

# **MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING**

The Master of Arts in Teaching is a graduate-level program that prepares teacher candidates for initial licensure in Ohio and many other states. The program accepts candidates interested in teaching Language Arts, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies in grades 7-12. Additionally, the program prepares multi-age teachers (pre-K through 12) in Art, Dance, Foreign Language, Music, and Health. This program offers two tracks: One is an accelerated 11-month program, and the other is a part-time two-year program. Both are partially online. The MAT program is offered to recent bachelor and graduate degree holders, as well as career-changing professionals who now desire to become teachers.

#### **DEGREE PROGRAMS**

Master of Arts in Teaching (M.A.T.)



# **EMPLOYMENT CONSIDERATIONS**

- ► This program prepares candidates for initial teacher licensure
- ➤ Students Complete 130 hours of clinical field experiences prior to student teaching

# **CONCENTRATIONS**

- **Dance**
- Health
- ► Integrated English
- ► Integrated Mathematics
- ► Integrated Science
- ► Integrated Social Studies
- **▶** Music Education
- ▶ Visual Art
- World Languages

For more information about the Master's of Arts in Teaching program, please visit <a href="https://www.kent.edu/ehhs/tlcs/mat">www.kent.edu/ehhs/tlcs/mat</a>.

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College of Education, Health and Human Services



## STUDENT SATISFACTION

"The professors were amazing. Once you get through the program and you're looking for a job, they were such a unique resource. They were able to connect you with different schools, help you through the interview process and give you guidance."

VICTORIA KRUS. '18

ENGLISH TEACHER, CLOVERLEAF HIGH SCHOOL

"It taught me to be prepared and have backups planned, and be ready to just be flexible. Because that's what teaching is. Everyday is a new experience and you never know what your class will be like on a given day, so I think the MAT program did a great job of preparing me to be a flexible and well-rounded teacher."

### **KAYLEE KRUSE, '18**

BIOLOGY/CHEMISTRY TEACHER, SOLON HIGH SCHOOL

"I wouldn't be doing what I'm doing today without the MAT. It really was the best course for me to take to get into the classroom. You came in, you talked about things that mattered and you took the courses that mattered, and you got hands on experience."

#### **COLIN MARTAU, '17**

SOCIAL STUDIES TEACHER, BIOMED SCIENCE ACADEMY