

**Process for Application to Edison State College's Educator Preparation  
Institute (EPI) Alternate Certification Program**

1. Complete Edison State College's application for admission (can be found at [www.edison.edu](http://www.edison.edu))
2. Submit application fee of \$20.00 payable to Edison State College
3. Have all transcripts sent to the EPI Program (choose appropriate campus):
  - a. Charlotte Campus  
Edison State College  
Attn: EPI Program  
26300 Airport Rd.  
Punta Gorda, FL 33950
  - b. Lee Campus  
Edison State College  
Attn: EPI Program  
8099 College Parkway SW  
Fort Myers, FL 33919
  - c. Collier Campus  
Edison State College  
Attn: EPI Program  
7007 Lely Cultural Parkway  
Naples, FL 34113
4. Complete the Educator Preparation Institute program application - **beginning January 1, 2009 there will be a \$20 EPI application fee.**
5. Submit application for FL Teacher Certification (Professional) to the Florida Department of Education to obtain Statement of Eligibility:
  - a. You may complete this application online (quickest method) at: <http://fldoe.org/edcert/level3.asp>
  - b. Submit online payment (using Mastercard or visa) of \$75.00 for ***each*** subject area in which you wish to be certified
  - c. Mail official transcripts and copies of out-of-state certifications (if applicable) to Board of Education at:  
Florida Department of Education  
Bureau of Educator Certification

Room 201, Turlington Building  
325 West Gaines Street  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400

Once the above documentation has been received, we evaluate your eligibility and schedule an admissions interview.

Questions???

Charlotte Campus:  
(941) 637-5669  
[EPICharlotte@edison.edu](mailto:EPICharlotte@edison.edu)

Lee Campus:  
(239) 489-9235  
[EPILee@edison.edu](mailto:EPILee@edison.edu)

Collier Campus:  
239-732-3707  
[EPICollier@edison.edu](mailto:EPICollier@edison.edu)