

Office for Graduate Education

About Mount Mary

Mount Mary College provides graduate-level academic and professional advancement opportunities to women and men that are consistent with the institutional mission of the College. The graduate programs educate students who are committed to being critical and creative scholars, ethical and just human beings with a global perspective, and leaders who put knowledge into transforming action.

Admission to Graduate Studies

All applicants must submit the following materials.

- A completed application form, available at <https://my.mtmary.edu/ICS/Admissions>
- A nonrefundable application fee (Application fee is waived for Mount Mary College alumnae.)
- Official transcripts documenting previous academic study from all universities or colleges attended, embossed with the school seal; must be sent directly from the issuing institution to Mount Mary's Office for Graduate Education. Applicants with coursework in progress toward the fulfillment of a degree are required to submit official final transcripts verifying receipt of their degree after completing the coursework.
- A minimum grade point average of 2.75 based on a 4-point scale; individual program requirements may vary.

Some programs may require additional materials to be submitted. Check the program's web page at www.mtmary.edu/graduate.htm for complete admission requirements and procedure information.

Fast Facts

Founded:
1913

Accreditation:
The Higher Learning Commission, a commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools

Sponsorship:
School Sisters of Notre Dame

Location:
Near Hwy. 45 and Burleigh Street in Milwaukee

Graduate Programs



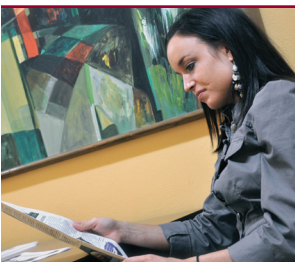
Doctorate of Art Therapy

The Professional Doctorate of Art Therapy, which is the **first degree of its kind in the United States**, is a practitioner-oriented advanced degree that prepares credentialed art therapists with competencies over and above those of master's level professionals. The Professional Doctorate of Art Therapy is designed to enhance students' professional knowledge with organizational, supervisory, administrative and consulting skills needed to advance their career as leaders and trendsetters in diverse health, nonprofit organizations, arts and community settings.



Master of Science in Art Therapy

The Art Therapy program is grounded in a profound belief in the healing power of the arts and creative process. Mount Mary provides a **depth-oriented program that teaches students to formulate theories and practice from within the context of their lives**, thus preparing them to help others. Art therapy is a profession founded on art and psychology, and applicants must have sufficient undergraduate preparation in these areas. This program is accredited by the American Art Therapy Association.



Master of Business Administration

The Mount Mary MBA is designed to provide students in-depth skills and knowledge in the functional areas of business. The MBA is **offered in an accelerated format** (five, eight-week terms per calendar year where students take one course, one evening per week) and stresses strong quantitative skills and qualitative proficiency. The program emphasizes leadership, ethics and communication skills within a global environment and develops professional, competent and ethical leaders and managers to meet the needs and expectations of employers.

Graduate Programs



Master of Science in Counseling

The Counseling program at Mount Mary College offers a holistic learning community that prepares students for professional practice. The program offers **three concentrations: Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Community Counseling and School Counseling**. Depending upon the concentration, students are eligible for Licensed Professional Counselor – Initial Training, Substance Abuse Counselor – Initial Training and/or Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction licensure as a School Counselor. Each concentration prepares students with the theoretical knowledge and practical skills to work effectively in community and clinical mental health agency settings or at schools. Post-master's certificates also are available in each concentration.



Master of Science in Dietetics

The Dietetics program is **designed for working practitioners to advance their knowledge of the field**. Because the degree is in dietetics, not nutritional science or food science, the student is required to either have had an undergraduate degree in nutrition or dietetics from a program accredited by the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics or the equivalent coursework to be eligible to take the registration examination for the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics.



Master of Arts in Education

The Education degree program offers teachers the opportunity to strengthen their knowledge base and broaden their repertoire of instructional skills. The program **provides professional development for early childhood, elementary, middle school and high school teachers**. Coursework leading to licenses in reading (316), bilingual (023) or adaptive education (859) may be incorporated into the program.



Master of Arts in English

The English program offers **four concentrations: creative writing, professional writing, writing for children and young adults and broad-based writing**. The curriculum draws on the philosophical tradition that stresses the importance of thought, expression and ethical action in society. Advanced, specialized writing courses also provide the opportunity to develop areas of interest in depth.



Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

This program provides **professional education resulting in skilled hands-on practitioners who are client-centered and holistic in their approach to health care**. The program emphasizes a commitment to ethical practice, professional growth, advocacy and leadership based on professional and personal values. The Occupational Therapy program is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education. Mount Mary also offers a post-professional Master of Science in Occupational Therapy, which is designed for practicing professionals who have a bachelor's degree in occupational therapy.