

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

Teach for Indiana Program (TIP) Transition to Teaching: An Alternative Route to Licensure



Anderson University, Teach for Indiana Program
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- Elementary candidate (K-6)
 Secondary candidate (5-12)

Last name		First	Middle	Maiden Name	AU ID (leave blank)
Address		City		State	Zip
E-Mail Address				County of Residence	
Date of Birth		Place of Birth			
Home Phone		Cell Phone		Work Phone	

Educational Background

Undergraduate and Graduate work - list all accredited colleges attended below.

School and Location	Degree	Dates	Major	Hours

Do you, or have you ever, held a teaching license in any state? Yes No

Employment History

Current Employer	Phone
Address	City State Zip
Position	Employment Dates

Professional Experience Working with Children/Youth

"Professional experience" means the experience that occurred through full-time employment in an educational related field or in a field in which the person intends to be licensed. Please briefly describe your "professional experience" as described above. (If this statement applies to you.)

Application Checklist

Please submit each of the following to: Anderson University, Graduate Studies in Education, 1100 E. Fifth St., Anderson, IN 46012.

<input type="checkbox"/>	An initial interview following a review of transcripts.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Completed Anderson University's Teach for Indiana Program "Application for Admission".
<input type="checkbox"/>	An application fee made payable to Anderson University must accompany the "Application for Admission" form. This processing fee is non-refundable and is <u>not</u> included in the tuition cost.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Transcripts (originals only) from all colleges/universities attended. Candidates must have a four-year baccalaureate degree B.A. or B.S. from an accredited institution of higher education with a GPA of 3.0 overall and in their major area of study or a GPA of 2.5 overall and in their major, with five years of professional experience.
<input type="checkbox"/>	A resume
<input type="checkbox"/>	Process an Adult Criminal History Report from the Indiana State Police. Reports are only valid for one year from date of request. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Choose <i>Requesting Individual</i> and have the response mailed to you. 2. Send a money order for \$10.00 payable to State of Indiana and sign the request. 3. Set of fingerprints. 4. Submit your report to the School of Education at Anderson University. We must keep the original on file and a copy can be made for your records.
<input type="checkbox"/>	A writing sample describing the sequence of events which have brought you into the decision to pursue the goal of becoming a licensed teacher in Indiana. This short essay (500 words or less) should be entitled: "Why I Want To Become a Licensed Teacher". In the upper left hand corner on three lines, using single spacing provide: Your Name, Date, Teach for Indiana Program. Thereafter, please use 1½ line-spacing, one inch margins and 12 pt. font. Essays may be submitted via e-mail as attachments.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three letters of recommendation from professional educators or previous employers who know you well. Letters should be printed on school/business letterhead, dated, and addressed "To Whom It May Concern".
<input type="checkbox"/>	Report of official passing scores on the PRAXIS tests: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Elementary candidates (K-5): PRAXIS I 2. Secondary candidates (5-12): PRAXIS I <u>and</u> II
<input type="checkbox"/>	Once all these requirements have been met, a personal interview is required for final selection into the TIP program.

Which best describes your future plans?

- I plan to enter Phase I (Transition program leading to licensure only)
- I plan to enter Phase I and II (Transition program and licensure followed by Master of Education Degree)

Payment

- Do you plan to use the Stafford Loan? yes no
- Do you plan to use VA benefits? yes no

How did you first learn about the TIP program?

- Friend Newspaper Radio Internet Other (please specify) _____

What are the key factors that helped you decide to pursue the TIP program at AU?

- Location (Convenience) Length of the program (nine months) Quality of program
- Cohort group model Cost Other (please specify) _____

I hereby verify that the information on this application is true and correct.

Signature _____ Date _____

Notice of Non-discriminatory Policy As To Students:

Anderson University admits students of any race, color, nationality, and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to the students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, nationality and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs. Anderson University is committed to compliance with Title IX of The Federal Education Amendments of 1972, except as claimed in a filed religious exemption.