



**Read carefully and sign.**

**I am aware that:**

- I must get fingerprinted by an Educational Service District (ESD).
- I must start the WSP/FBI fingerprint background check before acceptance into the College of Education and Psychology.
- I must be cleared by the Washington State Patrol (WSP) and Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) before I can begin my student internship.
- Results from the fingerprint process may take three to four months to clear.
- Blurred prints or other circumstances may delay the clearance process or necessitate that I return to the office to have them redone.
- The fingerprint background check is valid for two years from the WSP clear date.
- All “yes” answers on the Character and Fitness Supplement (Form 4020B) must be cleared by OSPI’s Office of Professional Practices (OPP) before I can begin my student internship.
- Completion of Saint Martin’s University teacher education/ school counselor/ master’s program does not guarantee certification.
- Any falsification or deliberate misrepresentation, including omission of a material fact, in completing the Character and Fitness Supplement (Form 2040B) can be grounds for Saint Martin’s University non-recommendation and/or Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction denial of certification.

First Name:

Last Name:

Middle Name:

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Signature:

Date:

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