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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE STUDIES IN

CHECK ONE:

Biology (M.Sc.)

Chemistry (M.Sc.)

Computer Science (M.Sc.)

Earth Sciences (M.Sc.)

Physics (M.Sc.)

Adult Education (M.Ad.Ed.)

Celtic Studies (M.A.)

Education (M.Ed.)

Educational Administration and Policy

Curriculum and Instruction

non-degree student

Students are encouraged to contact the department in which they wish to study prior to applying to a graduate program.

COMPLETION GUIDE

In order to help us process your application as efficiently as possible, please ensure that you complete all sections.

The following documents should be sent to the Admissions Office.

- This application form, complete in all its details, with the non-refundable application fee of \$40.
- Two letters of recommendation from persons named in this application. (see insert pages)
- One official copy of your transcript from each post-secondary institution attended. Graduates of StFX do not need to provide a copy of their transcript from StFX.
- Evidence of English proficiency if your first language is not English (contact the Admissions Office for details)
- For applicants to the Master of Education program, a recent curriculum vitae and a supplementary "letter of intent" are required (see page 3)
- For applicants to the Master of Adult Education program, a recent curriculum vitae and a typed statement are also required (see page 3)

It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that all SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS are received by the StFX Admissions Office. Applications cannot be processed until such documents are received.

NOTE:

Admission to Graduate Studies is determined by the University Committee on Graduate Studies.

APPLICANT

Mr. Ms. Mrs. Other _____

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

Middle Name: _____

Preferred First Name: _____

Previous Last Name (if applicable): _____

CURRENT MAILING ADDRESS

Street Address/PO Box/Rural Route #: _____

City: _____ Province/State: _____

Postal Code/ZIP: _____ Country: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Fax: (____) _____

Email: _____

PERMANENT MAILING ADDRESS (if different from above)

Street Address/PO Box/Rural Route #: _____

City: _____ Province/State: _____

Postal Code/ZIP: _____ Country: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Fax: (____) _____

Email: _____

WHEN DO YOU PLAN TO BEGIN THE PROGRAM?

Master of Adult Education (Month/Year) _____/_____

Master of Education Summer Session Part-time Full-time

All other Programs Spring Fall Winter

Part-time Full-time

Students must inform themselves of the appropriate deadlines for the submission of applications to their intended program of study.

WORK EXPERIENCE

List major work experience here. Indicate length of time in each. Master of Adult Education and Master of Education applicants are asked to include a resume/curriculum vitae.

REFERENCES

Provide the names and addresses of two people who could give an accurate appraisal of your scholastic and professional ability and who might give an opinion about your suitability for graduate study. If possible, one of these should be a person who taught you in your most recent academic program. Provide them with the applicant reference form and a stamped envelope addressed to the Admissions Officer, St. Francis Xavier University, Box 5000, Antigonish, Nova Scotia B2G 2W5.

1. _____

2. _____

In a few sentences, indicate why you are selecting this graduate program and what you hope to gain from it.

MASTER OF EDUCATION APPLICANTS ONLY:

Please attach

1. a curriculum vitae or resumé
2. a Letter of Intent (up to 250 words) indicating why you are selecting the Master of Education graduate program at StFX and what you hope to gain from it.

MASTER OF ADULT EDUCATION APPLICANTS ONLY:

Please attach

1. a comprehensive curriculum vitae clearly indicating your experience in the practice of adult education.
2. a typed statement of 500 - 1000 words (maximum) discussing:
 - your personal philosophy of adult education;
 - your experience as an adult educator;
 - your long-term career goals;
 - an indication of your area of interest and a reference list of five supporting readings – books, articles, websites

See AE520 assignment requirements in program description and on our website www.stfx.ca/academic/adulted

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please use the following space to include any additional information which you feel would be of help to us in making an admission decision.

CHECKLIST FOR APPLICANTS

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- Have requested one official copy of transcript from each post-secondary institution attended. (Graduates of StFX do not need to provide a copy of their transcript from StFX.)
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- For applicants to the Master of Education: have enclosed a recent curriculum vitae and the supplementary “letter of intent” (see page 3).
- For applicants to the Master of Adult Education: have enclosed a recent curriculum vitae and the required statement (see page 3).

PLEASE NOTE: It is the responsibility of the applicant to check with the Admissions Office to ensure that all of the above documents have arrived

Date: _____ Signature: _____



HAVE ALL DOCUMENTS SENT TO:

Admissions Office
St. Francis Xavier University
PO Box 5000
Antigonish, Nova Scotia
Canada B2G 2W5
Fax: 902-867-2329

APPLICANT REFERENCE

Please remove this sheet and provide it to the person whom you have chosen to act as a reference on your behalf.

Once complete, the referee should forward this reference directly to the StFX Admissions Office at the following mailing address:

Admissions Office, St. Francis Xavier University, PO Box 5000, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, Canada B2G 2W5

Faxed copies will also be accepted and can be sent to 1-902-867-2329

Reports for applicants to the M.Ed. program must use this form.

For applicants to all other programs the referee may use this form and/or write a letter.

Name of Applicant: _____
first name *middle name* *last name*

Program applied to: _____

Kindly rate the applicant on each of the following qualities:

	Excellent	Very Good	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	No Basis for Judgement	Comments
Scholastic Ability						
Integrity						
Initiative						
Oral Expression						
Written Expression						
Leadership						
Judgement						
Problem-Solving Abilities						
Organizational Abilities						
Self-directed						
Willingness to take direction						
Interpersonal Skills						
Overall Assessment						

How long and in what capacity have you known the applicant? _____

Based on your knowledge of the individual, do you recommend him/her for admission to StFX? Yes No

What do you consider to be the applicant's strongest assets? _____

What do you consider to be the applicant's major limitations relevant to graduate studies? _____

What particular attributes and skills does the applicant possess that prepare him/her for university-level study? _____

Please note any contributions you may be aware of that the applicant has made to his/her community or school: _____

Please elaborate on previous comments or provide additional ones (use a separate sheet if required): _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Name: _____ Position: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Email: _____



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