

ST. CLOUD STATE UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

Application for Admission to Certificate Program
MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY

Materials Required to Complete the Application Process

- A \$35 application fee. (The fee is waived if you have been admitted to a master's program at St. Cloud State University. Should you subsequently begin a master's program, this fee will not be charged again.)
- An official undergraduate transcript(s) showing completion of a baccalaureate degree. (If received from SCSU, we will obtain your transcript from our Office of Records. If already admitted to a Master's program at SCSU, no further transcript will be needed.)
- To be eligible for this certificate, a student must be admitted to or have completed a graduate degree program at SCSU **OR** have completed a graduate degree program in counseling, psychology, human development, education, special education, social work, or any other mental health field at another institution.

I am currently in a master's counseling program at St. Cloud State University _____
Program

I have completed a master's degree _____
Degree Institution Completion Date

- An official transcript showing the completion of a master's degree. (If already admitted to a master's program at SCSU, no further transcript will be needed.)

All applicants must complete the following:

- A brief description of the applicant's backgrounds, training, and experience
- A statement of short and long professional goals
- A statement of purpose regarding the interest in the credentialing program
- Identification of areas of strengths and challenges in pursuing this certificate

New applicants to St. Cloud State University must submit the following:

- A personal data form with three letters of recommendation
- A current resume listing educational background, professional experience, and volunteer and community involvements
- A score from the Graduate Record Examination (GRE)

NAME _____
First Middle Last Previous

STUDENT ID _____ **SS NUMBER** _____
(Voluntary for ID purposes only)

CURRENT ADDRESS _____
Street Address City State/Country Zip/Postal Code

_____ Current Home Number Work Number E-mail Address

PERMANENT ADDRESS _____
(if different from above) Street Address City State/Country Zip/Postal Code

Permanent Phone Number _____

CITIZEN/RESIDENT

- Citizen of the United States: Resident of which state? _____
- Resident Alien of United States: Resident of which state? _____
- International Student: Resident of which country? _____

EDUCATION

Degree	Graduation Date	Name of Institution	City	State	Zip
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PLANS FOR GRADUATE STUDY

I intend to begin my graduate study Fall Semester Spring Semester Summer term Year _____
 I plan to attend full-time part-time Online Program Location _____
 (if other than on SCSU campus)

SIGNATURE REQUIRED BY ALL APPLICANTS

I certify that the information given on this application and on all other application materials is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that I am responsible for the forwarding of official transcripts from colleges and universities I have attended, and that such transcripts become the property of SCSU and will not be returned. I understand that falsification of my records may be cause for SCSU to void either my admission or registration or take other appropriate action.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

ACCESS TO ADMISSION APPLICATION FILE

St. Cloud State University complies with federal and state privacy laws and regulations. Those who may gain access to information in your file are staff and faculty at SCSU who have a need to gain access, and outside organizations and government bodies in limited circumstances as authorized by state or federal law. In addition, you may review your own file. No one else may view your file without your written consent or a subpoena or court order. **If you want the University to give your information to someone else such as parents, spouse, other relatives, or friend, you must complete and sign this section of the application.** This consent will remain in effect for one year from the date you sign unless you advise the University earlier that you want to withdraw your consent. If you give someone else access to your file, that person may be able to help us process your application.

I authorize the following person(s) to receive information in my St. Cloud State University application file.

YES NO

Name _____

Relation to me _____

Address _____
 Street City State Zip Code

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Return to: **School of Graduate Studies**
 121 Administrative Services Building
 St. Cloud State University
 720 South Fourth Avenue
 St. Cloud, MN 56301-4498

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Application Received _____	Date Admitted to Program _____