



**Application Guidelines for** **Biology (MS and PhD)**

**Application Deadlines** **Fall Admissions: January 3<sup>rd</sup>**

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APPLICATION CATEGORY	SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS
<b>Program of Interest</b>	Select: College of Arts & Sciences>Biology>Biology  Enter at least one prospective advisor (see the Biology Department website for more information) in the “Faculty Member Preference” field.  Select the Fall semester and year from the drop-down menu. Note: we review applications on a special case basis in Spring. Please email <a href="mailto:biograd@unm.edu">biograd@unm.edu</a> for more information or see the Biology website.
<b>Test Scores</b>	The GRE test is required; the Biology subject test is optional.
<b>Letter of Intent</b>	Required. No special instructions.
<b>CV/Resume</b>	Required. No special instructions.
<b>Relevant Coursework</b>	Optional. List relevant coursework including program prerequisites.
<b>Assistantship Interest</b>	Please let us know if you would like to receive assistantship funding as you pursue your degree.
<b>Recommendations</b>	Three (3) letters of recommendation are required. We prefer academic or supervisor letters; personal references are not ideal.