



Glossary of **Abbreviations, Acronyms
and Terms**

APPENDIX NINE: ABBREVIATIONS, ACRONYMS AND TERMS

AA	Associate of Arts degree
AACTE	American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education
Academic Council	Curriculum approval committee for traditional undergraduate programs.
ACCT	Accounting
ACE	American Council on Education
ACT	American College Testing
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990
AFSG	Academic Fresh Start GPA program
APMU	Applied Music
APT	Association for Play Therapy
ASCAP	American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers
ASG	Associated Student Government
ATI-NCLEX	Assessment Technology Institute - National Council Licensure EXamination
ATRN	Athletic Training
ATS	Association of Theological Schools
BA	Bachelor of Arts degree
BCEC	Bell Cultural Events Center
BCWI	Best Christian Workplaces Institute
BIOL	Biology
BLAN	Biblical Languages
BLIT	Biblical Literature
BME	Bachelor of Music Education

BMEd.	Bachelor of Music Education
BMI	Broadcast Music Incorporated
BSN	Bachelor of Science in Nursing
BSN to RN	Accelerated Basic Nursing Program
BSU	Black Student Union
CACREP	Council for the Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs
CBASE	College Base Academic Subjects examination used to assess the general education core.
CCCU	Coalition of Christian Colleges and Universities
CCNE	Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education
CDC	Career Development Center
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
CEU	Continuing Education Unit
CHED	Christian Education
CHEM	Chemistry
CHST	Church History
CLEP	College Level Examination Program
CMC	Contemporary Music Center
CMUS	Music Ministry
COMM	Communications
COMP	Computer Science
COUN	Counseling
CRIM	Criminal Justice
Delta Mu Delta	Business honor society
EAP	Employee Assistance Program

ECON	Economics
EDTC	Educational Technology
EDUC	Education
ENGL	English
ESL	English As a Second Language
ESOL	English for Speakers of Other Languages
ETS	Educational Testing Service
EuNC	European Nazarene College
Faculty Assembly	Faculty governing body
FERPA	Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act
FNAR	Fine Arts
FRST	Freshman Studies
FTE	Full Time Equivalent
GenEd	General Education core curriculum
GLBA	Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act
GNSC	General Science
GNST	General Studies
GPA	Grade Point Average
Graduate and Adult Council	Curriculum approval committee for graduate and adult programs.
GSC	Graduate Studies in Counseling
GSE	Graduate Studies in Education
GSM	Graduate Studies in Management
HAAC	Heart of America Athletic Conference
HIPPA	Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996

HIST	History
HLC	Higher Learning Commission
HLTH	Health
HUMN	Humanities
IACBE	International Assembly for Collegiate Business Education
IBI	International Business Institute
INMB	International Marketing and Business
INTB	International Business
IPEDS	Integrated Postsecondary Educational Data System
IRC	Internal Review Committees used for Program Review
JOUR	Journalism
JRC-AT	Joint Review Committee on Athletic Training Education
KAPERD	Kansas Association of Physical Education, Recreation and Dance
KICA	Kansas Independent Colleges Association
KMNU Radio	Campus radio station
KMNU TV2	Campus television station
KSDE	Kansas State Department of Education
K-SNEA	Education honor society
KSSNA	Nursing honor society
Lambda Pi Eta	Communications honor society
LEAD	Leadership
MAC	Master of Arts in Counseling
MAGS	Midwestern Association of Graduate Schools
MAOA	Master of Arts in Organizational Administration
MAPL	Master of Arts in Pastoral Leadership

MAPP	MidAmerica Accelerated Positioning Program
MASE	Master of Arts Special Education
MATH	Mathematics
MANC	MidAmerica Nazarene College
MBA	Master of Business Administration
MDHE	Missouri Department of Higher Education
M.Div.	Master of Divinity
MEd	Master of Education
MET	Master of Education Technology (This degree has been incorporated into the M.Ed. degree as an emphasis.)
MGMT	Management
MHR	B.A. degree completion program in Management and Human Relations
MHST	Music History
MidAmerica	MidAmerica Nazarene University
MKTG	Marketing
MNU	MidAmerica Nazarene University
MODL	Modern Languages
MRC	Ministry Resource Center
MSNS	Missions
MUBS	Music Business
MUED	Music Education
MUEN	Music Ensemble
MUTH	Music Theory
NAIA	National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics
NAT	Non-academic Assessment Team
NATABOC	National Athletic Training Association Board of Certification

NASM	National Association of Schools of Music
NCATE	National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education
NCCAA	National Christian College Athletic Association
NPAD	Non-Profit Administration
NSLC	Nazarene Student Leadership Conference
NSSE	National Survey of Student Engagement
NTS	Nazarene Theological Seminary
NURS	Nursing
NYI	Nazarene Youth International
OAFT	Outcomes Assessment Facilitation Team (This committee's name has changed to the Student Learning Assessment Facilitation Team).
OASYS	Outcomes Assessment System
PG	Performance Gap (SSI term)
PHED	Physical Education
PHIL	Philosophy
PLT	Principles of Learning and Teaching Test (Praxis)
PPST	Pre-Professional Skills Test
PT	Play Therapy
NASM	National Association of Schools of Music
NSO	New Student Orientation
NLN	National League for Nursing
PEAQ	Program to Evaluate and Advance Quality (postsecondary accreditation term)
PHYS	Physics
Pi Lambda Theta	Education honor society
PLTH	Play Therapy

POLS	Political Science
PRTH	Practical Theology
PSYC	Psychology
RA	Resident Assistants
RE	Resident Educator
RHC	Residence Hall Council
RLT	Residential Life Team
RN	Registered Nurse
RN to BSN	Degree completion program for registered nurses
ROTC	Reserve Officer's Training Corps
SAT	Scholastic Aptitude Test
SIFE	Students In Free Enterprise
SLAFT	Student Learning Assessment Facilitation Team
SLC	Student Life Council
SOAR	Student (or Summer) Orientation And Registration
SOCI	Sociology
SOCS	Social Science
SPAN	Spanish
SPC	Ad hoc Strategic Positioning Committee
SSI	Student Satisfaction Inventory
Team MNU	Former strategic planning body that now serves as means to communicate and disseminate information across campus.
TERC	Teacher Education Resource Center
THEA	Theatre
THEO	Theology

TOEFL	Test of English as a Foreign Language
TWIRP	The Woman Is Required to Pay
V.P.	Vice President
VPAA	Vice President for Academic Affairs and Academic Dean