

LICENSURE/CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

Please list all programs within your department that lead to a professional licensure/certification. As professional licensure/certification requirements vary from state to state, please indicate whether your program/s fulfill the educational requirements for licensure for each state. Please indicate those states.

Department of Counseling, Rehabilitation and Psychometric Services

Program: MSED, and ED.S. in School Counseling	License Type/s: Class AA and AAA Teaching License	
Meet	Does Not Meet	Determination Has Not Been Made
<p>Arizona, Florida, Mississippi Montana, Nevada, Oklahoma, Illinois</p> <p><i>Note: These states have full reciprocity by statute for out of state teachers. Anyone holding a valid teaching certificate from another state may receive comparable certification in these states.</i></p> <p>Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Arizona Colorado Connecticut Delaware, Florida, Hawaii, Iowa, Idaho, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee Utah, Vermont, West Virginia, Wyoming, Georgia Hawaii, Kansas, Maine, South Dakota, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, Maryland, Texas, Wyoming</p>	<p>California, Kentucky, Virginia, Washington DC, Wisconsin, Indiana, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Michigan, New York, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Washington</p> <p><i>Note: These states require state specific licensure examinations many of which may not be substituted for with the Praxis ETS scores.</i></p>	

<p><i>Note: These state have signed the National Association of State Directors of Teacher Education and Certification (NASDTEC) Interstate Agreement which indicates that they pledge to “issue some form of authorization allowing an inbound certificate holder to legally teach or provide service in the receiving state, provided the license issued by the sending state is acceptable under the agreement.” NASDTEC does not guarantee full teacher license reciprocity for member states but does help clarify which licenses will transfer and what additional requirements must be met.</i></p>		
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Important Message to Current and Prospective Students: State licensure requirements vary from state to state. This table of which states requirements align with those of your degree program is based on those states which require completion of a Bachelor’s degree from an accredited teacher preparation program as well as successful scores on the Praxis Educational Testing Service Examination Series: Praxis Core, Praxis Subject Area, and Praxis PLT. Note that there may be additional state specific requirements that you must meet if you wish to use your teaching degree outside of Mississippi. Please check the Department of Education website of the state you are interested in moving to for additional details.

Source: Teacher Certification Reciprocity Guide. (2020). Teacher Certification Degrees.
<https://www.teachercertificationdegrees.com/reciprocity/>