

**2021 SELF-DECLARATION FORM FOR CONTINUING STUDENTS:
CHILD ABUSE REGISTRY AND
STATEMENT OF CRIMINAL RECORDS**

All Bachelor of Education students are required to submit the attached self-declaration form prior to registration in each year of attendance.

A signed self-declaration of *adult* criminal convictions will not necessarily preclude continuation in the program but continuing students in Bachelor of Education programs who have criminal convictions which indicate they may **pose a threat to the safety and well-being of children and others in the school** may be required to withdraw from the program. Decisions with regard to criminal records will be made by the Associate Dean (Undergraduate Programs) in consultation with a sub-committee of the Academic Standing Committee.

A signed self-declaration form indicating appearance on the Child Abuse Registry will preclude registration and attendance in the Faculty of Education and will result in expulsion from the Faculty of Education.

Please be advised of the following pertinent information.

1. **Individual school divisions may still require teacher candidates to provide formal documentation from the Child Abuse Registry Unit and/or a formal criminal record check/search from their local law enforcement agency.**
2. Only criminal convictions obtained as an adult need be reported. Students are not required to disclose records under *The Young Offenders Act* or *The Youth Criminal Justice Act*.
3. Any continuing student listed on the Child Abuse Registry will be expelled from the Faculty of Education.
4. The above information will be kept strictly confidential by the Faculty of Education and will not become a part of your permanent student record with the University.
5. Failure to disclose any criminal record may result in immediate expulsion from the Faculty of Education.
6. It is the continuing student's responsibility to inform the Associate Dean (Undergraduate Programs) in the Faculty of Education should there be a change to his/her status on the Child Abuse Registry or should s/he obtain an adult criminal record while enrolled in the Faculty of Education.
7. The Faculty of Education/University of Manitoba cannot be held responsible for future changes in legislation which may affect teacher certification. Further information may be obtained from:

Faculty of Education - University of Manitoba
Student Services Office (bachelor.education@umanitoba.ca)

Scan and email form to: lisa.maharaj@umanitoba.ca

Use the subject line: 2021 Self Declaration Form

FOR 2021 – we are accepting scanned copies. Please ensure you print both pages of the form. Initial and sign where required before scanning and emailing.

You should retain this page for future reference.

- **The attached self-declaration form must be completed and submitted prior to registration for Fall 2021 and Winter 2022. Registration for Education students begins early July 2021.**



FACULTY OF EDUCATION
2021– 2022

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CHILD ABUSE REGISTRY & STATEMENT OF
CRIMINAL RECORD(S)

This personal information is being collected under the authority of *The University of Manitoba Act*. It will be used for the purpose of determining eligibility to register for coursework and/or practicum. The personal information that you provide will be used only for the purpose(s) for which it is collected, unless you consent or we are authorized to do so under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA)*. If you have any questions about the collection of your personal information, contact the Access and Privacy Office (204-474-9462), 233 Elizabeth Dafoe Library, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg MB, R3T 2N2.

Name _____ Student No. _____
Surname Given Name(s)

Other Name(s) which you have used for any purpose _____

Address _____
Number and Street

City/Town Province/State Postal/Zip Code

Date of Birth _____
Day/Month/Year

SELF-DECLARATION

SELF-DECLARATION STATEMENT

Sign your initials in the appropriate boxes for #1 and #2

I certify that:

- My name does not appear on the Child Abuse Registry.

and

- I have **not** or I have (please **initial one box**)
been convicted of an offence under the *Criminal Code*, *Controlled Drug and Substances Act* or *Food and Drugs Act* for which no pardon has been granted. Only criminal convictions obtained as an adult must be reported (see #1 on cover sheet).

If you have been convicted of an offence as described above please explain using the space provided on the reverse side of this form:

Note: If you are presently charged with any offence under the *Criminal Code*, the *Controlled Drugs and Substances Act* or the *Food and Drugs Act* and are subsequently convicted, it is your responsibility to report these changes to the Associate Dean (Undergraduate Programs), Faculty of Education.

I understand that I am obligated to inform the Associate Dean (Undergraduate Programs) in the Faculty of Education should there be a change in my status on the Child Abuse Registry or should I obtain a criminal record while enrolled in the Faculty of Education.

Date	Signature
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A signed self-declaration of previous adult criminal convictions will not necessarily preclude continuation in the program. However, students in Bachelor of Education programs who have criminal convictions which indicate they may **pose a threat to the safety and well-being of children and others in the school** may be required to withdraw from the program.

If you have indicated that you have an offence in #2 above, use the reverse side of this form to elaborate with respect to where and when the offence(s) took place, the nature of the offence, the nature of any sentence (including time spent in prison, probation, community service, etc.), whether you are still fulfilling the requirements of your sentence, and (if so) when those obligations will be completed.

SUBMISSION OF FALSE OR INCOMPLETE INFORMATION WILL INVALIDATE REGISTRATION AND MAY RESULT IN IMMEDIATE EXPULSION FROM THE FACULTY OF EDUCATION.

Additional Information:

If you have indicated that you have an offence in #2 on the reverse of form, you should elaborate in the space provided below with respect to:

- Where and when the offence(s) took place,
- The nature of the offence,
- The nature of any sentence (including time spent in prison, probation, community service, etc.),
- Whether you are still fulfilling the requirements of your sentence, and (if so) when those obligations will be completed.

Any other relevant information which may assist the Faculty of Education Academic Standing sub-committee in considering your registration should be included.

Student Name:

Student Number:

draw a line through this page if it is not required and return both pages

After completing this form (both pages) return by email to:

lisa.maharaj@umanitoba.ca

With subject line 2021 Self Declaration form