

Cohort MAT Programs Important Info

About Thomas University

Thomas University is a four-year co-educational university that serves the post-secondary educational needs of south Georgia and north Florida. The university is located in Thomasville, Georgia, a relatively small town of over 20,000 people in rural southwest Georgia. The town is 35 miles north of Tallahassee, Florida, 55 miles south of Albany, Georgia, and 45 miles west of Valdosta, Georgia. Thomas University provides quality education through a dynamic learning environment. Innovative models for reaching learners by our caring faculty and staff change the lives of students in our local, regional, and global communities. Offering associate's, bachelor's, master's, and specialist degrees, our highest goal is to provide an educational experience that explores and develops each student's full potential.

Admissions Requirements

1) All documents specified on the application checklist. 2) Report a minimum GPA of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale. Applicants with a GPA lower than 2.75 or an identified writing deficiency may be considered for provisional admission. Provisionally admitted students may be required to take one or more writing classes prior to or during the first semester or during the program. Decisions about additional admission requirements are determined by the University Graduate Council after a complete review of all materials presented by the applicant.

Tasks Due Upon Admission

Upon admission, you will receive a letter from the Division of Education's Intake Officer with your remaining tasks that must be completed before you will be eligible to register for classes. In order to be released for registration, you must follow the directions provided to, 1) claim your program enrollment, 2) answer Personal Affirmation Questions (PAQs), 3) submit the Pre-Service Application (if applicable), and 4) have official transcripts from all colleges/universities previously attended submitted from each institution directly to the GaPSC at mail@gapsc.com, via a secure electronic format such as Parchment or E-Script. These tasks are time sensitive and should be completed in the order indicated.

If you do not hold any form of GaPSC certification, or hold a clearance certificate, a Paraprofessional certificate, a Non-Instruction Aide License, or a Support Personnel License, you must complete all 4 steps above, including submitting the Pre-Service Application. If you hold a BT, IN4, or certain other types of certificates not indicated above, you may only need to complete steps 1 and 2. Once you are admitted, carefully review the admission letter that will be sent to you from the Division of Education's Intake Officer for your specific requirements.

Thomas University Tuition Guarantee

The tuition rate for students beginning in Spring 2026 is \$500 per credit hour. Thomas University reserves the right to raise tuition costs for future cohorts or other programs.

Important Contacts

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