Professional and Program Accreditations

Institutional Accreditation
West Chester University is accredited by
The Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools on Higher Education
Toward Associate's, Bachelor's, Master's, and Specialist degrees.

College of Arts and Sciences

Biology BSED and Biology Teaching Certificate -- PDE, NCATE, NSTA

Chemistry BS--ACS

Chemistry BSED and Chemistry Teaching Certificate -- PDE, NCATE, NSTA

Communications Teaching Certificate -- PDE, NCATE

Computer Science BS -- ABET

Earth-Space Science BSED and Earth-Space Science Teaching Certificate -- NCATE, NSTA

Elective Social Studies, Geography, History, and Political Science Teaching Certificate--PDE, NCATE, NCSS

English BSED and English Teaching Certificate--PDE, NCATE, NCTE

Forensic & Toxicological Chemistry BS--FEPAC

French MED--NCATE, ACTFL

French Teaching Certificate--PDE, NCATE, ACTFL

General Science Teaching Certificate--PDE, NCATE, NSTA

German MED--NCATE, ACTFL

German Teaching Certificate--PDE, NCATE, ACTFL

History MED--PASSHE, NCATE, NCSS

History Teaching Certificate--PDE, NCATE, NCSS

Latin Teaching Certificate--PDE, NCATE, ACTFL

Professional and Program Accreditations (Continued)

College of Arts and Sciences (Continued)

Mathematics BSED and Mathematics Teaching Certificate--PDE, NCATE, NCTM

Physics BSED and Physics Teaching Certificate--PDE, NCATE, NSTA

Russian Teaching Certificate--PDE, NCATE, ACTFL

Spanish MED --NCATE

Spanish Teaching Certificate--PDE, NCATE, ACTFL

Teaching English as a Second Language MA and Teaching English as a Second Language Certificate--PDE, NCATE

College of Business and Public Affairs

Accounting BS -- AACSB

Business Administration MBA -- AACSB

Business Management BS -- AACSB

Economics BS -- AACSB

Finance BS -- AACSB

Marketing BS -- AACSB

Social Work BSW and Social Work MSW -- CSWE

College of Education

Counseling: Elementary School Counseling MED--PDE, NCATE, CACREP

Counseling: Higher Education/Student Affairs MS--CACREP

Counseling: Secondary School Counseling MED--PDE, NCATE, CACREP

Counseling (Elementary or Secondary) Specialist I Certificate -- PDE, NCATE, CACREP

Early Childhood Education BSED and Early Childhood Education Teaching Certificate -- PDE, NCATE, NAEYC

Professional and Program Accreditations (Continued)

College of Education (Continued)

Early Childhood Education MED -- PASSHE, NCATE, NAEYC

Elementary Education BSED and Elementary Education Teaching Certificate -- PDE, NCATE, ACEI

Elementary Education MED -- PASSHE, NCATE, ACEI

Reading MED and Reading Specialist Certificate -- PDE, NCATE, IRA

Secondary Education MED -- NCATE

Special Education BSED and Special Education Teaching Certificate -- PDE, NCATE, CEC

Special Education MED -- PASSHE, NCATE, CEC

College of Health Sciences

Athletic Training BS -- CAATE

Communicative Disorders Speech Correction Teaching Certificate--PDE, NCATE

Communicative Disorders MA – NCATE, ASHA

Health: School Health MED -- AAHE

Health & Physical Education BS and Health & Physical Education Teaching Certificate -- PDE, NCATE, NASPE

Health & Physical Education: Exercise Physiology MS -- COAES

Health Science: Respiratory Care BS -- CAAHEP

Nursing BSN and Nursing MSN and Nursing Education Certificate -- CCNE

Nursing: Parish Nurse – In moratorium

Nursing: RN to BSN -- CCNE

Nutrition and Dietetics BS -- CADE

Public Health MPH -- CEPH

School Nursing Certificate--PDE, NCATE, CCNE and will also be going into moratorium

Professional and Program Accreditations (Continued)

College of Visual and Performing Arts

Music Education: Instrumental BM--PDE, NCATE, NASM

Music Education: Keyboard BM--PDE, NCATE, NASM

Music Education: Voice BM--PDE, NCATE, NASM

Music Education: Music Technology MM -- NCATE, NASM

Music Education: Orff-Schulwerk MM – NCATE, NASM. AOSA

Music Education: Performance MM and Research Report MM – NCATE. NASM, OAKE

Music Education Teaching Certificate--PDE, NCATE, NASM

Music: Elective Studies BM--NASM

Music History MA--NASM

Music-Performance BM--NASM

Music Performance MM--NASM

Music: Piano Pedagogy MM--NASM

Music: Theory & Composition BM and Music: Theory & Composition MM--NASM

Studio Arts BA and Studio Arts BFA--Beginning the process of NASAD accreditation

Theatre Arts: General BA--Beginning the process of NAST accreditation

Theatre Arts: Music Theatre BA--Beginning the process of NAST accreditation

Theatre Arts: Performance BA--Beginning the process of NAST accreditation

Theatre Arts: Technical Production BA--Beginning the process of NAST accreditation

