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# **TEACHER OF STUDENTS WITH VISUAL IMPAIRMENTS**

The Department of Blindness and Low Vision Studies offers a Master of Education (MEd) in Blindness and Visual Impairment degree and a Certificate for Teacher of Students with Visual Impairments.

## **Why Salus?**

- These competency-based programs offer coursework and practical experiences that develop the necessary knowledge and skills required for the instruction of infants, children and youth who are blind or visually impaired, and those with multiple disabilities
- The program is aligned with standards set forth by the Pennsylvania Department of Education and the Council for Exceptional Children's Division of Visual Impairment and Deafblindness

#### **ADMISSIONS CHECKLIST**

- ☐ Complete an application at GradCAS
- ☐ Complete a Bachelor's degree
- ☐ Submit a CV/Resume
- ☐ Write a Statement of Purpose
- ☐ Submit three letters of recommendation
- ☐ Submit a copy of your teaching certificate

For specific details on the above admissions requirements and deadlines visit salus.edu/admissions



### **Career Description:**

- Serve as the educational team's expert on blindness and visual impairment
- Collaborate with and learn from families and other professionals to increase student independence
- Incorporate the use of braille, assistive technology and other communication modes within instruction
- Teach students how to advocate for their needs and accommodations
- Prepare students for college and competitive employment

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#### **Work Environments:**

- Private and public schools
- Schools for the blind and visually impaired
- Student group homes
- Government agencies
- Universities

### **Career Advantages:**

- Learn the braille code
- Tuition grants and stipends are often available
- Work according to the academic calendar
- Teach one-on-one or teach a class of students
- Employment often secured before graduation

