

| Ohio Audiology Programs | | | | | |
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| | | Northwest Ohio AuD Consortium (Kent State University/ University of Akron) | Ohio State University | Ohio University | University of Cincinnati |
| Application Requirements | Application deadline | 15-Dec | 15-Dec | 15-Dec | 1-Dec |
| | GPA minimum | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 |
| | GPA range | 3.01-4.0 | 3.4-4.0 | 3.01-4.0 | 3.33-4.0 |
| | Target class size | 22 | 12 | 10 | 15 |
| | Apps received | 77 | 86 | 53 | 52 |

*Common Prerequisites for Graduate Programs include the following: Human or Animal Biology, Chemistry or Physics, Statistics, Social or Behavioral Sciences (Psychology, Sociology, or Anthropology), Lifespan Development

*Though the minimum GPA to apply to these programs is 3.0, competitive students have a much higher GPA, such as 3.5 or higher.

*Data based off students admitted for 2019/2020/2021.

*You can view more information on these schools and other graduate programs through the ASHA website.
<http://www.asha.org/>

*Utilize workshops through the Office for Career Development and Exploration:
<https://www.clestatecareers.com/pre-professional-recorded-workshops>

| Ohio Speech Language Pathology Programs | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | Baldwin Wallace University | Bowling Green State University | Case Western Reserve University | Cleveland State University | Kent State University | Miami University of Ohio (MS and MA options) | Ohio State University | Ohio University | University of Akron | University of Cincinnati | University of Toledo |
| Application Requirements | Application deadline | 15-Feb | 15-Dec | 15-Jan | 1-Feb | 15-Jan/1-Oct | 15-Dec | 15-Dec | 15-Dec | 15-Dec | 5-Jan | 15-Dec |
| | GPA minimum | 3.0 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.3 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.0 | 3.00 | 2.7 |
| | GPA prerequisites | 3.33 | 3.2 | | | | 3.4 | | | | B- or better | |
| | GPA range | 2.7-4.0 | 3.19-4.0 | 3.05-4.0 | 3.00-4.0 | 3.23-3.89 | 3.24-4.0 | 3.54-4.0 | 3.08-4.0 | 3.2-4.0 | 3.2-4.0 | 2.7-4.0 |
| | Target class size | 25 | 31 | 12 | 35 | 50 | 26 | 32 | 35 | 32 | 108 | 50 |
| Apps received | 138 | 172 | 90 | 222 | 179 | 161 | 286 | 180 | 335 | 213 | 141 | |



Tips and considerations for applying to grad school

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| Undergraduate Degree | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All Ohio Speech Pathology and Audiology programs require an undergraduate degree. The degree needs to be completed prior to the start of graduate school. Often the degree can be completed in the summer. Review program requirements to determine if prerequisites must be complete prior to submitting your application. |
| GPA | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Most Ohio SLP and AuD programs require a minimum of 3.0 cumulative GPA. However, students should aim higher to be competitive. Most schools suggest a 3.5 cumulative GPA or higher. Research whether the school uses all courses taken, or if they only look at the GPA from the graduating institution. If applicable, find out if all grades are used, even when a course is repeated. GPA within major courses is typically weighed heavily. Most schools suggest a 3.6 or higher within the major. |
| Prerequisite courses | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some graduate programs may have additional prerequisites. This is something that you can plan for and take as your electives. Find out if there is a minimum grade required in prerequisite courses. |
| GRE (Graduate Record Exam) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> As of 7.7.22 the Ohio schools (masters programs) that do not require the GRE: Cleveland State University, Ohio University, Akron, Miami, Kent, Case, and Bowling Green. It is recommended to take the GRE the summer before you intend to graduate (about a year in advance of grad school). The test costs about \$200 and is about 3 hours long, so make sure you study. The GRE website can give you information about the test. This is also where you register for the exam: https://www.ets.org/gre/ GRE Averages: Verbal Reasoning = 148-156, Quantitative Reasoning 147-155, Analytical Writing 4. |
| Application and deadlines | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Most grad programs require applicants to submit an application through a centralized application system, CSDCAS. Review CSDCAS's <i>Before Applying</i> page to learn more about the application process: https://portal.csdcas.org/csdcasHelpPages/before-applying/index.html Many programs also require a supplemental application through the school. The application portal typically opens in August the year prior to the intended start term. Application deadlines can be as early as December the preceding year of the intended start date, so be sure to apply early. Some schools have rolling admission, so the program may be filled prior to the deadline. Apply as early as possible. CSDCAS requires that you submit your transcripts early enough to be evaluated prior to the application deadline. |
| Capacity | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ohio SLP programs range from 10-100 students in each program. AuD programs range from 10-22 students in each program. Each program typically receives hundreds of applicants. |
| Duration and Starting Month | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> SLP programs are typically 5-6 semesters. Most schools only start in the Fall, with the exception of Kent State University. AuD programs are typically 11-12 semesters with only Fall start dates. |
| Personal Statements | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Utilize CSU's writing center for assistance with a personal statement. Workshops are offered through the office of Career Development & Exploration |
| Letters of Recommendation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plan to submit three letters of recommendation. Establish a positive relationship with faculty members early in academic career. It can take weeks for faculty members to write letters of recommendation, so ask early. |

***This is not an official advising sheet.** Students should refer to the school website for up to date information regarding specific graduate programs.

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