

**The Admissions Process:  
MA in Art Education (with or without licensure) and  
Post-Baccalaureate Licensure Program in Art Education**

**Deadlines:**

**March 30<sup>th</sup> – Fall Semester**

**October 30<sup>th</sup> – Spring Semester**

**Eligibility:**

A bachelor's degree, and 24 hours of art studio coursework and 6-9 hours of art history before applying to the program.

**Upload all of the following documents at <http://unm.edu/apply>  
Application form & \$50 fee**

**Letter of Intent (specify whether applying for an MA or MA with licensure)**

The letter of intent is written to the art education faculty. This is your important official letter introducing yourself to us and indication what you wish to accomplish in your graduate study with us. The letter should be written in standard business format and should include the following: a brief introduction of yourself; a clear statement of your goals or objectives or ideas for your art education graduate study with us including why you want to study at UNM; a brief statement about your current general concept or philosophy of art education; and anything significant you think we should know about you. The letter need not be long -- one (1) or two (2) pages maximum.

**Letter of Recommendation (3) (no more than three (3) years old)**

Recommenders: Select people who have known you professionally such as former professors and/or supervisors who have observed you teaching or working in an educational capacity.

**Resume**

Relevant personal information (name, address, phone, etc.) Education (colleges and universities attended, dates enrolled, degree(s), graduation date, major and minor fields); (Optional) teaching licensure (including subject matter, grade levels, state(s), current status); Professional experience (teaching experience, position held, institution, location, dates of teaching, brief description of responsibilities); Art exhibitions or published research or writing; Scholarships, awards, honors, and any other information you feel is important.

**Portfolio**

A selection of ten images as a single PDF. Each image should be labeled with your name, the media, and approximate size of the piece.

**Contact the Graduate Program Coordinator, Kat Heatherington, at [art255@unm.edu](mailto:art255@unm.edu) if you have questions or need assistance.**