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**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION:
MASTER OF ARTS IN EDUCATION
Social Justice & Educational Leadership**

ENTRANCE QUARTER: YR _____
(Fall Quarter recommended)



LEGAL name _____
Last First Middle initial Social Security Number

Current address _____
Street City State Zip

Permanent address _____
Street City State Zip

Work phone _____ Home phone _____ E-mail address _____

Employer _____ Position _____

Please list all colleges & universities attended. Please request that your official transcripts from all institutions you attended be sent to the Admissions Office at Antioch University Santa Barbara.

Other names appearing on transcript _____

Institution	Location	Dates	Credits/Degree	Graduation Date (mo/yr)
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Antioch University does not discriminate on the basis of gender, age, ethnic background, or national origin. This voluntary information is used for statistical purposes only.

Birthdate _____ Citizenship _____ Residence status if not U.S. _____ Visa Type _____

Ethnic Background (please check one) Caucasian/European African American Asian/Pacific Islander

Native American/Alaskan Native Hispanic/Latino/Chicano Other/Unknown Gender: Male Female

Preferred Name (if other than legal name) _____

In case of emergency please notify _____
Name Relationship

Address _____ Telephone Day/Evening _____

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I certify that the information I have provided in this application packet is complete and accurate, and that all the statements and essays are my own work (unsigned applications will be returned for your signature).

Signature _____ Date _____

This application is not complete without your signature, a non-refundable \$60.00 application fee, and other materials required as listed on the reverse side. (Check # _____)

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APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

- I. **TWO LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION** - have two current letters of recommendation sent directly to the Admissions Office by people who can reference your personal and professional characteristics. Letters of recommendation must be received unopened from the original source and written on appropriate letterhead.
- II. **TRANSCRIPT** - have one official transcript from every institution you attended be sent directly to the Admissions Office. Your official transcript must be received unopened from the original source.
- III. **RESUME** - attach a current resume including all paid and volunteer positions. Specify name of organization, dates of affiliation, and your title and responsibilities.
- IV. **ESSAY QUESTIONS** - please write a 4-6 page essay about your experiences and interests in pursuing a master's degree in education. Be sure to highlight the following within your narrative.
 1. What factors led you to undertake graduate education at this time and how will the degree impact your professional goals?
 2. Describe your leadership skills and how they are used in the classroom, school, community, or other life situations.
 3. What reforms do you see needed in education today, and what visions do you have for achieving necessary changes?
 4. Describe a difficult situation you have had related to education or schools. Evaluate your handling of the situation, revealing any personal characteristics you have that enabled you to be an effective part of a solution.
 5. Describe any community action or organizing that you have been involved in, and how it impacts your perceptions of yourself as an educator.
 6. What expectations do you have for your graduate education?

After this application, a non-refundable \$60.00 fee, essay, official transcript(s), two letters of recommendation, and resume are received, you will be called for an admission interview.

Waiver of Right of Access:

I, the undersigned, understand that the information provided in my letters of recommendation may be used by the university in deciding upon admissions to graduate study. I hereby waive any and all rights of access to these letters of recommendation (under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act).

Signature of Applicant _____

Date _____

PLEASE NOTE: Your BA/BS degree must have been earned at a school accredited by one of the six regional accrediting bodies of the Commission on Institutions of Higher Education. Check with the Admissions Office at your school if you are unsure.