The College Teaching Certificate is a three-semester (nine-credit) graduate certificate in pedagogy for NDSU graduate students and individuals with a graduate degree who work on campus. Students study contemporary education research and gain experience in the teaching and learning process through microteaching modules, field experience, peer observations, and a structured practicum.

Admission Requirements

To be admitted to the program, the applicant must:

1. Be a current degree-seeking student in a graduate program or a NDSU employee with a graduate degree.
2. Submit a completed College Teaching Certificate Application (https://na3.docusign.net/Member/PowerFormSigning.aspx?PowerFormId=638d34cb-d97f-4057-9ac1-1efdd67656b3&env=na3&acct=1ceb9a57-b6a3-4df7-b655-d64cf8f1c2d7&v=2) to the Graduate School.
3. Hold a baccalaureate degree from an educational institution of recognized standing (graduate student) or hold a graduate degree from an educational institution of recognized standing (NDSU employee).
4. At the baccalaureate level, have earned a cumulative grade point average (GPA) in all courses of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.