

Professional Development for Religious and Independent School Teachers
Application Instructions
2024/2025

As an eligible teacher, you can take select online courses through the University at Buffalo's Graduate School of Education for professional development. To do so, you must apply for non-degree status with the Graduate School of Education. Please follow the steps below:

1. Complete an online application for non-degree status:

Deadlines

- x Summer 2024 courses: May 20, 2024 (classes begin 6/24/2024)
- x Fall 2024 courses: August 20, 2024 (classes begin 8/26/2024)

*Deadlines are based on availability of funding and are subject to change

Complete the application and view available courses at gsabuffalo.edu/prof-development

- x Upload a copy of your undergraduate transcript (an unofficial copy is acceptable) showing the conferral date of your bachelor's degree
- x Upload proof of your employment at an eligible religious or independent school (letter from your school leader, copy of ID card and current pay stub, etc...)

2. Wait for review: Once your online application and bachelor's degree transcripts have been received, your application will be reviewed.

3. Enroll: Once you have been granted non-degree status, you will receive information on the next steps for enrollment, including submission of a required form confirming your course selection(s).

Questions?

Contact the Office of Graduate Admission at apply@buffalo.edu or 716-645-2110.