

## TEACHER CERTIFICATION REFERENCE LIST: 50 STATES

State Name	Address	Website	Telephone
Alabama	Department of Education 50 North Ripley Street P.O. Box 302101 Montgomery, Alabama 36104	<a href="https://www.alsde.edu/sec/ec/Pages/outofstatecertificates-all.aspx">https://www.alsde.edu/sec/ec/Pages/outofstatecertificates-all.aspx</a>	(334) 353-8567 Educator Certification
Alaska	Department of Education 801 West 10th Street, Suite 200 PO Box 110500 Juneau, AK 99811-0500	<a href="https://education.alaska.gov/teachercertification/initial#OutOfState">https://education.alaska.gov/teachercertification/initial#OutOfState</a>	(907) 465-2831 Teacher Certification
Arizona	Department of Education 1535 West Jefferson Street Phoenix, Arizona 85007	<a href="https://www.azed.gov/educator-certification/forms-and-information/reciprocity/">https://www.azed.gov/educator-certification/forms-and-information/reciprocity/</a>	602-542-4367 Educator Certification
Arkansas	Office of Communications Four Capitol Mall, Room 403-A Little Rock, AR 72201	<a href="http://www.arkansased.gov/divisions/educator%20effectiveness/educator-licensure/licensure-by-reciprocity">http://www.arkansased.gov/divisions/educator%20effectiveness/educator-licensure/licensure-by-reciprocity</a>	501-682-4475 General Number
California	Department of Education 1430 N Street Sacramento, CA 95814-5901	<a href="https://www.ctc.ca.gov/credentials/req-credentials">https://www.ctc.ca.gov/credentials/req-credentials</a>	(916) 322-4974, <i>Option 1</i> Certification
Colorado	Department of Education 201 East Colfax Ave. Denver, CO 80203	<a href="https://www.cde.state.co.us/cdeprof">https://www.cde.state.co.us/cdeprof</a>	303-866-6628 Licensing Office
Connecticut	Department of Education 450 Columbus Boulevard Hartford, CT, 06103	<a href="http://portal.ct.gov/SDE/Certification/Bureau-of-Certification/Obtaining-Certification">http://portal.ct.gov/SDE/Certification/Bureau-of-Certification/Obtaining-Certification</a>	860-713-6969 Bureau of Certification
Delaware	Department of Education The Townsend Building 401 Federal Street, Suite 2 Dover, DE 19901-3639	<a href="https://www.doe.k12.de.us/Page/3504">https://www.doe.k12.de.us/Page/3504</a>	302-857-3388 Licensure and Certification
District of Columbia	State Superintendent of Education 1050 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20002	<a href="https://osse.dc.gov/service/interstate-licensure-agreement-reciprocity">https://osse.dc.gov/service/interstate-licensure-agreement-reciprocity</a>	(202) 727-6436 Reciprocity
Florida	Office of the Commissioner Turlington Building, Suite 1514 325 West Gaines Street Tallahassee, Florida 32399	<a href="http://www.fldoe.org/teaching/certification/pathways-routes/certified-teacher-or-administrator.stml">http://www.fldoe.org/teaching/certification/pathways-routes/certified-teacher-or-administrator.stml</a>	800-445-6739 Bureau of Educator Certification
Georgia	Department of Education 205 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE Atlanta, GA 30334	<a href="https://www.gapsc.com/MoveToGeorgia/MoveToGeorgia.aspx">https://www.gapsc.com/MoveToGeorgia/MoveToGeorgia.aspx</a>	404-232-2500 Certification Center
Hawaii	Teacher Standards Board 1390 Miller St. Honolulu, HI 96813	<a href="https://hawaiiteacherstandardsboard.org/">https://hawaiiteacherstandardsboard.org/</a>	808-586-2600
Idaho	Department of Education 650 West State Street Boise, ID 83702	<a href="https://www.sde.idaho.gov/cert-psc/cert/apply/out-of-state.html">https://www.sde.idaho.gov/cert-psc/cert/apply/out-of-state.html</a>	(208) 332-6882 Technical Records

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Illinois	Department of Education 100 W. Randolph, Suite 14-300 Chicago, IL 60601 100 N. 1st Street Springfield, IL 62777	<a href="https://www.isbe.net/Pages/Professional-Educator-License.aspx">https://www.isbe.net/Pages/Professional-Educator-License.aspx</a>	217-557-6763 ISBE Educator Effectiveness Division
Indiana	Department of Education South Tower, Suite 600 115 W. Washington Street Indianapolis, IN 46204	<a href="https://www.doe.in.gov/licensing/teacher#OutState">https://www.doe.in.gov/licensing/teacher#OutState</a> <a href="https://www.doe.in.gov/licensing/out-state-preparatory-program">https://www.doe.in.gov/licensing/out-state-preparatory-program</a>	(317) 232-9010 Licensing
Iowa	Iowa Government 400 E. 14th Street Des Moines, IA 50319-0146	<a href="http://www.boee.iowa.gov/how_do_i/become_a_teacher.html">http://www.boee.iowa.gov/how_do_i/become_a_teacher.html</a>	515-725-2146 PK & Elem 515-281-3605 Secondary
Kansas	Landon State Office Building 900 SW Jackson Street Topeka, Kansas 66612-1212	<a href="http://www.ksde.org/Agency/Division-of-Learning-Services/Teacher-Licensure-and-Accreditation/Licensure/License-Application/Form-2-Out-of-State">http://www.ksde.org/Agency/Division-of-Learning-Services/Teacher-Licensure-and-Accreditation/Licensure/License-Application/Form-2-Out-of-State</a>	785-296-8012 Teacher Licensure
Kentucky	Education Professional Standards Bd 300 Sower Blvd., 5th Floor Frankfort, KY 40601	<a href="http://www.epsb.ky.gov/mod/book/view.php?id=95&amp;chapterid=56">http://www.epsb.ky.gov/mod/book/view.php?id=95&amp;chapterid=56</a>	(502) 564-4606
Louisiana	Department of Education P.O. Box 94064 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9064	<a href="https://www.teachlouisiana.net/Teachers.aspx?PageID=12311129">https://www.teachlouisiana.net/Teachers.aspx?PageID=12311129</a>	1-877-453-2721 Educator Licensure
Maine	Department of Education 23 State House Station Augusta, ME 04333-0023	<a href="http://maine.gov/doe/cert/initial/application/index.html#additional">http://maine.gov/doe/cert/initial/application/index.html#additional</a>	(207) 624-6600 General
Maryland	Department of Education 200 West Baltimore Street, Baltimore, MD 21201-2595	<a href="http://www.marylandpublicschools.org/about/Pages/DEE/Certification/apply/Overview.aspx">http://www.marylandpublicschools.org/about/Pages/DEE/Certification/apply/Overview.aspx</a>	410-767-0412 Certification Center
Massachusetts	Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education 75 Pleasant Street, Malden, MA 02148-4906	<a href="http://www.mass.gov/edu/government/departments-and-boards/ese/programs/educator-effectiveness/licensure/academic-prek-12/out-of-state-applicants.html">http://www.mass.gov/edu/government/departments-and-boards/ese/programs/educator-effectiveness/licensure/academic-prek-12/out-of-state-applicants.html</a>	781-338-6600 Educator Licensure
Michigan	Department of Education 608 W. Allegan Street P.O. Box 30008 Lansing, MI 48909	<a href="http://www.michigan.gov/documents/mde/Out_of_State_Applicants_534635_7.pdf">http://www.michigan.gov/documents/mde/Out_of_State_Applicants_534635_7.pdf</a>	517-373-3310 Certification
Minnesota	1500 Highway 36 West Roseville MN 55113	<a href="https://mn.gov/pelsb/aspiring-educators/requirements/">https://mn.gov/pelsb/aspiring-educators/requirements/</a>	651-539-4200 Licensing
Mississippi	P.O. Box 771 Jackson, MS 39205-0771	<a href="http://www.mde.k12.ms.us/OEL/RL">http://www.mde.k12.ms.us/OEL/RL</a>	(601) 359-3483 Educator Licensure
Missouri	P.O. Box 480 Jefferson City, MO 65102-0480	<a href="https://dese.mo.gov/educator-quality/certification/become-certified-teacher#holdoutofstatecertificate">https://dese.mo.gov/educator-quality/certification/become-certified-teacher#holdoutofstatecertificate</a>	573-751-0051 Educator Certification
Montana	Educator Licensure (Certification) 1201 11th Avenue, 1st Floor, Helena, Montana	<a href="http://opi.mt.gov/Educators/Licensure/Become-a-Licensed-Montana-Educator">http://opi.mt.gov/Educators/Licensure/Become-a-Licensed-Montana-Educator</a>	406-444-3150 Educator Licensure

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Nebraska	Department of Education 301 Centennial Mall South P.O. Box 94987 Lincoln, NE 68509-4987	<a href="https://dc2.education.ne.gov/tc_interactive_teaching2/welcome.aspx">https://dc2.education.ne.gov/tc_interactive_teaching2/welcome.aspx</a>	402-471-2295 General
Nevada	Department of Education 755 N. Roop Street, Suite 107 Carson City, NV 89701	<a href="http://www.doe.nv.gov/Educator_Licensure/Reciprocity/">http://www.doe.nv.gov/Educator_Licensure/Reciprocity/</a>	775.687.5980 Educator Licensure
New Hampshire	Department of Education 101 Pleasant Street Concord, NH 03301-3494	<a href="https://www.education.nh.gov/certification/documents/interstate_contract.pdf">https://www.education.nh.gov/certification/documents/interstate_contract.pdf</a>	603-271-2409 Certification
New Jersey	Department of Education PO Box 500 Trenton, NJ 08625-0500	<a href="http://www.state.nj.us/education/educators/licensure/out/">http://www.state.nj.us/education/educators/licensure/out/</a>	(609) 376-3500 General
New Mexico	Department of Education 120 S. Federal Place Santa Fe, NM 87501	<a href="https://webnew.ped.state.nm.us/wp-content/uploads/2018/01/Initial-Application-01-24-2018.pdf">https://webnew.ped.state.nm.us/wp-content/uploads/2018/01/Initial-Application-01-24-2018.pdf</a>	505-827-1436 Licensure Bureau
New York	Department of Education 89 Washington Avenue Albany, New York 12234	<a href="http://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/certificate/teachrecother.html">http://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/certificate/teachrecother.html</a>	(518) 474-3901 Certification
North Carolina	Department of Education 6301 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-6301	<a href="http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/licensure/beginning/">http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/licensure/beginning/</a>	919.807.3310 outside of NC
North Dakota	Department of Education 600 E. Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 201 Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0440	<a href="https://www.nd.gov/espb/licensure/license-information">https://www.nd.gov/espb/licensure/license-information</a>	701-328-2260 General
Ohio	Department of Education 25 South Front Street Columbus, Ohio 43215-4183	<a href="http://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Teaching/Licensure/Out-of-State-Licensure">http://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Teaching/Licensure/Out-of-State-Licensure</a>	614-466-3593 Educator Licensure
Oklahoma	Department of Education Oliver Hodge Building 2500 North Lincoln Boulevard Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105	<a href="http://sde.ok.gov/sde/traditional-path-oklahoma-teacher-certification#otherstate">http://sde.ok.gov/sde/traditional-path-oklahoma-teacher-certification#otherstate</a>	(405) 521-3337 Teacher Certification
Oregon	Department of Education 255 Capitol Street NE Salem, OR 97310-0203	<a href="http://www.oregon.gov/tspc/Pages/Out_of_State.aspx">http://www.oregon.gov/tspc/Pages/Out_of_State.aspx</a>	(503) 378-3586 Licensing
Pennsylvania	Department of Education 333 Market Street Harrisburg, PA 17126	<a href="http://www.education.pa.gov/Documents/Teachers-Administrators/Certifications/Frequently%20Asked%20Questions/Applicants%20Prepared%20Out-of-State.pdf">http://www.education.pa.gov/Documents/Teachers-Administrators/Certifications/Frequently%20Asked%20Questions/Applicants%20Prepared%20Out-of-State.pdf</a>	717-728-3224 Teacher Certification
Rhode Island	Department of Education 255 Westminster Street Providence, RI 02903	<a href="http://www.rhodeisland.gov/Portals/0/Uploads/Documents/Teachers-and-Administrators-Excellent-Educators/Educator-Certification/Cert-main-page/Certification_FAQ.pdf">http://www.rhodeisland.gov/Portals/0/Uploads/Documents/Teachers-and-Administrators-Excellent-Educators/Educator-Certification/Cert-main-page/Certification_FAQ.pdf</a> question 7	401-222-8893 Certification Services
South Carolina	Department of Education 1429 Senate Street Columbia, SC 29201	<a href="https://ed.sc.gov/educators/teaching-in-south-carolina/out-of-state-teachers/">https://ed.sc.gov/educators/teaching-in-south-carolina/out-of-state-teachers/</a>	803-896-0325 Educator Certification

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South Dakota	Department of Education 800 Governors Drive Pierre, SD 57501	<a href="http://doe.sd.gov/certification/#reciprocity">http://doe.sd.gov/certification/#reciprocity</a>	(605) 773-3134 General
Tennessee	Department of Education 710 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243	<a href="https://www.tn.gov/education/licensing/apply-for-a-license/apply-for-a-new-teacher-license.html">https://www.tn.gov/education/licensing/apply-for-a-license/apply-for-a-new-teacher-license.html</a>	(615) 532-4885 Educator Licensure
Texas	Department of Education William B. Travis Building 1701 N. Congress Avenue Austin, Texas, 78701	<a href="https://tea.texas.gov/interiorpage.aspx?id=25769812541">https://tea.texas.gov/interiorpage.aspx?id=25769812541</a>	(512)-936-8400 Certification Customer Service
Utah	Department of Education 250 East 500 South, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84111-3204	<a href="https://www.schools.utah.gov/curr/licensing/earning">https://www.schools.utah.gov/curr/licensing/earning</a>	(801) 538-7500 General
Vermont	Department of Education 219 North Main Street, Suite 402 Barre, VT 05641	<a href="http://education.vermont.gov/educator-quality/become-a-vermont-educator/reciprocity">http://education.vermont.gov/educator-quality/become-a-vermont-educator/reciprocity</a>	(802) 479-1700 Licensing help line
Virginia	Department of Education PO Box 2120 Richmond, VA 23218	<a href="http://www.doe.virginia.gov/teaching/licensure/info_out-of-state_online_programs.pdf">http://www.doe.virginia.gov/teaching/licensure/info_out-of-state_online_programs.pdf</a>	804-371-2471 Licensure
Washington	Department of Education Old Capitol Building, PO Box 47200, 600 Washington St. S.E., Olympia, WA 98504-7200	<a href="http://www.k12.wa.us/Certification/Teacher/TeacherOut-of-State.aspx#content">http://www.k12.wa.us/Certification/Teacher/TeacherOut-of-State.aspx#content</a>	360-725-6400 Certification Office
West Virginia	Department of Education 1900 Kanawha Boulevard, East Charleston, West Virginia 25305	<a href="https://wvde.us/certification-and-professional-preparation/certification/">https://wvde.us/certification-and-professional-preparation/certification/</a>	1-800-982-2378 Certification Office
Wisconsin	Department of Education 125 S. Webster Street Madison, WI 53703	<a href="https://dpi.wi.gov/tepd/licensing/types/license-based-reciprocity">https://dpi.wi.gov/tepd/licensing/types/license-based-reciprocity</a>	(608) 266-3390 General
Wyoming	Department of Education 1920 Thomes Avenue, Suite 400, Cheyenne, WY 82002	<a href="http://ptsb.state.wy.us/Licensure/OutOfStateInternational/tabid/70/Default.aspx">http://ptsb.state.wy.us/Licensure/OutOfStateInternational/tabid/70/Default.aspx</a>	(307) 777-7291 Teaching Standards Board

Additionally, this link from University of Kentucky's College of Education provides information published from all 50 states regarding certification requirements.

<https://education.uky.edu/acadserv/pdac/certification-by-state/>



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