

Step-by-step Application Instructions for UNM's Speech and Hearing Sciences Department M.S. in Speech-Language Pathology

For additional help with this process, please reference our website and bookmark the Admissions Workshop dates

1. Click this [link](#) to go to UNM's online application system

Apply Now

Graduate Studies does not process applications for admission. The Dean of Graduate Studies must approve petitions for waivers or exceptions to admissions requirements. Individual graduate programs have specific requirements for admissions, as well as different deadlines. Before applying, be sure to review the departmental **requirements and instructions**. All questions about the admission process itself should be directed to the **Office of Admission**, the **International Admissions Office** (for international applicants), and to the **graduate advisor** in the graduate program to which you are applying.

To apply for admission, begin by selecting the Apply Now button below and the Sign-up link at the bottom of the next page to create your username and password. An email with your username and a link to create your password will be sent to the email address you provide. This username and password is so that you can return to work on your application over several sessions. Your information is transmitted through a secured server and is not reviewed for admission until you submit your application.

When you have completed your application and are ready to submit it, you will be required to pay an application fee (\$60 for domestic applications, \$70 for international applications) via credit card online. No application will be processed until the correct application fee is paid. Please carefully read the instructions that appear throughout the application pages. You can only submit your application one time. Please go here for information about **undocumented application requirements**.

Email: unmgrad@unm.edu. For international admissions, email: goglobal@unm.edu

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REQUIREMENTS

Reset Username or Password

If you forget your Password, you may request your password by selecting the Forgot Password Link on the Online Application Sign-In Page. Enter your Username and select the Request Password button. You will then go to your Username email inbox to find the email titled - Your New UNM Online Application Password. Select the Join the Pack!, button and then Change Your Password. If you need assistance, send an email to unmgrad@unm.edu and we will respond by the next business day.

2. Create an account

Sign In

The Username is the email address that you used to "Sign up" for the UNM Portal.

Username

Password

[Sign Up](#) | [Forgot Password](#)

[SIGN IN](#)

3. Start an application

New Application

To make sure you complete the correct Application, you need to select your general Citizenship Status below.

If you are a U.S. Citizen, U.S. Permanent Resident, DACA Recipient, Refugee, Asylee, Undocumented, or have an unknown status (not in the U.S. on current Visa), please select **Domestic**.

If you do not meet any of that criteria, please select **International**.

To learn more about individual programs, what documents are required for your application, etc., please visit the [Application Instructions/Guidelines](#).

Citizenship Status:
Domestic

Are you applying for an online-only program?
No

What Program are you applying for?
Speech-Language Pathology

What Degree Type are you applying for?
MS

Select your area of interest:
MS-Speech/Language Pathology

Term
Fall 2026

4. You will need to complete all areas. However, please note that many of the items within each section are optional (i.e. you may decline to answer).

 Application Sections UPDATE APPLICATION TYPE

- Instructions
- Personal Details
- Contact Details
- Demographic Data
- Race and Ethnic Background
- Military Information
- Residency
- Application Information
- Program Information
- Educational Background**
- Test Scores
- Optional Video Submission
- Assistantship Interest
- Request Two Recommendations
- Letter of Intent

5. Be sure to include educational information for all institutions that includes SHS or CSD coursework

*Note although it is not part of the online application you also need to mail official transcripts in **SEALED** envelope to UNM Office of Admissions, PO Box 4895, Albuquerque, NM 87196-4895
OR If your institution allows you to directly send official transcripts electronically, email them to apply@unm.edu.

6. If you are interested in an assistantship, please select **yes** and then upload the teaching assistantship [application](#).

Assistantship Interest

I will consider enrolling in the graduate program without an assistantship.

☒ Yes
☐ No

SAVE AND CONTINUE

Interest Document

Please upload a document expressing your interest for an assistantship. Assistantships are financial awards to graduate students for part-time work in teaching or research while pursuing study toward an advanced degree. Assistantships are competitively awarded at the department level and typically require 10 hours of service per week. More information on assistantships is available at <http://grad.unm.edu/funding/assistantships.html>

Upload your statement of interest below
No file selected

7. Enter your information for your letters of recommendation. Please follow the instructions and guidelines found [here](#). Please note that once you enter in the email address of the reviewer, a request will automatically be sent (regardless if you have submitted your application).

CHANGE RECOMMENDER

The program you are applying for requires applicants to have two recommendations submitted on their behalf. These may be academic or professional recommendations.

PLEASE NOTE:
The individual whose information you list below will be sent an email upon submission of your application with instructions on how to provide their evaluation.

- What kind of recommendation are you requesting?
Please select an option
This field is required.
- Recommender First Name
- Recommender Last Name
- Recommender Email Address

Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, students have access to their education record, including letters of recommendation. However, students may waive their right to see letters of evaluation, in which case the letter will be held in confidence.

- Do you wish to waive your right to examine this letter of recommendation?
Please select an option

8. Upload your written application in the section for the letter of intent. Follow the instructions listed [here](#).

9. GRE scores are not required. Please do **not** upload videos.

Everything, including recommendation letters, is due by **February 1**, so start early and check your application often!

If you have trouble during the application process, you may contact the following resources:

- For technical/system difficulties, email: unmgrad@unm.edu. For international admissions, email: goglobal@unm.edu

- For content questions, Speech and Hearing Sciences: 505-277-4453; shsadmin@unm.edu