

**ROUTES TO TEACHING  
ELEMENTARY EDUCATION  
ELEMENTARY/MODERATE DISABILITIES  
TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAMS**

<b>PROGRAM</b>	<b>AUDIENCE</b>	<b>ADMISSIONS</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>MTEL</b>
<b>OPTION 1 Elementary Education</b>	Graduates of accredited colleges and universities  Elementary Education Only	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Appropriate undergraduate preparation</li> <li>• 3.0 GPA</li> <li>• MTEL Tests</li> <li>• Application Deadline: August 1st</li> </ul>	Fall	Communication and Literacy and General Curriculum Multi Subject and Mathematics* Subtests must be successfully completed for admission
<b>OPTION II** Elementary/Moderate Disabilities (Dual License)</b>	Graduates of accredited colleges and universities  Elementary/Moderate Disabilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Appropriate undergraduate preparation</li> <li>• 3.0 GPA</li> <li>• MTEL Tests</li> <li>• Application Deadline: August 1st</li> </ul>	Fall	Communication and Literacy and General Curriculum Multi Subject and Mathematics* Subtests must be successfully completed for admission

\* If the mathematics test is not passed, but the rest of the application is acceptable, applicants will be guided to complete undergraduate mathematics courses in the following topics:

- Numbers and Operations
- Geometry and Measurement
- Algebra and Data Analysis

These courses are offered at UMass campuses during the fall and spring semesters. Candidates may also be permitted to take one graduate education course in the fall and one in the spring on a NON-MATRICULATED basis. The application will be reconsidered once the math MTEL has been passed.

\*\* \$5000 GSE Fellowships are available for suitably qualified candidates in the second year of the program who are selected to complete their two practica in high need districts