

# EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP AND POLICY ANALYSIS: HIGHER EDUCATION, MS

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Please consult the table below for key information about this degree program's admissions requirements. The program may have more detailed admissions requirements, which can be found below the table or on the program's website.

Graduate admissions is a two-step process between academic programs and the Graduate School. **Applicants must meet the minimum requirements (<https://grad.wisc.edu/apply/requirements/>) of the Graduate School as well as the program(s).** Once you have researched the graduate program(s) you are interested in, apply online (<https://grad.wisc.edu/apply/>).

Requirements	Detail
Fall Deadline	December 1
Spring Deadline	This program does not admit in the spring.
Summer Deadline	This program does not admit in the summer.
GRE (Graduate Record Examinations)	Not required.
English Proficiency Test	Refer to the Graduate School: Minimum Requirements for Admission policy: <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1241">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1241</a> ( <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1241/">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1241/</a> ).
Other Test(s) (e.g., GMAT, MCAT)	n/a
Letters of Recommendation Required	3

Applicants are required to upload the following items to the online application.

1. Essay statement (not to exceed two pages) that addresses the following:
  - a. Your area of interest (task or functional area of administration.)
  - b. Your career goals (i.e., why the applicant is interested in pursuing a degree in educational administration.)
  - c. Your professional objectives and how the UW-Madison program will contribute toward the applicant's role as a school/institution leader.
2. Unofficial transcripts. If recommended for admission, official transcripts will be requested by the Graduate School.
3. Resume or CV.

4. Three letters of recommendation. Recommendations from three (3) people who are qualified to evaluate the academic and professional competence of the applicant are required. When completing the online application, submit the names and emails of those requesting recommendation from; recommendations are sent electronically to your application.
5. Supporting document if undergraduate GPA is below 3.00. In a statement, explain why GPA does not accurately reflect high potential to serve in leadership roles.

International degree-seeking applicants must prove English proficiency using the Graduate School's requirements (<https://grad.wisc.edu/apply/requirements/>).