

Graduate Certificate Personal Finance Literacy Education

Program Requirements:

A minimum of 12 credit hours are required for the degree program.

- The University of Missouri – St. Louis and the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis have a long history of delivering professional development to educators. With this graduate certificate program, we provide educators with tools for teaching personal finance content, with methods of inspirational and effective instruction, and with a network of colleagues for professional growth.
- 9-credit hours will be asynchronous and synchronous online learning.
- 3-credit hours will be for in-person participation in a week-long professional development seminar held at the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis.

Application Requirements:

1. [Online Graduate Application](#)
2. Statement of Purpose: A 1-2 page essay explaining your interest in the program and why you are a strong candidate.
3. Official transcripts from all universities attended. A Bachelor's degree is required.
4. Entrance examinations:
 - a. International Students must document English proficiency by providing scores from an internationally accepted standardized examination. See [International Admissions](#) for more information.
5. **Minimum GPA of 3.0 on 4.0 scale**
6. **Must be state-certified teacher or equivalent**

Application Deadlines:

Domestic Applicants: Summer - May 1

Application Fees:

\$50 for domestic applicants

\$40 for international applicants

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