

Policy Governing the Master of Education Comprehensive Examination

Comprehensive Examination

Each master's degree student in the College of Education is required to pass a comprehensive examination. The examination is to be taken toward the end of the course work for the respective master's program.

A master's degree student may be allowed three attempts to pass the comprehensive examination. A student who fails the comprehensive examination the second time may petition for a third examination and the petition must show a plan of action wherein the petitioner will endeavor to improve his/her chances for satisfactorily passing the examination. The academic advisor, department chairperson and the Dean of the College of Education and the Dean of the Graduate School must approve the petition.

A student who fails to pass the master's comprehensive examination after the third attempt will be automatically discontinued as a student in the relevant master's program.