



Want to Inspire the Next Generation?

Become a Teacher with the Master of Teaching Combined Degree Program

The Master of Teaching Combined Degree Program is designed for University of Toronto students interested in gaining advanced entry into a professional teacher preparation program while enrolled in their current Bachelor's degree. While in your 4th year of your undergraduate program, you will take 2 graduate level courses in the Master of Teaching program. Upon graduation from your Bachelor's program and satisfying conditions of admission, you will join the Master of Teaching program full-time.

Students with a B+ average and enrolled in pre-identified programs may apply to the Combined Degree program in their third year, and can choose from three program specializations:

- **Primary/Junior** (Kindergarten to grade 6)
- **Junior/Intermediate** (grades 4 – 10)
- **Intermediate/Senior** (grades 7 – 12)

Standard common components of the MT full-time program

<p>Academic Program You will learn about educational theory and research-informed best practices.</p>	<p>Practice Teaching You will have the opportunity to develop your skills as a teacher in a variety of classrooms and learning situations.</p>	<p>Graduate Research You will be exposed to educational research across a wide variety of educational disciplines and specializations.</p>
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THE MASTER OF TEACHING COMBINED DEGREE PROGRAM IS OFFERED WITH THE FOLLOWING UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAMS:

University of Toronto St. George Campus

- **Faculty of Arts and Science: *Students must be enrolled in the Education & Society minor and also major in one of:***
 - English (Major) (HBA)
 - History (Major) (HBA)
 - Mathematics (Major) (HBSc)
 - Psychology (Major) (HBSc)
 - Sociology (Major) (HBA)
- **Faculty of Kinesiology & Physical Education**
 - Kinesiology (BKin)
- **Faculty of Music**
 - Music, Stream in Music Education (BMus)



University of Toronto Mississauga

- Astronomical Sciences (Specialist) (HBSc)
- Biological Chemistry (Specialist) (HBSc)
- Biology (Major and Specialist) (HBSc)
- Biology for Health Sciences (Major) (HBSc)
- Chemistry (Major and Specialist) (HBSc)
- Comparative Physiology (Specialist) (HBSc)
- Ecology and Evolution (Specialist) (HBSc)
- Forensic Biology (Specialist) (HBSc)
- Forensic Chemistry (Specialist) (HBSc)
- French Studies (Major and Specialist) (HBA)
- Language Teaching and Learning: French (Major) (HBA)
- Language Teaching and Learning: French and Italian (Specialist) (HBA)
- Mathematical Sciences (Major and Specialist) (HBSc)
- Molecular Biology (Specialist) (HBSc)
- Physics (Major) (HBSc)

University of Toronto Scarborough

- Biochemistry (Major and Major Co-op) (HBSc)
- Biological Chemistry (Specialist and Specialist Co-op) (HBSc)
- Biology (Major) (HBSc)
- Chemistry (Major, Major Co-op, Specialist and Specialist Co-op) (HBSc)
- Conservation and Biodiversity (Major and Specialist) (HBSc)
- English (Major, Major Co-op, Specialist and Specialist Co-op) (HBA)
- Environmental Biology (Specialist and Specialist Co-op) (HBSc)
- Environmental Chemistry (Specialist and Specialist Co-op) (HBSc)
- Environmental Physics (Specialist and Specialist Co-op) (HBSc)
- Evolutionary Anthropology (Major and Specialist) (HBSc)
- French (Major, Major Co-op, Specialist and Specialist Co-op) (HBA)
- Geography (Major and Specialist) (HBA)
- History (Major and Specialist) (HBA)
- Human Biology (Major and Specialist) (HBSc)
- Integrative Biology (Specialist) (HBSc)
- Mathematics (Major, Major Co-op, Specialist and Specialist Co-op) (HBSc)
- Molecular Biology and Biotechnology (Specialist and Specialist Co-op) (HBSc)
- Molecular Biology, Immunology and Disease (Major) (HBSc)
- Physical and Mathematical Sciences (Specialist) (HBSc)
- Physics and Astrophysics (Major and Specialist) (HBSc)
- Plant Biology (Major) (HBSc)
- Socio-Cultural Anthropology (Major and Specialist) (HBA)
- Sociology (Major and Specialist) (HBA)
- Theatre and Performance Studies (Major) (HBA)

COMBINED DEGREE PROGRAM ADMISSION INFORMATION



The Combined Degree Program allows students to gain (conditional) access to the graduate program while still in their undergraduate studies, clearing a pathway towards the teaching profession. Students who successfully complete the Combined Degree Program, will have earned two University of Toronto degrees (i.e. H.B.A. and MT), and will be recommended to the Ontario College of Teachers for a Certificate of Qualification, which certifies them to teach in Ontario schools.

Visit our website to learn more about our program: www.oise.utoronto.ca/mt

ARE YOU ELIGIBLE?

- ✓ Your Year 2 average in your undergraduate program is a minimum of B+ or better.
- ✓ You have completed 3.0 FCE in your 1st teaching subject.
 - The Business Studies-Accounting subject requires completion of 3.0 FCE in Business Studies, including 1.0 FCE in Accounting.
- ✓ You have completed 1.5 FCE (B.Kin./B.P.H.E. students must complete 1.0 FCE) in your 2nd teaching subject.
 - French as a Second Language and Science subjects require 3.0 FCE (B.Kin./B.P.H.E. students must complete 2.0 FCE)
- ✓ Applicants cannot select 2 Music teaching subjects.
- ✓ Applicants cannot select 2 Business Studies teaching subjects.

Teaching Subject Prerequisite Courses: Upon applying, prerequisite courses for teaching subject consideration are satisfied only by completed courses by the end of the 2nd term in the 3rd year of your undergraduate degree (i.e. Full-Year, Fall Session, and Winter Session courses documented in-progress on the transcript).

APPLICATION STEPS

Apply during your 3rd year of your 4 year Bachelors program at the University of Toronto.

1. Create an account through the **University of Toronto School of Graduate Studies online application system**.
2. Select “Start New Application” and select Fall 2022-Summer 2023 (Application Year); Fall 2022 (Start session) and go to the program selection page. Do not select a program. Please close the application and go to step 3.
3. Connect with your Faculty contact (below) by November 26, 2021 to indicate your interest.

FACULTY OF HOME PROGRAM	EMAIL CONTACT
• Faculty of Arts and Science	• vic.academics@utoronto.ca
• Faculty of Kinesiology & Physical Education	• undergrad.kpe@utoronto.ca
• Faculty of Music	• undergrad.music@utoronto.ca
• University of Toronto Mississauga – H.B.A. programs	• katherine.rehner@utoronto.ca
• University of Toronto Mississauga – H.B.Sc. programs	• christina.fortes@utoronto.ca
• University of Toronto Scarborough	• cdp.utsc@utoronto.ca

4. Your Faculty contact will verify your eligibility (see above) and will notify OISE's Office of the Registrar and Student Services if you are eligible by December 10, 2021.
5. Your Faculty contact will advise you when to move ahead with your application.

Submit Your Application:

1. Re-open your application and go to the “Program Exception Selection Page”. Follow the instructions in the application and complete all component. More details of the application can be found on the **Master of Teaching website**.
2. Submit your application (including paying \$125 application fee) by January 14, 2022. All required supporting documents are due within 10 days of submitting your application.

After You Submit Your Application:

1. Your application will be evaluated by the MT Admissions Committee. Final decisions will be forwarded to OISE's Office of the Registrar and Student Services (ORSS).
2. The ORSS will produce official notification of results.
3. You will receive your results (conditional offer or refusal) at end of April 2022.

EXPERIENCE

Applicants should have sound academic backgrounds, a deep interest in equitable education and socially just practices, as well as previous experience as an instructor, mentor, or tutor. Your experiences might take the form of paid or volunteer work (online or in-person) in classrooms, camp counseling, outreach programs at museums, the teaching of religion classes, work as a music instructor, private tutor, for example. You will ideally have experience working with groups of learners, preferably at the age level you wish to teach. Since this is a teaching certification program, you should not apply if you already have teaching qualifications in Canada. (i.e. Ontario College of Teachers certification, Bachelor of Education)

The documentation and evaluation of your experience background will include the following:

- **Resumé**
- **Responses to program application questions, called “Faculty Questions” in the application**
- **Reference Letters (one academic and one professional)**
- **Transcripts from all post-secondary institutions, including U of T**

You will want to refer to the Master of Teaching “How to Apply” website for detailed information on what we’d like you to include in your documentation:

https://www.oise.utoronto.ca/mt/How_To_Apply.html



WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

If you receive a conditional offer of admission, you will be able to enroll in 2 Master of Teaching graduate elective courses as part of your 4th year of your current undergraduate program. The Master of Teaching program will provide you with a selection of courses to choose from. These electives are designed to complement MT core courses, have strong professional focus, and tend to be taken by in-service teachers and MT students. Course offerings are subject to change from year to year.

In order to continue in the MT program, you must satisfy all conditions of admission:

- Achieving a B+ or better average in your final year or over senior level courses with a minimum B+ average in 1.0 FCE Master of Teaching **graduate** courses taken in Year 4;
- Completion of 6.0 FCE in your first teaching subject and 3.0 FCE in your 2nd teaching subject. **Note:** If French as a Second Language or Science subjects are selected as a 2nd teaching subject, 6.0 FCE are required.



While enrolled in the undergraduate program, your primary contact is your undergraduate program contact or Registrar. When you have satisfied all conditions of admission and are admitted into the Master of Teaching program, the graduate program will assume the role of advising you.

OISE's Office of the Registrar and Student Services will confirm with you whether the conditions have been met in the summer after graduation (after 4th year). If conditions have not been met, the offer of admission will be cancelled.



Admission Inquiries:

OISE Office of the Registrar and Student Services:
admissions.oise@utoronto.ca or
416-978-4300

MT Program Information:

www.oise.utoronto.ca/mt
email: mtinfo@utoronto.ca

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MASTER OF TEACHING 2022: TEACHING SUBJECTS AND PREREQUISITES

A course will be counted as a prerequisite toward your chosen teaching subject(s) if you have completed and received credit for the course or if the course is listed “in progress” on ACORN. Note that the course you are enrolled in must be completed before the start of the Master of Teaching Program.

Master of Teaching Combined Degree Program applicants must satisfy the prerequisites for two teaching subjects irrespective of whether you ultimately intend on registering in the Intermediate/Senior, Junior/Intermediate or Primary/Junior concentration, the Intermediate/Senior prerequisites are listed below. Junior/Intermediate teaching subject offerings can be found at www.oise.utoronto.ca/mt.

INTERMEDIATE/SENIOR

BUSINESS STUDIES - ACCOUNTING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Business Studies, including two full-year courses in Accounting if this is your first choice teaching subject or three full-year university courses in Business Studies, including one full-year course in Accounting if it is your second teaching subject 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> You can choose only one of BUSINESS STUDIES – ACCOUNTING OR BUSINESS STUDIES – GENERAL not both
BUSINESS STUDIES - GENERAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Business Studies if this is your first choice teaching subject or three full-year university courses if it is your second choice teaching subject 	
DRAMATIC ARTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Drama and Theatre Studies if this is your first choice teaching subject or three full-year university courses if it is your second choice teaching subject 	
ENGLISH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in English if this is your first choice teaching subject or three full-year university courses if it is your second choice teaching subject 	
FRENCH as a Second Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in French and demonstrated proficiency* in speaking and writing the language <p>*If admissible to the program, applicants who select French as a Second Language as a teaching subject must demonstrate oral and written proficiency in French prior to registering in the program.</p>	
GEOGRAPHY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Geography if this is your first choice teaching subject or three full-year university courses if it is your second choice teaching subject 	
HEALTH and PHYSICAL EDUCATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Health and Physical Education if this is your first choice teaching subject or three full-year university courses if it is your second choice teaching subject <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Appropriate courses in Kinesiology may be counted towards this prerequisite. 	
HISTORY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in History if this is your first choice teaching subject or three full-year university courses if it is your second choice teaching subject <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Up to 1 full-year course in Political Science, Philosophy, or subject-specific history such as Art History or Music History, may be counted 	
MATHEMATICS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Mathematics if this is your first choice teaching subject or three full-year university courses if it is your second choice teaching subject <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Up to 1 full-year course in Statistics may be counted towards this prerequisite 	
MUSIC - INSTRUMENTAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Instrumental Music if this is your first choice teaching subject or three full-year university courses if it is your second choice teaching subject 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> You can choose only one of: MUSIC-INSTRUMENTAL or MUSIC-VOCAL., not both
MUSIC - VOCAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Vocal Music if this is your first choice teaching subject or three full-year university courses if it is your second choice teaching subject 	
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Theology or Religious Studies if this is your first choice teaching subject or three full-year university courses if it is your second choice teaching subject (This course is primarily intended to prepare teachers of Religious Education in Roman Catholic secondary schools.) 	
SCIENCE-BIOLOGY ①	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Science, with a minimum of four full-year courses in Biology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Biochemistry is accepted as Chemistry or Biology Courses in Botany, Zoology, and life sciences such as Anatomy, Physiology, Immunology, and Genetics are accepted as Biology Psychology courses are not accepted towards this prerequisite 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If you select 2 science teaching subjects you must have a minimum of 10 full-year courses in the sciences, and these must include the prerequisite courses for each of the selected science teaching subjects.
SCIENCE-CHEMISTRY ①	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Science, with a minimum of four full-year courses in Chemistry <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Biochemistry is accepted as Chemistry or Biology 	
SCIENCE – PHYSICS ①	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Science, with a minimum of four full-year courses in Physics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Astrophysics and geophysics are accepted as Physics 	
SCIENCE-GENERAL ①	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Science, with a minimum of one full-year course in each of Biology, Chemistry and Physics 	
SOCIAL SCIENCE – GENERAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in any of Psychology, Sociology or Anthropology if this is your first choice teaching subject or three full-year university courses if it is your second choice teaching subject 	
VISUAL ARTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Six full-year university courses in Visual Arts if this is your first choice teaching subject or three full-year university courses if it is your second choice teaching subject 	

Not all teaching subjects may be offered in a given year. OISE reserves the right to cancel courses for which enrolment or resources are insufficient.