



### PROGRAM SNAPSHOT

- On-Campus & Hybrid
- 36 Hours
- Paid Internship
- Initial certification plus Masters degree

# UNIVERSITY FAST FACTS!

**9:1** student to faculty ratio

**20 +** Percentage of Graduate Student Population

**85 +** Percentage of Courses Taught by Full-time Faculty

**13 +** Percentage of US Population with Advanced Degree

**\$1497** Median Weekly Earnings for Master's Degree

*\*US Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2019*



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### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Elementary teachers
- Middle School teachers
- High School teachers
- Special Education teachers

### GRADUATE SCHOOL ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- » Complete the graduate application, including essay, at [www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org)
- » Pay the non-refundable application fee via your electronic application or through our Business Office
- » Submit final transcripts from all institutions previously attended
- » Provide proof of bacterial meningitis vaccination for students aged 21 and under
- » If an applicant's GPA is between 2.5 and 2.99, acceptable minimum GRE or GMAT scores must be submitted prior to beginning any coursework. Only official score reports will be accepted. These must be sent directly to the Graduate School by ETS or Pearson Education
- » Additional program requirements

## Master of Arts TEACHING

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## IT'S TIME TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Are you ready for a career that is truly rewarding? Are you ready for the responsibility of shaping the future of our society? The M.A. Teaching program at Texas A&M University-Central Texas is designed for students who have received their bachelor's degree and are ready to take the next step and enter the teaching profession. Our students work alongside an experienced, dedicated faculty at mastering the art of teaching. Whether your future is in elementary, secondary, or special education, the time to start making a difference is now.



## TRANSFORMATIVE TEACHING

While the job market is ever-changing, one fact remains constant: good teachers are always in demand. In the M.A. Teaching program, students who have already earned a bachelor's degree begin by taking six certification courses. From there, they gain on-the-job experience through a year-long paid internship. Our experienced team of education professors is there the entire time, guiding our future teachers not only in content area knowledge, but in the art of effective, transformative teaching. Good teaching is an art form, and our students learn from the best, so that they can be the best.

## OUTCOMES COME FIRST

It's true that experience is the best teacher. Our program equips future teachers with the resources and skills that make their teaching experiences as valuable and enriching as possible. In our program, you will learn how to create effective, culturally responsive, and engaging curriculum. You will learn how to provide high-quality instruction in a productive learning environment. You will learn how to conduct relevant research and make informed, data-driven decisions. You will learn all these skills for one reason: so that your students can learn from you.



## MARKETABLE SKILLS FOR A CAREER IN TEACHING

- **Learning Strategies** - Select and use instructional methods appropriate for the situation when teaching concepts and skills.
- **Active Listening** - Give full attention to what students are saying, taking time to understand the points being made, asking questions as appropriate, and not interrupting at inappropriate times.
- **Social Perceptiveness** - Develop an awareness of others' reactions and understand why they act and react as they do.
- **Time Management** - Manage time effectively both from the student and teacher perspective in the classroom.
- **Instructing** - Teach diverse individuals how to develop meaning and apply knowledge and skills in an authentic manner.
- **Ethical & Social Responsibility** - Identify and analyze social challenges in a culturally and ethnically diverse world and form possible resolutions.
- **Globalization & Diversity** - Strengthen working relationships by considering cultural differences from diverse perspectives.
- **Information Processing** - Visualize, conceptualize, and organize information in a logical manner.
- **Communication** - Effectively convey ideas and actions through writing, speaking, and visual representation.
- **Teamwork** - Collaborate with multi-disciplinary teams to achieve a common goal through the use of excellent interpersonal, problem-solving, and communication skills.
- **Decision Making** - Evaluate information to define practical actions.
- **Computer Literacy** - Efficiently complete tasks by using common computer software and by learning additional software as needed

## THE SECRET TO SUCCESS? A MASTER'S DEGREE

Dedicated to improving the lives of students through a variety of professional master's programs, the A&M-Central Texas Graduate School combines discipline-specific coursework with traditional, marketable workplace skills. Our flexible programs give students the knowledge, skills, and confidence they need to increase their overall earning potential, advance in their current career, or start a brand new one.