



CATEP

Community-based Aboriginal
Teacher Education Program

2025 Admissions Application

Thank you for your interest in Access Education at the University of Winnipeg! The University of Winnipeg is known for academic excellence, Indigenous scholarships, environmental commitment, small class sizes, and campus diversity. UWinnipeg is committed to improving access to post-secondary education for all individuals, especially those from non-traditional communities.

Complete all items in ink. Return the application, and all required documents to:

Access Education, The University of Winnipeg, 515 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba CANADA R3B 2E9

Applicant Information

Student Number (current or former students at the U of W Collegiate, ELP or PACE): _____

Manitoba Education and Training (M.E.T.) Number (Manitoba high school students): _____

Name (as it appears on your official ID):

Given/First _____ Middle _____ Last/Family _____

Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Other

Date of Birth: Day _____ Month _____ Year _____ Primary Language _____

Residency

Are you a Permanent Resident? No ☐ Yes ☐

Country of Citizenship _____

Email Address _____

Telephone _____

Permanent Address

Address _____

City _____

Province/State _____

Postal Code/Zip _____

Country _____

Mailing Address

Address _____

City _____

Province/State _____

Postal Code/Zip _____

Country _____

Self Declaration

Our student population reflects the character of the inner-city. Please check which category best describes you:

- ☐ First Nations (status) ☐ First Nations (non-status) ☐ Inuit ☐ Métis ☐ Immigrant / Refugee
☐ Member of visible or other minority ☐ Non-Indigenous and born in Canada

Accessibility Services

Accessibility Services offers support services and resources for students with disabilities or medical conditions.

Would you like to be contacted with more information?

☐ Yes ☐ No



Family Status

Please check which category applies to you:

- ☐ Single parent ☐ Married/Common Law ☐ Separated / Divorced ☐ Single (no children)
- ☐ Non-custodial parent

How many dependants do you have? _____

What ages are your dependants? _____

Student Loans

You may need to apply for a Canada Student Loan (CSL) as part of your financial support.

Have you applied for such a loan before? Yes • No •

Note: you must be a resident in Canada for one year to be eligible for a loan.

If Yes: • Are you making payments?

• Is it paid off?

• Are you in default?

What plans have you made to pay for your university costs?

Community / Volunteer Activities

Your community activities give us information about your interests and responsibilities as well as other things you may have learned. Please list schools, ethnic/cultural groups, social service organizations or other community groups you have been associated with as a volunteer in the past 5 years:

Organization or Group	Your role or activity	Dates to / from	# of hours per month

Please elaborate on your community/volunteer activities. As well, include skills/experience you have acquired from at-home parenting, community activism, advocating for yourself or others, etc.



Previous Education

Where else have you studied? This includes high schools, colleges, universities and any other post-secondary institution, whether you graduated, just took a few courses, or withdrew completely. It is very important that we know everywhere you have been and what you have taken. It is a matter of academic honesty to disclose all institutions attended. Withholding information can result in cancellation of acceptance or dismissal from the University. You must disclose studies that you passed and failed. If the courses you have done are similar to work you need to do for your degree at UWinnipeg, you might end up saving yourself time by not having to re-take some classes. For each school you list, please submit an official transcript (copies are not accepted). For transfer credit evaluation, we may ask you to submit further information such as course outlines, reading lists or syllabi. All documents must be submitted to Admissions within one month after submitting this application.

Full Name of Secondary School (High School)	Country	From/To (Year to Year)	Diploma/Degree Earned	Date
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Full Name of University/College	Country	From/To (Year to Year)	Diploma/Degree Earned	Date
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Employment

Please list your work experience, beginning with your most recent job. This information will highlight some knowledge and skills you may have gained from such experience. Do not attach a resume.

Employer & Address		
Job Title /Position	Reason for Leaving	
What did you do in your job?		
Hours worked per week:	Dates employed From: _____ M/Y To: _____ M/Y	Supervisor:



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Please check all that apply:

You are:	Please ✓ all that apply	Your partner is:
	Employed full-time (30 hr/week or more)	
	Employed part-time	
	Employed seasonally	
	Working in the home	
	Self-employed	
	Unemployed	
	Student	
	A Volunteer	



Autobiography

In your own words, please write a short autobiography. It is important that you include information which tells us why you want to be a teacher. Include any appropriate information which you think the selection committee should know in order to assess your suitability and readiness for the program. The following suggestions may help you do this:

- Your present family life situation and parenting experiences.
- Your memories of childhood and school.
- Circumstances in your life which kept you from pursuing an education or career.
- What have you done to deal with the issues you have faced in your life?
- Experiences as or with a member of a minority group (eg. visible minority, disability, newcomer, etc).
- Experiences as a client, patient, student, worker, etc.
- Your participation in community, self-help, or personal development activities.
- When and how you became interested in teaching and in our program.
- What you have done to further your interest in this area.
- Why you should be chosen for this program? Why you need the Access Education Program?
- How do your family and friends feel about you becoming a student. What supports do you have that will help you be successful at WEC (i.e. family, friends, etc.)?
- Anything you wish to add or elaborate on. (i.e. physical or mental disability)



Declaration

Have you ever been required to withdraw from studies at another university or college because of unsatisfactory performance or for disciplinary reasons? **No** ☐ **Yes** ☐ If so, explain on a separate sheet.

I declare that all statements made with respect to this application are true and complete, that all records are complete and unaltered, and that accepting this declaration permits The University of Winnipeg to request, confirm, and/or share any necessary information with other educational institutions to support my application. If enrolled in a joint program, I authorize The University of Winnipeg to share my academic record with partner institutions. If accepted to The University of Winnipeg, I agree to follow University regulations.

I accept that misinterpretation, falsification of documents, or the withholding of requested information with respect to this application can result in cancellation of my acceptance and registration or dismissal from the University and that any information on falsifications may be shared with the Association of Registrars of the Universities and Colleges of Canada.

I accept this declaration.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____



Documentation Checklist

**The following documents are expected to accompany your application submitted by
March 1 – 4:00 pm.**

- 1.** Application form complete with autobiography.
- 2.** All Official Secondary Transcripts (High school; if your High School does not give out official copies you can contact Manitoba Education and Training at the following link <http://www.edu.gov.mb.ca/k12/studrec/marks.html>
- 3.** Proof of Age (copy of birth certificate or other government identification)
- 4.** All **official** Post-Secondary Education Transcripts (Red River College, Urban Circle, University of Brandon, Manitoba, Continuing Education, Bible college, etc....)
- 5.** Name Change Documents (Marriage or Divorce Certificate or name change certificate).
- 6.** Original Criminal Record Check with the vulnerable sector search. Must be recent, documents older than 3 months at the time of application will not be accepted. <http://www.winnipeg.ca/police/pr/pic.stm> or in person at WPS Headquarters, or your local RCMP detachment.
YOU CAN SUBMIT THE RECEIPT WITH YOUR APPLICATION AND BRING IN THE DOCUMENTS WITHIN FOUR (4) WEEKS OF THE APPLICATION DEADLINE.
- 7.** Original Child Abuse Registry Check. Must be recent, documents older than 3 months at the time of application will not be accepted. http://www.gov.mb.ca/fs/childfam/child_abuse_registry_form.html
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**NOTE: IF YOU HAVE ALREADY SUBMITTED TRANSCRIPTS FROM POST
SECONDARY INSTITUTIONS YOU ATTENDED BECAUSE YOU ARE A PREVIOUS
STUDENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WINNIPEG, YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO RE-
SUBMIT TRANSCRIPTS UNLESS YOU HAVE TAKEN ADDITIONAL COURSEWORK AT
ANOTHER POST SECONDARY INSTITUTION SINCE THEN. WE WILL HAVE YOUR
TRANSCRIPTS ON FILE.**