



Walsh University *Division of Education*

The Division of Education at Walsh University has four transition points in its Teacher Preparation Program:

- 1) EDUC 107
- 2) Teacher Preparation
- 3) Pre-Clinical Practice
- 4) Clinical Practice

Transition # 2

Teacher Preparation

Approval is required for students to proceed to 300+ level education courses.

- There are four Teacher Preparation deadlines per year (specific dates to be announced): October, February, with rolling admissions through August. The October Teacher Prep cycle allows students to begin taking 300-level coursework in the Spring semester. The February and August cycles allow students to begin taking 300-level coursework over the summer or the following Fall semester. Please plan accordingly based on what your advisor recommends.
- Normally, the Teacher Preparation process cannot be completed before advising occurs for that specific semester but exceptions may apply. With an advisor's approval, students currently applying for Teacher Preparation may register for 300-level education courses; however, they will be removed from these courses if not approved for Teacher Preparation.
- The details and procedures for applying (including a required essay) are outlined in the Teacher Preparation application packet available in the hallway.
- The Division of Education faculty and staff will interview each applicant. If there are any concerns about a student's candidacy, a meeting will be scheduled with the Teacher Candidate Development Committee in the Division of Education.
- Each applicant will receive an official letter explaining his/her teacher preparation status: approved, conditionally approved, or denied. If conditionally approved, the student may continue to resolve the specific issue until he/she is approved. If a student is denied, he/she should work with their advisor to resolve the issue(s) or discuss options.

Student's Printed Name _____

Student's Signature _____

My signature means I have read and understand Transition # 2.

Date _____