

FSEHD Spring 2022 Undergraduate Admissions Application Information

FSEHD will hold two Admissions Orientation sessions, via Zoom (online), 12:30 – 1:50 (Zoom Links on Page 2)

- October 20th session:** Secondary Education, K-12 programs including health and physical education, WES and CPHP
October 27th session: Early Childhood, Elementary Math and Science and Elementary Special Education programs
 → *Youth Development students have a different admission process and do not need to attend an orientation.*

What are the FSEHD admissions requirements for my program?

- **Your Advisor.** Contact your advisor to confirm your **program specific requirements**. If you do not have an advisor, please contact your department to request an advisor.
- **Academic Rhode Maps.** Go to: [FSEHD Undergraduate Programs and Admission webpage](#) and click your program. The Rhode Map can be found with course information at the bottom of the program's page.

What are the general requirements for Admission to FSEHD programs?

1. **Credits** - Completed at least 24 college credit hours, which can include transfer credits
2. **GPA** - Obtained a Minimum Grade Point Average of 2.75
 - If you meet all admission requirements (general and program) and your GPA falls between a 2.60 and 2.749 you will receive a full admission with a GPA Contingency. The 2.75 GPA must be met before student teaching or internship courses.
3. **Writing Requirement** – Obtained a B or higher in First Year Writing or an equivalent/transfer (as determined by RIC admissions). The B or higher also meets RIC's Writing Competency. The writing requirement can also be met in the following ways:
 - Earn a score of 59 or better on the College Composition College Level Examination Program (CLEP) Test
 - Earn a score of 4 or 5 on the Advanced Placement (AP) Test for English Language and Composition
4. **Mathematics Requirement** - Met the RIC mathematics requirement. It also satisfies the FSEHD mathematics requirement and can be done in multiple ways:
 - Appropriate placement on RIC's Mathematics Placement Exam
 - Successful completion of Math 010 or equivalent
 - Transferring in a course equivalent to Math 120 or Transferring in a course equivalent to Math 177 or higher at RIC
 - Classic Accuplacer scores (test date prior to August 2018)
 - Arithmetic + Algebra score of at least 107 or Algebra score of at least 57

What type of admission can I apply for?

- **Full Admission:** You have met all of the admission requirements (general and program specific).
- **Full Admission with a GPA Contingency:** You have met all the admission requirements except your GPA is below 2.75 and is currently between 2.60 and 2.749. You can continue with program coursework; however, the 2.75 GPA must be met before student teaching or internship courses. A Candidate Success Plan is recommended to closely monitor your academic progress. You will receive more information after being admitted.
- **Conditional Admission - Basic Skills Tests (This is for Teacher Certification Programs):** You have met all of the admission requirements and any of your basic skills test scores fall below the required score but within the conditional range. See below for more information.

How do I apply?

- All program applicants, including 2nd bachelor's degree students must submit a FSEHD Application Portfolio in Chalk and Wire (C&W). See page 2.

FSEHD Initial Teacher Certification Programs – Admission Requirements

What are the general admission requirements for all students in initial teacher certification programs?

Foundations Courses (2)

- Pass FNED 101: Introduction to Teaching and Learning (Credit/No Credit). FNED 101 is required of all students entering RIC in fall 2019 or later.
- Obtain a B- or better in FNED 246: Schooling for Social Justice. FNED 246 replaced FNED 346 but FNED 346 meets this requirement

Disposition Assessments (3)

- Self-, faculty instructor and supervisor assessments completed in FNED 246/346. Upload with your application.

Basic Skills Tests Score (SAT, ACT, or Core)

- Meet the required scores for the basic skills test.
- On the [Admissions Undergraduate Certification Programs](#) page, scroll down to Admission Requirements for Initial Certification Programs, Testing Requirement, to view the Required Score and Conditional Range Chart. If any of your scores fall within the range you can apply for conditional admission and will be eligible for enrollment in a content module (Literacy and/or Math). Earning a B or higher in the module(S), will take the place of the test score requirement(s). More information will be provided at the orientation session.

FSEHD Initial Teacher Certification Programs, cont.

What are the Specific Program Requirements for my initial teacher certification program(s)?

- [FSEHD Undergraduate Initial Teacher Certification Programs and Admissions](#): Select this site to access program information and specific program admission requirements for initial teacher certification or go to:
- [Art Education](#) [Early Childhood Education](#) [Elementary Education](#)
- [Health Education](#) [Music Education](#) [Physical Education](#)
- [Secondary Education](#): Biology, Chemistry, English, General Science, History, Mathematics, Physics, Social Studies
- [Special Education](#) [Technology Education](#) [World Languages Education](#)
French, Spanish, Portuguese

Program Requirements for FSEHD Community Programs

Select the [FSEHD Undergraduate Community Programs and Admissions](#) page to access program information and requirements for admission into the FSEHD or access the Rhode Maps below.

Department of Health and Physical Education (Rhode Maps found at bottom of webpages listed below.)

- [BS in Community and Public Health Promotion](#) (CPHP)
- [BS in Wellness and Exercise Science](#) (WES)

Elementary Education Department

- [BS in Early Childhood Education: Birth-3](#)
- [BS in Early Childhood Education: Community Pgrms.](#)

Education Studies Department

- [Youth Development](#) (Youth development students have a different admission process.)

How and when do I Submit my FSEHD application in Chalk and Wire?

1. All program applicants must submit an FSEHD Application Portfolio in **Chalk and Wire** (C&W) between
→ **December 15, 2021 and January 6, 2022. Do not apply before December 15th.**
2. You will create your portfolio by uploading documentation of meeting FSEHD and Program Specific requirements including but not limited to:
 - a. transcripts,
 - b. dispositions (if required)
 - c. basic skills test score reports (if required)
3. Instructions on setting up your portfolio and submitting your application will be provided during the orientation sessions and instructions will be posted in the Admissions Spring 2022 Folder, which will be posted on the on the [FSEHD home page](#)
4. **Zoom Link Sessions**
 - **October 20th session:** Secondary Education and all K-12 programs including health and physical education
 - RIC FSEHD Admission Orientation Zoom Meeting
 - Join Zoom Meeting: <https://ri-college.zoom.us/j/85175296963?pwd=dEt6UkRkMlVsVnQ1ZFhiVUJFRi84QT09>
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5. Please see our [FSEHD Frequently Asked Questions](#) page for more information on a range of topics and requirements.
6. The [C & W Resource page](#) provides information about getting or renewing a C&W account as well as support for any C&W issues you may be experiencing.

For more information contact:

→ **your advisor**

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