

**SECONDARY FIFTH-YEAR NONTRADITIONAL MASTERS (FYNT)
PROGRAM**

Application for Admission to Graduate Study

DATE OF APPLICATION _____

I. Personal Information (Print)

Name _____
Last First Middle

Present Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone Number (____) _____ E-mail Address _____

Next two lines for statistical purposes: (Voluntary – will not be used in a discriminatory manner).

Religious Preference _____ Birth Date _____

Gender _____ Marital Status _____ Race _____

II. Present Employer Information

Present Employer _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone Number (____) _____ Title of Position _____

III. Educational Information

Please make a checkmark corresponding to the program you plan to complete.

Major

___ Biology ___ Math ___ General Science ___ Spanish

___ History
Science ___ English Language Arts ___ Social

IV. Additional Information

When do you anticipate starting the graduate program? _____

Are you in possession of a teaching certificate? Yes___ No___
Type_____

If you do not hold a certificate, are you eligible for one? Yes___ No ___ Type_____ALT
A_____

Graduate School Entrance Testing Information – OFFICIAL SCORE REPORT MUST BE SENT TO GRADUATE STUDIES OFFICE as part of your application materials-no score over 6 years old will be accepted.

	Date	Score
Miller Analogies Test	_____	_____
OR		
Graduate Record Examination	_____	_____

Name of Institution	Date(s) Attended	Major/Minor
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Degree _____

Have you completed a survey of special education course? Yes___ No___

If you have, please indicate where and when the course was taken:

Institution_____ Date_____

Is there any other information that you would like to share about your academic or professional background? _____

Have you ever been placed on academic probation by any school? If so, please explain.

In making this application, I realize that Samford University is a Christian institution and that it has a right to require of students conduct that is at all times honorable, clean and

sober. I certify that I have given full and complete information concerning my academic background.

Signed _____ Date _____

This form must be completed and signed before application can be processed in the Admissions Office. Samford University is an Equal Opportunity Institution and does not discriminate in receiving applications and offering programs based upon race color, gender, national origin, age (over 40), disability, marital status, or veteran status and in all ways fulfills its obligations under Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, and Title I of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.

If you have any questions or need additional guidance in filling out this application, please contact Ashley Cacioppo, FYNT Program Coordinator, at (205) 726-2947 or acaciopp@samford.edu. You may fax applications and other materials (with the exception of academic transcripts which must be mailed) to (205) 726- 2479.

Transcripts, test scores, letters of recommendation and application materials should be addressed to:

Ashley Cacioppo, FYNT Coordinator
119 Propst Hall
Samford University
800 Lakeshore Drive
Birmingham, AL 35229

Summary of Unconditional Graduate Admission Standards:

1. Two official transcripts from any college or university attended.
2. Minimum GPA of 2.8/4.0 on ALL college work attempted and in the MAJOR area.
3. Teaching Field Requirements met or passing score on appropriate Praxis II test.
4. Completion of application.
5. Three letters of recommendation.
6. Passing score on the MAT or GRE (including passing score on GRE writing sample or alternative writing requirement).
7. Suitability letter confirming background clearance check.
8. 3-5 page paper on a current issue in education.
9. \$25.00 application fee (waived for Samford alumni).

When each student's file is complete, he or she will be presented to the Graduate Admission Committee for review and formal admission. Please note that submission of an application to the Graduate Program does not signify admission to any program.