



We are excited that you have chosen to apply to the Speech Language Pathology program at the University of Montevallo. We offer an exciting curriculum and a broad range of clinical opportunities. The department is committed to preparing students to become clinical leaders in the field of Speech Language Pathology. The curriculum emphasizes the problem-solving and critical thinking skills necessary to become strong clinical professionals capable of serving a diverse client population.

Applications are to be submitted through CSDCAS at <https://csdcas.liasoncas.com/applicant-ux/#/login>

- ❖ If you have, or will have, a completed Bachelor's degree in Communication Science & Disorders, Speech-Language Pathology, or Speech/Hearing Sciences you will apply to the ***M.S. SLP Traditional*** track on CSDCAS.
- ❖ If you have, or will have, a completed Bachelor's degree in a field other than CSD, SLP, or Speech/Hearing Sciences you will apply to the ***M.S. SLP Nonbackground*** track on CSDCAS.

Application requirements for the Speech-Language Pathology Master's program are:

- **One** (1) official transcript each from **ALL** colleges/universities attended.
Transcripts must be sent to:
CSDCAS Verification Department
PO Box 9113
Watertown, MA 02471
- **Minimum** GRE score of **290** *Test must have been taken within 5 years of the date of application.*
 - *Applicants must meet these standards to be considered for unconditional admission. Applicants not meeting the minimums may be considered for conditional admission if the cohort is not filled.*
 - Official test scores must be sent to CSDCAS using the **Code 2345**. Scores sent to the University of Montevallo will not be counted toward a completed application.
- **Minimum** GPA of **3.0** overall **and** a minimum GPA of **3.0** on the last 60 hours completed.
- **Three** (3) recommendation forms.
 - **CSD, SLP, or Speech/Hearing Sciences Majors:** These forms are to be completed by faculty/staff members in CSD who directly taught, advised, or supervised the applicant.
 - **Degree in a field not listed above:** These forms are to be completed by faculty/staff members **within the applicant's field of study** who directly taught, advised, or supervised the applicant.
 - Any exceptions to the credentials of the reviewer must be preapproved by Dr. Edwards, Graduate Program Coordinator.
- The University is unable to provide notification of missing application elements.

****To ensure that applications are processed on time, due to the high volume processing demand in January for CSDCAS, it is strongly suggested that applications and documents are submitted 2-3 weeks before the January 15th deadline.***

*****While the University of Montevallo is not requiring an application fee for our program this year, CSDCAS does have fees for use of their services. Information about those fees can be found on CSDCAS's webpage.***

A personal interview may be required as part of the admissions process. The Communication Science & Disorders department will begin contacting qualified applicants around the end of February if an interview is warranted.

For more information regarding courses and degree requirements, please visit the Communication Science and Disorders department webpage.

For information concerning financial aid, please contact Student Financial Services at (205) 665-6050.

If you experience problems or have questions contact:

CSDCAS Customer Service: (617) 612-2030 or csdcasinfo@csdcas.org

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