



Master of Science in Education

**Teaching English as a Foreign Language
TEFL/TESOL**

KOREA

Admission Application

Nova Southeastern University
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Thank you for applying to Nova Southeastern University's (NSU) Fischler School of Education and Human Services (FSEHS). Please read the pages that follow carefully and complete the application in its entirety. If you have any questions, please call 1-800-986-3223, ext. 8674

Application Instructions and Admission Criteria

1. Complete the admission application packet and submit with a \$50.00 non-refundable application fee (U.S. dollars) made payable to Nova Southeastern University. The admissions packet should be addressed to:

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Associate Dean, International Affairs
Fischler School of Education and Human Services
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2. Include with your application or send separately to the above address the following documents:
 - a. Evidence of a valid temporary or professional teaching certificate/license (if applicable).
 - b. Official transcripts from **all** previously attended academic institutions. An official transcript indicating conferral of a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution is required. A minimum **2.5** cumulative grade point average (CGPA) is required for all students.

Applicants who do not meet the **2.5 CGPA** requirement must submit Graduate Record Exam (GRE) scores (a combined score of 1000 for the verbal and quantitative scales only). If the applicant does not meet the minimum **2.5 CGPA** or GRE score requirement, the applicant may enroll in a maximum of six (6) credit hours and must earn a grade of B or better in each course during the first term of enrollment for **conditional admission**. Students who do not earn a grade of B or better in each course will be subject to dismissal from the program.

For International Applicants

Include with your application or send separately to the above address the following documents:

- a. An official course-by-course evaluation with cumulative GPA, by one of the following organizations:
 - Josef Silny & Associates, Inc. Available online at <http://www.jsilny.com/>
 - World Education Services. Available online at <http://www.wes.org/nova.asp>
- b. A minimum 2.5 cumulative grade point average (CGPA) is required for all students.

For Non-Native English Speakers

Applicants whose native language is not English are required to demonstrate English proficiency by providing proof of (1) a minimum score of 213 on the computer-based, 79-80 in the Internet-based **or** 550 on the paper-based, Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) exam, **or** (2) 6.0 on the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) exam.



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Circle expected start term: Fall Winter Summer 200__

Instructional Delivery: **Online**

Social Security Number ____/____/____ Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Last name First Name M.I. Maiden Name

Legal/Permanent Address

Street
() ()

City State ZIP Home Telephone Business Telephone/Extension

Email Address () Fax Number

Emergency Contact

Name Street Address

() ()

City State ZIP Home Telephone Business Telephone/Extension

Relationship

Please list colleges and universities attended. **You must provide official transcripts from ALL colleges and/or universities attended.** Your degree must be from a **regionally accredited** institution.

Complete Name of College/University	State	Date Started (Mo/Yr)	Date Ended (Mo/Yr)	Major Field	Degree Awarded (B.S., M.S.)	GPA

Do you plan to transfer graduate credits ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, please use http://www.fgse.nova.edu/gtep/forms/req_xfer_cred.pdf

General Information Section

Ethnic Origin Data:

(The provision of this information is voluntary and we request it for reporting purposes only. This information will not be used in any discriminatory manner.)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> White (not of Hispanic origin) | <input type="checkbox"/> Thai | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian Indian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American | <input type="checkbox"/> Puerto Rican | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown or not reported |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Asian not listed |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Hispanic or Latino | <input type="checkbox"/> Japanese |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mexican | <input type="checkbox"/> Native American or Alaskan Native | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Filipino | <input type="checkbox"/> Korean | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> I decline to respond | |

Veterans' Information

Have you ever served in the United States Armed Forces? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, complete the following:

Branch of service: _____ Rank: _____

Entry date: _____ Date and type of discharge: _____

Reserve status: _____ Are you eligible for veterans benefits? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If so, under what law? _____

Citizenship Status

Failure to complete this information may delay the processing of your financial aid and delay your matriculation should you require certain documentation in order to attend classes in the United States.

☐ United States Citizen

☐ Temporary resident

☐ Nonresident Alien

☐ Permanent Resident

If you are a nonresident alien, please complete the following.

Country of Birth

Country of Citizenship

Is English your native language? ☐ Yes ☐ No If not, documentation of English literacy is required.

Do you currently have a U.S. visa? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, what type? _____

What is the expiration date? ____/____/____ (mm/dd/yy)

Do you require an I-20? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you have any questions, please visit our Web site: <http://www.nova.edu/cwis/registrar/iss>

Financial Aid

Have you applied for financial aid?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Have you filed a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, when was the FAFSA sent to Iowa? Date: _____

Certification/Licensure Waiver

I understand that the Master of Science in education program does not guarantee certification or licensure at the local, regional, or state level. Students seeking certification/licensure should contact the department of education in the state in question to confirm certification or licensure requirements.

Initial here: _____

Please note the following statements:

1. I declare that the above information, to the best of my knowledge, is complete and accurate. I have read and understand the requirements, policies, and procedures stated in the catalog and student handbook. I agree to abide by all the rules and regulations of Fischler School of Education and Human Services and Nova Southeastern University.
2. I give Nova Southeastern University permission to publish and use any photos in which I appear that may be taken during class or other University activities.
3. I understand that all required official and final admission documents must be received within 90 days from the official start date of the term. If my documents are not received by the end of this 90 day period I understand the following will apply until my student status is changed to “fully admitted.”
 - a. Further attendance will be disallowed.
 - b. Financial aid will not be disbursed.

Initial here: _____

Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offense, been found guilty or entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere (no contest), regardless of adjudication?

Yes ☐

No ☐

If the answer is yes, please explain. _____

The disclosure obligation is a continuing one. All applicants must report to the Fischler School of Education and Human Services any such event that occurs after filing their application. The admissions committee and the Fischler School of Education and Human Services will consider new information submitted and, in appropriate circumstances, may change the status of applicant or student.

Permission is hereby given to make any necessary inquiries. I voluntarily and knowingly authorize any former school, government agency, employer, person, firm, corporation, its officers, employees and agents, or any other person or entity making a written or oral request for such information.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Nova Southeastern University is accredited by the Commission on colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 (<http://www.sacscoc.org/>), Telephone number 404-679-4501) to award bachelor's, master's, educational specialist, and doctoral degrees. Nova Southeastern University admits students of any race, color, sex, age, nondisqualifying handicap, religion or creed, or national or ethnic origin.



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Personal Statement-Essay

ESSAY WRITING TEST

Write a 250-word essay in response to the question below. You can use the space provided or include an additional page. Please type or print clearly.

Why become an English Language Teaching Professional?

You are about to start a program that will help you become TEFL Specialist. Please explain the reasons why you want to become a specialist in this field. You can mention any previous professional/personal previous experience you have had or a person/teacher who inspired you to choose this profession.