The Associate degree in Education is designed to prepare the student for work as a teacher's aide, substitute teacher, or other paraprofessional in elementary or secondary schools. The curriculum is also designed for maximum application of credits to the Teacher Education Program (TEP) at NMSU for those students planning to complete the Bachelor’s Degree in Education. Students pursuing a Bachelor’s Degree in Education must apply to the Teacher Education Program (TEP).

Students must have an overall GPA of 2.5 and a C- or better in all courses.

A Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education completion program is available on the Alamogordo campus via ITV and online instruction through the College of Education in Las Cruces.

**Note:** Any education courses more than seven years old taken at NMSU or at another institution will not be counted toward the student's undergraduate program. A student may ask for a review of this time limit by the appropriate department. The department head and/or faculty may recommend accepting a course that is seven years old with approval from the Dean's office. Any course not approved must be repeated by the student.

Education - Associate Degree, Elementary Concentration (http://catalogs.nmsu.edu/alamogordo/degrees-certificates/education/education-elementary-associate-degree)

Education - Associate Degree, Secondary Math Concentration (http://catalogs.nmsu.edu/alamogordo/degrees-certificates/education/education-second-math-associate-degree)

Education - Associate Degree, Secondary Science Concentration (http://catalogs.nmsu.edu/alamogordo/degrees-certificates/education/education-second-science-associate-degree)

**Career & Technology Division**

**New Mexico State University Alamogordo**
2400 N. Scenic Drive
Alamogordo, NM 88310

**Division Head:**
Cathy Aguilar-Morgan

**Administrative Assistant:**
Michelle Nelson

**Office Location:**
Science Center (https://www.google.com/maps/d/edit?mid=1SjtAjNN32eSpRwW5KdPLdm6ZCR4)

**Phone:**
575.439.3761

**eMail:**
ctNMSUA@nmsu.edu (ctnmsua@nmsu.edu)

**Website:**
http://nmsua.edu/career-and-technology/