SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGY BILINGUAL EXTENSION (ADV CERT)

Admissions

Applicants seeking admission to the Bilingual Extension program for Certified School Psychologists have to fulfill the following prerequisites for the program:

- one of the following:
  - proof of New York state certification as a school psychologist (provisional or permanent);
  - proof of National Certification–School Psychology (NCSP);
  - proof of certification as a school psychologist, having earned certification from a NASP-approved or APA-university-accredited program;
  - proof of language competence (evidence of passing score on the NYS BEA)
- GPA of 3.2 or better in graduate studies leading to certification
- proof of completion of the Child Abuse Prevention/Reporting Workshop and the Violence Prevention Workshop (these workshops can be taken at Fordham concurrently with other coursework)
- competency in both English and a second language through:
  a. a license as a bilingual teacher; or
  b. a successful rating on a test of dual language proficiency (for example, New York state Education Department Language Proficiency Examination)