Instruction Sheet
College of Education Application

If you are a continuing USF student (have been enrolled at USF for at least 1 semester or more):

1) Read and fill out the application.
2) Attach a copy of ALL sections of your Official General Knowledge Test Score Report (GKT).
   • Not applicable for Exercise Science applications.
3) Attach documentation of courses in-progress at another qualified institution, if applicable.
   • This means if you are currently cross enrolled at another institution.
4) Read and sign the Disclosure of Conviction form.
   • Provide appropriate documentation if “yes” is indicated on this form.
5) Complete Criminal Record Information form.
6) Application packets must include ALL required items. Incomplete applications will be denied.

If you will be a first semester transfer student (entering USF for the first time):

1) Read and fill out the application
2) Attach a copy of ALL sections of your Official General Knowledge Test Score Report (GKT)
   • Not applicable for Exercise Science applications
3) Attach copies of your transcript(s) from ALL schools attended and/or attending
   • Includes current semester in-progress work
   • Copies of transcripts are acceptable (official copies not required)
4) Read and sign the Disclosure of Conviction form.
   • Provide appropriate documentation if “yes” is indicated on this form.
5) Complete Criminal Record Information form.
6) Application packets must include ALL required items. Incomplete applications will be denied.

Deadlines for submission can be found here: [https://www.usf.edu/education/undergraduate/academic-advising/coedu-applications.aspx](https://www.usf.edu/education/undergraduate/academic-advising/coedu-applications.aspx). Admission is LIMITED. All first applied with completed applications will be first admitted.

Your admission is based upon successful completion of classes currently in progress. The College of Education reserves the right to rescind your admission for the upcoming term based upon unsuccessful completion of in progress courses.

Mail, Fax, or Drop-off applications to:

University of South Florida
Student Academic Services
4202 East Fowler Avenue, EDU105
Tampa, FL 33620-5650
Fax: (813) 974-3391

Notification of Acceptance:
You will receive written notification concerning the status of your application via email. We cannot give admission status via phone. Depending on the volume of applications received, the review process can take 2-3 weeks.

This page is for your records only. It is not necessary to include it with the application.
Application for Admission - Tampa Campus

Select a term for admission: □ Fall  □ Spring  □ Summer

Major: Social Science Education

Current Home Campus (current USF students only): □ USF Tampa  □ USF St. Petersburg  □ USF Sarasota-Manatee

USF ID#: ____________________________________________ (Example: U12345678)

Name: ____________________________________________

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Last  First  Middle/Maiden

Phone Number: ___________________________  Email: ___________________________

Circle your category:  Transfer Student  Current USF Student  Former Student Returning  Term of Entry: ____________

Have you been admitted to the USF College of Education in the past: (Circle your answer) Yes  No; if yes, when: ____________

Are you currently in progress of any courses? (Circle your answer) Yes  No

If you are a transfer student, please complete the following:

Highest degree attained (if applicable): □ A.A. □ A.S □ other: __________________

If your degree is in progress, please indicate anticipated graduation date: _________________ (month/year)

Transfer Institutions: List ALL institutions you have attended:

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Student Signature: ____________________________________________  Date: ____________

Official USF Tampa Student: □ Yes  □ No

Received: ___ / ___ / ______

□ Missing course
□ GPA too low
□ Missing Skills Test
□ Not coded as degree seeking
□ No record: USF Admission status not final
□ Transcripts not submitted w/app
□ Application packet received after deadline
□ Per COEDU Department/Program
□ Fall admit only (P.E., Early Childhood, Exercise Science)
□ Update USF admit semester from _______ to _______
□ Other:

Comments: ____________________________

□  GPA too low
□  AA Degree
□  GKT: __________________

Acceptance Status:

□  Full
□  Conditional
□  Exceptional (dept approval)

□  Hillsborough
□  Pasco

Fingerprinting:

□  Missing:

□  Coursework: __________________

□  Overall GPA: ______

□  General Knowledge Test:

M_____ R_____ ELS_____ E_____

□  APS USE ONLY

Intake: Database

Contents: Database

Database: Step 1

Email: Code

Letter

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□  Revised 3/16/2020

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Disclosure of Conviction

When you apply for a teaching certificate, you will be asked to disclose information about any existing criminal records. School districts have the right to know about any arrests, pleas of nolo contendere, adjudications withheld, or convictions that their teachers may have sustained. You will also have to supply this information to the state when you apply for a certificate. School districts have the right to obtain information regarding sealed, expunged, and/or juvenile records.

Note: Exercise Science majors are not required to submit this Disclosure.

Have you ever been arrested for, pleaded nolo contendere to, or been convicted of, a first-degree misdemeanor or felony? Yes________ No__________ (Please check one)

Any future charges or arrests may jeopardize your internship and/or teaching opportunities.

Print Full Name: ____________________________

Signature: ____________________________ Date: ________________

I understand that if I have an arrest record or if I incur one, that the following information applies:

Upon applying for admission into the College of Education, I will be required to include in my application packet:

1) A detailed letter explaining the nature of the arrest, the circumstances related to the arrest, final disposition, and any conditions set by the court.
2) Certified copies of court records, which include my arrest record/s, and any documents related to the disposition of my case. (This information can be obtained by the Clerk of the Court for the town/county where the offense/s occurred.)

♦ The College of Education cannot guarantee a placement for the final internship.

♦ The College of Education cannot guarantee that at the completion of my academic program, I will receive a Florida Teaching Certificate. (These decisions are made by the Education Standards Commission of the Florida Department of Education.)

♦ The College of Education cannot guarantee that the states with which Florida has reciprocity will issue a teaching certificate.

♦ I have been advised to contact the district/s in which I wish to seek future employment as a teacher, to investigate their respective personnel hiring procedures.

It is important that you retain a personal copy of all of the documents that are submitted to the Internship Office because you will have to present the same documents to the school district/s to which you apply for employment.

I have read and understand the information contained above.

Signature: ____________________________ Date: ________________

USF ID #: ____________________
Fingerprinting and Early Field Experience

Please read carefully and complete the required information.

As a student in the Social Science Education Program, you will be required to engage in early field experience in the public classroom. To do so, you must be fingerprinted.

Your program will allow you to conduct your early field experience in either Hillsborough County or Pasco County. Please indicate your preference of only one county below:

□ Hillsborough
□ Pasco

Important: Placements for early field experience are made based on available space. Please await further information on fingerprinting before taking action. Fingerprinting information will be sent to the email address indicated on your application.

My signature below indicates acknowledgement of the need to be fingerprinted prior to beginning early field experience.

Student Signature: ____________________________________________  Date: ______________________
CRIMINAL RECORD INFORMATION - ALL APPLICANTS PLEASE READ VERY CAREFULLY.

ATTENTION:

Under provisions in Florida Statutes 943.0585 and 943.059, the **entire** arrest record is revealed to school districts by the Florida Department of Law Enforcement and the FBI when fingerprints are supplied, including "sealed records" and "expunged records." Therefore, you are **required** to reveal such information on this application.

NOTICE TO APPLICANTS:

You must provide all information requested, regardless of whether your criminal record has been sealed in any part. Florida law allows the School Board access to sealed and/or all other criminal records. Information disclosed pursuant to this section will be evaluated on an individualized basis, taking into account the nature of the offense and underlying conduct, the relevance of the offense to the employment position(s) for which you are applying, the proximity in time of the occurrence of the offense in relation to this application, and other relevant factors. However, your failure to disclose any requested information will, in the absence of extraordinary, mitigating circumstances, result in the rejection of your application or, if the non-disclosure is discovered after your hire, the termination of your employment.

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<th>Have you ever been arrested or charged for a criminal offense other than a minor traffic violation? (DUI is NOT considered a minor traffic violation.)</th>
<th>☐ Yes</th>
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<td>Is there any criminal charge now pending against you other than a minor traffic violation? (DUI is NOT considered a minor traffic violation.)</td>
<td>☐ Yes</td>
<td>☐ No</td>
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<td>Are you currently on probation or currently under any imposed requirements for charges other than a minor traffic violation? (DUI is NOT considered a minor traffic violation.)</td>
<td>☐ Yes</td>
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If YES to any of the above, give details below AND refer to page two of this document for further requirements.

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<th>Date</th>
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<th>Nature of Charge(s)</th>
<th>Disposition of Charge(s)</th>
<th>Is the record sealed?</th>
<th>Is the record expunged?</th>
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I certify that the answers given by me to the foregoing questions and statements are true and correct without any falsifications, omissions, or misleading statements of any kind whatsoever. I agree that Hillsborough County Public Schools shall not be held liable in any respect if I am not employed or if my employment is terminated because of false or misleading statements or answers or omission made by me in this application.

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| Signature                                                                 | Date |

Criminal Record Information Form – Page 1 of 2
Hillsborough County Public Schools
PLEASE NOTE: The application of any person with a criminal history requires review and approval to determine eligibility for employment. If you have such a criminal history, your application will be held in a pending file until the review process is complete.

For each criminal charge listed on page one of this document, provide a narrative account of the circumstances leading to the charge. (You may attach additional pages.) Include in this statement,

- the level of the charge (felony or misdemeanor),
- the resolution of the charge, and
- the conditions imposed upon you as a result of the charge.

Depending on the nature and outcome of the charges described below, you also may be requested to secure and provide a copy of the arresting agency's report, verification of the court's ruling, and documentation of successful completion of imposed conditions.

***Noticia***

HCPS collects your Social Security number for the following purposes:
Identification and verification, employment qualification, tax reporting, benefits and retirement processing, unemployment compensation, and state reporting to the Department of Education. Social Security numbers are also used as a unique numeric identification within some of our systems and may be used for search purposes.

***Noticia***

Las Escuela Public del Condado de Hillsborough requieren su numero de Seguro Social para los siguientes propósitos:
Identificación y verificación, requisitos para ser empleado, informes fiscales, prestaciones y el procesamiento de jubilación, indemnizaciones para desempeño, y los informes estatales al Departamento de Educación. Los números de seguro social también se utilizan como una identificación numérica única dentro de algunos de nuestros sistemas y pueden ser utilizados para buscar información.