UAA SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

FACT SHEET
MARCH 8, 2019

UAA Administration
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PROGRAMS NOT AFFECTED BY ACCREDITATION CHANGE:
- Early Childhood Development, AAS
- Educational Leadership, Graduate Cert
- Educational Leadership, MEd
- Language Education, Graduate Cert.
- Special Education, Grad Cert & MEd (Advanced)
- Early Childhood Special Ed, MEd (Advanced)
- Speech Language Pathology, Post Bacc. Cert.
- Teaching and Learning, MEd

Programs affected by revocation of programmatic accreditation:
- Early Childhood Education, Post Bacc. Cert
- Early Childhood Education, BA
- Early Childhood Special Ed, MEd (Initial)
- Special Education, Grad. Cert (Initial)
- Elementary Education, BA
- Secondary Education, MAT

Updates
As of March 8, 2019: Whether the university will seek re-accreditation for the School of Education is yet to be decided. At its meeting Feb. 28 - March 1, the UA Board of Regents concluded it requires more information to determine the best path forward for students in initial teacher preparation programs. It directed President Jim Johnsen to conduct an expedited program review and report the findings back to the board at a special BOR meeting on April 8.

- No. of enrolled students in School of Education as of Jan. 1, 2019: 504
- No. of enrolled students in affected programs: 363
- No. of expected Spring 2019 graduates in affected programs: 25
- No. of expected Summer 2019 graduates in affected programs: 9
- No. of students in affected programs who have transferred to another university: 15
- No. of students who have changed majors out of the unaccredited programs: 25

Covered reimbursements of costs/expenses for students transferring out of the affected UAA School of Ed programs:
- Tuition
- Enrollment fees
- Course materials and books
- Parking permits
- Praxis score transfer fee
- UAA housing (room + board, prorated)
- Additional costs of transfer to another UA school
- (e.g., additional required credit)
The **Student Assistance Line** is available to call from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM each weekday. UAA School of Education Students in programs impacted by the accreditation situation can call **907-786-6200** as a single point of contact for any questions they have. Staff are available on the Assistance Line to research solutions to continuing difficulties students may be experiencing.

### Links to additional information:

- UAA School of Education home page: [https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/academics/school-of-education/](https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/academics/school-of-education/)
- UAA School of Education contact information: [https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/academics/school-of-education/contact-us.cshtml](https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/academics/school-of-education/contact-us.cshtml)
- UAF School of Education home page: [https://www.uaf.edu/soe/](https://www.uaf.edu/soe/)
- UAF Guidance to Education Program transfer students: [https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/academics/school-of-education/_documents/MASTER%20DOC%20UAA%20transfer%20student%20guidance.pdf](https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/academics/school-of-education/_documents/MASTER%20DOC%20UAA%20transfer%20student%20guidance.pdf)
- UAS School of Education home page: [http://www.uas.alaska.edu/education/](http://www.uas.alaska.edu/education/)

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