



**BUFFALO STATE**  
The State University of New York

## Applying for Initial Visual Arts Certification on TEACH

Go to [www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/teach](http://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/teach)

Log on to TEACH with your username and password

Click on “TEACH Online Services”

Click on “Apply for Certificate”

Make selections from drop boxes to select certificate title

Area of Interest: Classroom Teacher  
Subject Area: Visual Arts  
Grade Level: PreK-12 – All Grades  
Title: Visual Arts  
Type of Certificate: Initial Certificate

Answer yes to question re: approved teacher prep program and enter program code (see below)

Answer “moral character” questions and electronically sign affidavit

Submit payment for application (\$50 online using a credit card)

<u>PROGRAM CODES</u>		
	Bachelor of Science	Post-Baccalaureate
Visual Arts	<b>37883</b>	<b>23463</b>

Be sure to send the **Release Authorization** form to the Teacher Certification Office in Chase Hall, Room 222. To access the release form and for information regarding certification requirements, go to:

<http://teachercertification.buffalostate.edu/>