must apply to **both** the university and the specific credential program. Many credential programs have **higher** admission standards than the university admission criteria, and all credential programs require a **separate** application.

While credential programs continue accepting applications after the university's initial filing period, some individual programs may accept applications only for fall (not spring) admission.

[Eligibility Requirements](#)

Credential Program Acknowledgment

By dating this statement, I acknowledge that I have read and understand the additional requirements to be considered for admission to the Credential Program.

STEP 4: SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION & PAY THE FEE

Once you have completed all 4 areas of the application, they will appear green when they are complete, you are ready to submit it. You will need to pay the \$70 application fee before being allowed to submit the application. Be sure to request official transcripts from all institutions you have ever attended (community colleges, universities, etc.)

Electronic transcripts:

- In your previous school's transcript ordering system, choose "CSU Northridge" as the recipient. If this option is not available, use admissions.records@csun.edu as the recipient email address.
- If submitting California community college transcripts, please review [eTranscript California](#) and use this convenient system.
- If you are a CSUN graduate, the only transcripts you are required to submit are for any other post baccalaureate coursework that you have completed at another institution.
- Both Graduate Admissions and the Credentials Office will have access to your electronic transcripts, so no duplicates are needed.
- Please do not send identical, duplicate electronic and paper transcripts!

Paper transcripts:

- If your previous school(s) do not supply electronic transcripts, have official paper copies of your transcripts sent in unopened envelopes to:
California State University, Northridge
Office of the Registrar
18111 Nordhoff Street
Northridge, CA 91330-8207

Foreign transcripts (if applicable):

Applicants with international transcripts must provide a copy of an official evaluation to the Credential Office. An official evaluation of coursework must be conducted by an approved agency, for a list of approved agencies visit [FOREIGN TRANSCRIPT EVALUATION \(ca.gov\)](#)

The official evaluation will need to be mailed to the Credential Office at the following address:

CSUN - Credential Office
18111 Nordhoff Street
Northridge, CA 91330-8265