Graduate Certificate
Elementary Mathematics Specialist

Degree Program
- The Elementary Mathematics Specialist (Grades 1-6) certificate recognizes teachers with special training and expertise in mathematics content at the elementary school level. The program includes online courses and school-based internships. This program is designed for full-time classroom teachers.

Program Website
https://coe.umsl.edu/mycoe/p2_pe/viewProgram/program_id/PD.elemMathSpecialist

Application Requirements
1. Graduate School Application
   a. http://umsl.edu/go/Apply-Now
2. Statement of Purpose
   a. Description of individual goals and areas of interest.
3. Transcripts
   a. Official transcripts for all prior higher education institutions.
   b. By the time of enrollment, prospective students must have obtained a baccalaureate degree or the equivalent from an accredited college or university.
   c. International applicants are required to document English proficiency by providing scores from an internationally accepted standardized examination before a decision is made on admission.
4. A passing score on the designated Missouri Content Examination or an approved program of study
5. Grade Point Average
   a. Minimum of 3.0 on 4.0 scale

Application Deadline
Applications are processed as they are submitted. However, applications that are not received by the posted date may delay admission until the following semester.
- Fall term – July 1
- Spring term – December 1
- Summer term – May 1

Application Fee
$50 for domestic applicants; $40 for international applicants

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