ALTERNATIVE TEACHER CERTIFICATION
APPLICATION

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Soc. Sec. #:_________________________ Email:_________________

Last Name_________________________ Birthdate______________

First Name__________________________ Middle________________

Gender:  ___Male  ___Female
Ethnic Origin:__________Are you a veteran of any U.S. Forces?
___Amer Ind/Alaskan  ___European  ___Yes
___Asian/Pacific  ___Hispanic  ___No
___African  ___Other
___American Black

Address:____________________________________________________________

City:_____________________________ State______  Zip:________

Phone:________________________[H]________________[M]_________[WK]

How many different colleges/universities have you attended even part
time?________

Most  ___Bachelor  Major____________________________

Recent  ___Master’s  Minor____________________________

Degree  ___Doctorate  Grad Date____________  GPA______
Did you include your resume with at least three references: ___Yes ___No

Requested Areas of Certification:

Place a 1, 2 or 3 to indicate your specific preference for your area of teacher certification:

___All level Generic Special Education (EC-12)
___Art (All Levels)    ___Marketing Education
___Business Administration  ___Mathematics
___Business Education    ___Math./Phys. Science & Engineering
___Chemistry    ___Mathematics & Physics
___Computer Science    ___Music (All Levels)
___Dance    ___Physical Education (All Levels)
___Eng/Lang Arts/Reading    ___Physical Science
___French    ___Science
___German    ___Social Studies
___Health    ___Speech
___Health-Science Technology Ed.    ___Technology Education
___Journalism    ___Theatre
___Life Science 8-12

A Basic Academic Skills Test is a program pre-requisite and requirement. The scores must be submitted with your application. Please check off the test that you have taken and then indicate your scores in each area below:

___THEA    ___TASP

Reading______ Math_______ Writing_______ Other_______

Are you a graduate of a teacher education program?
___Yes ___No

Have you been on a university deficiency plan for certification?
___Yes ___No

Have you ever held a Texas teaching certificate? ___Yes ___No

If yes, beginning what year________ How long did you teach?________
Please prepare a one page typewritten, double-spaced essay to include the following questions/statement:

1. Why have you decided to pursue a career in teaching?

2. What talents or contributions will you bring to the teaching profession?

3. Describe your philosophy of learning and/or education.