University of Pittsburgh School of Education
Applied Developmental Psychology (ADP) and
Applied Developmental Psychology: CASE Teacher Preparation
Supplemental Application Instructions

Instructions for Applying to Applied Developmental Psychology

Deadline/entry term: Rolling Admission, but priority is given to those applications which are received by March 15, fall term only
Minimum GPA for consideration: 2.5 GPA

Required supplemental materials:
1. School of Education ADP Supplemental Application.
2. A three-part typewritten statement, not exceeding eight pages in length, discussing the following concerns in depth:
   A. What experience(s) made you select child and youth work as a profession?
   B. How will a knowledge of child development contribute to your professional competence?
   C. What do you believe to be one of the most important contemporary social issues and why?
3. Three letters of recommendation on School of Education Recommendation Forms: two academic references (e.g., instructor, academic advisor) and from someone who has supervised your work with children.

Other:
- An interview may be requested by the School of Education admission staff. You may also request an interview if you wish to discuss special circumstances regarding your application. This should be scheduled after all admission materials have been submitted.
- The University of Pittsburgh is committed to affirmative action. If there are aspects of your background which you feel merit special consideration, please comment on an attached piece of paper.

The School of Education ADP Supplemental Application and School of Education Recommendation Form are available at:
www.oafa.pitt.edu/trans_procedures.aspx

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Instructions for Applying to Applied Developmental Psychology:  
CASE Teacher Certification Program

Deadline/entry term: March 15 deadline for fall term

Minimum GPA for consideration: 3.25 GPA

Required supplemental materials:
1. School of Education ADP Supplemental Application.
2. A two to three page essay discussing the reasons why you believe you have chosen to become an educator.
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