

Master of Education (Educational Leadership and Mentorship)

Admission Requirements:

1. Applications open October 1st and close January 31st for admission to the MEd Program.
2. Applicants must hold an undergraduate degree (BSc, BA, BEd, BGS or equivalent);
3. Applicants must hold a current teaching certificate issued by the TRB or TRB-recognized certification body (prior to the program start date in July);
4. Applicants should have a minimum of 2 years of experience in the K-12 education system (or equivalent experience in a K-12 educational setting);
5. Applicant must have a minimum 3.0 GPA (from the last 2 years of your undergrad);
6. Applicant must provide all items requested in the Application Checklist below.

Application Checklist:

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Please complete this form and return it with all required documents to admissions@ufv.ca.

Name: _____ Phone#: _____

Email: _____

- 1. Review the MEd program vision, outcomes, and courses as described on the [UFV School of Education website](#).
- 2. [Apply online for admission to UFV](#). A nominal application processing fee applies for Graduate Studies.
- 3. Enclose a resume.
- 4. Written statement: Choose **one** of the following prompts and respond to it in a maximum 500 word statement.

- a. What experiences have motivated you to continue your education degree at the graduate level?
 - b. Describe at least two recent accomplishments within your professional practice that demonstrate your capacity for innovative and independent thinking.
 - c. Describe a situation in which you have demonstrated leadership and/or mentorship in your school or district.
 - d. What do you hope to learn in a graduate program to enhance your leadership and mentorship knowledge and capacities?
 - e. Select an issue, concern, or dilemma you are witnessing in today's complex educational context. Explain why it is important to you, and how you would approach addressing it.
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- 5. Have an official transcript sent directly from all post-secondary institutions you have attended to **admissions@ufv.ca**.
 - 6. Arrange for three referees to complete the "[Admission Reference Form](#)" available on the MEd website. Upon completion, please instruct referees to submit this form electronically to **admissions@ufv.ca**.
 - 7. Evidence of teaching certification: Submit a copy of your current Certificate Verification Card (if not available, include a note of when you will submit it).
 - 8. Indicate here if you plan to supervise/mentor a UFV teacher candidate at any time during the two years of the MEd program.
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Ensure all of the above documents are sent electronically to admissions@ufv.ca.