# **American Philological Association**

# Report on State Certification Requirements in Latin

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#### **American Philological Association**

State Certification Requirements for Teachers of Latin

# **ALABAMA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

9-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

1. A valid Class B Professional Educator Certificate, Alternative Baccalaureate-Level Certificate, Special Alternative Certificate, or Preliminary Certificate and a passing grade on an Alabama-approved subject-specific test.

OR

2. A master's degree.

OR

- 3. Thirty-two (32) semester hours in Latin, with at least 19 upper division hours.

  OR
- 4. A Class A or Class AA Professional Educator Certificate endorsed in subject taught.

OR

5. A Class A or Class AA certification in an area closely related to Latin and has 10 or more years of full-time teaching experience in the teacher's assignment area.

OR

6. Has 5 years of full-time teaching experience and holds a valid National Board for Professional Teaching Standards Certificate.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.alsde.edu/html/sections/section\_detail.asp?section=66&footer=sections Requirement Specifics:

http://www.alsde.edu/html/sections/documents.asp?section=66&sort=15&footer=sections
Routes to Licensure:

https://.ats1.searchsoft.net/ats/app\_login?COMPANY\_ID=00008500

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# **ALASKA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

Middle and High School

# **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

None

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. An Initial Tier 1 Certificate.
- 2. Completion of a teacher preparation program.
- 3. Approved Alaska Studies coursework.
- 4. Approved Multicultural/Cross-Cultural Communications coursework.
- 5. Recency credit (six semester hours of credit in the previous five years).
- 6. Passing scores in a content area exam.
- 7. Hold current National Board certification issued by NBPTS.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.eed.state.ak.us/TeacherCertification/

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.eed.state.ak.us/TeacherCertification/Certification.html - initial

Routes to Licensure:

http://www.eed.state.ak.us/TeacherCertification/teach02.html

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# **ARIZONA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Secondary Education Certification

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

7-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

24 credits

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

No designated Latin subject test. May take ACTFL in lieu of 24 credits

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Hold the Provisional Secondary Education certificate for 2 years.
- 2. Two years of verified full-time teaching experience during the valid period of the Provisional certificate may be used to convert the Provisional certificate to a Standard certificate.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.ade.state.az.us/certification

Requirement Specifics:

https://www.ade.state.az.us/certification/requirements/TeachingCerts/RequirementsforSecondaryCertificate.pdf

Routes to Licensure:

https://www.ade.state.az.us/certification/generalinfo.pdf

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# **ARKANSAS**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

Middle and High School

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin Major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

No designated Latin subject test. Must take all three Praxis testing exams.

#### Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:

- 1. Two (2) years of teaching experience during the previous five (5) years OR one (1) year of teaching experience for the immediate previous year OR successful completion of six (6) hours of college level coursework within the previous five (5) years.
- 2. Provide verification of sixty (60) clock hours of professional development annually.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://ArkansasEd.org/pd/index.html

Requirement Specifics:

http://ArkansasEd.org/educators/licensure/teacher.html

Routes to Licensure:

https://ArkansasEd.org/educators/licensure/initial.html

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# **CALIFORNIA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Secondary Education Certification

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

Secondary

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum; additional requirements needed

# **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Verified by local university

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Requires CSET in some subjects but not Latin

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

1. Completion of a Commission-approved Professional Teacher Induction Program through an approved school district.

OR

2. Completion of a fifth year of study completed at a California college or university with a Commission-approved teacher preparation program.

OR

NBPTS certification.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.ctc.ca.gov

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.ctc.ca.gov/credentials/leaflets/c1560c.pdf

Routes to Licensure:

http://www.ctc.ca.gov.credentials/leaflets/c1674s.pdf

Contact: credentials@ctc.ca.gov

# **COLORADO**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification; Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

24 credits

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

PLACE assessment

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. A Colorado initial license.
- 2. Completion an approved Colorado State Board of Education approved induction program (Exemption from induction program with a valid NBPTS certificate).
- 3. Supervision by mentor teachers.
- 4. Ongoing professional development and training.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.cde.state.co.us/index\_license.htm

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.cde.state.co.us/cdeprof/Licensure instate fag.asp

Routes to Licensure:

http://www.cde.state.co.us/cdeprof/Licensure FirstTimeApp.asp

**Contact:** Educator.licensing@cde.state.co.us

# CONNECTICUT

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

7-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

39 hours: 6 basic Latin, 24 additional; 9 related field

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Praxis II

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

1. 10 months of successful appropriate teaching experience under the initial educator certificate and completion of the Beginning Educator Support and Training (BEST) program.

OH

- 2. 30 months of successful appropriate teaching experience within ten (10) years and completion of any additional course requirements, as prescribed by the Connecticut certification regulations, for the endorsement requested.
- 3. Continuation requires completion of nine continuing education units (CEUs).

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.ctcert.org

Requirement Specifics:

https://www.ctcert.org/cert1.html

Routes to Licensure:

https://www.sde.ct.gov/sde/lib/sde/PDF/Cert/certform/ed 170a.pdf

Contact: Teacher.cert@ct.gov

# **DELAWARE**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

No Latin test, but Praxis I is required.

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Description of an initial induction period.
- 2. Ninety (90) clock hours approved professional development.
- 3. Mentoring.
- 4. Verification of receipt of National Board certification.
- 5. Other requirements may be recommended by the committee.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.doe.k12.de.us/

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.doe.k12.de.us/csa/profstds/ComCharges/licensure.shtml

Routes to Licensure:

https://deeds.doe.k12.de.us/certificate/deeds ia instruct.aspx

Contact: http://www.doe.k12.de.us

# **DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

7-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum plus additional requirements

# **Subject Matter Requirements:**

30 credits

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Praxis II

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Successful completion of state-approved teacher preparation program with praxis testing OR successful completion of state-approved teacher preparation program.
- 2. A valid level II license from a US state/territory.
- 3. Three (3) years of valid full-time teaching experience within the past 7 years.
- 4. Full completion of all content and teacher education coursework required under the DC Municipal Regulations.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.teachdc.org

Requirement Specifics:

https://www.osse.dc.gov/seo/cwp/view,a,1224,Q,563678,PM,1.asp

Routes to Licensure:

https://www.teachertrack.org/dcsd/login.aspx

**Contact:** Educator.licensurehelp@dc.gov

# **FLORIDA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

21 credits

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

# **Subject Test:**

FTCE/FELE

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Completion of state-approved teacher preparation program and Florida Professional Education Test.
- 2. Valid Standard Certificate issued by another state.
- 3. Valid certificate issued by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.fldoe.org/edcert/faqs.asp?cat=8

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.fldoe.org/edcert/rules/6A-4-0243.asp

Routes to Licensure:

http://www.fldoe.org/edcert/apply.asp

Contact: https://www.fldoe.org/edcert/contact-email.asp

# **GEORGIA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

P-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Level 4, 120-126 semester / 200-210 quarter hours

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Georgia Assessment for the Certification of Educators (GACE)

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

A. Level Five—master's degree.

B: Level Six—an education specialist's degree or enrollment in a Ph.D program.

C. Level Seven—Ph.D. or Ed.D., including a dissertation, significant research, and comprehensive examinations

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.gapsc.com/home.asp

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.gapsc.com/Application/PSCLevels.asp

Routes to Licensure:

http://www.gapsc.com/EducatorPreparation/TeacherTesting.asp

**Contact:** https://www.gapsc.com/PSC/contactinfo.asp

# **HAWAII**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

7-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin Major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Praxis II and SATEP

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Valid National Board Certification by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards.
- 2. Five (5) years within the last eight (8) years of documented satisfactory full-time teaching experience under a Hawaii Standard License or its equivalent in other states.
- 3. A master's or doctoral degree.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://doe.k12.hi.us/personnel

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.htsp.org/docs/Praxis 09 10.pdf

Routes to Licensure:

http://www.htsb.org/html/details/licensing/types.html

**Contact:** https://www.licensingsection@htsb.org

# **IDAHO**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Praxis II, Latin

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. A master's degree.
- 2. Current employment by a postsecondary institution.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.sde.idaho.gov/site/teacher\_certification/

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.sde.idaho.gov/site/teacher\_certification/praxis/htm

Routes to Licensure:

http://www.sde.idaho.gov/site/teacher\_certification/apply\_cert\_cred.htm

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# **ILLINOIS**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Basic Skills Test, Assessment of Professional Teaching (APT)

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Approval of an induction and mentoring program.
- 2. NBPTS certification.
- 3. A 12-hour, education-related professional development certificate.
- 4. 60 Continuing Professional Development Units (CPDUs).

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.isbe.state.il.us/certification/default.htm

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.isbe.state.il.us/certification/html/testing.htm

Routes to Licensure:

https://www.icts.nesinc.com/

Contact: http://www.icts.nesinc.com/ICTS\_EMail.asp

# **INDIANA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

9-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Praxis I and II currently; only Praxis II after June, 2011

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. A master's degree.
- 2. Two (2) years teaching experience in an accredited school.
- 3. Hold Proficient Practitioner/Standard/Provisional license for five years.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.doe.in.gov/educatorlicensing/

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.doe.in.gov/news/2009/07-July/documents/KeyREPAfacts 10112.pdf

Routes to Licensure:

http://www.doe.in.gov/educatorlicensing/SS\_Lic.html

Contact: licensing@doe.in.gov

# **IOWA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

24 credits

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

# **Subject Test:**

No testing required

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Earned six renewal credits within the term of the license.
- 2. A master's degree.
- 3. Five (5) years of documented teaching experience.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.iowa.gov/boee/

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.iowa.gov/boee/require.html

Routes to Licensure:

https://www.iowa.gov/boee/ChooseNew.html

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# **KANSAS**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

No Latin test, but Praxis I is required.

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Meeting of the State approved High, Objective, Uniform State Standard of Evaluation (HOUSSE).
- 2. HOUSSE Kansas Content Area Rubric for middle school teachers. The rubric allows elementary K-9 licensed teachers who teach in middle school the opportunity to demonstrate depth of content without taking the content test.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=111

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=158 - 1Issue

Routes to Licensure:

https://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=153

Contact: Contact@ksde.org

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# **KENTUCKY**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Praxis II

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. A master's degree.
- 2. A thirty-two (32) semester-hour non-degree Education Planned Fifth-Year Program (graduate level); or the Kentucky Continuing Education Option.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.kyepsb.net/certification

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.ets.org/praxis/ky

Routes to Licensure:

https://www.kyepsb.net/certification/certquicklinks.asp

Contact: http://www.kyepsb.net/boardinfo/boardcontact.asp

# **LOUISIANA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Praxis II

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. A master's degree.
- 2. Five (5) years of teaching experience in Latin.
- 3. Completion of the Louisiana Assistance and Assessment Program.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.teachlouisiana.net/

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.doe.state.la.us/lde/tsac/613.html

Routes to Licensure:

http://www.doe.state.la.us/lde/tsac/610.html

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# MAINE

# **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Praxis I

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. National Board Certification in the content area.
- 2. A passing grade in the Praxis II (Latin) exam.
- 3. 100 points in at least 3 columns on Maine's HOUSSE Rubric in that content area, if eligible for its use.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.maine.gov/education/cert/index.html

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.maine.gov/education/forms/fingerprint/letter 1.htm

Routes to Licensure:

http://www.maine.gov/education/forms/cert.htm

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# **MARYLAND**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

7-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Praxis II

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

1. Three (3) years of full-time professional school-related experience; 6 semester-hours of acceptable credit; and a master's degree.

OR

2. A minimum of 36 semester-hours of post-baccalaureate course work, which must include at least 21 semester hours of graduate credit.

OR

3. National Board Certification and a minimum of 12 semester-hours of approved graduate course work earned after the conferral of the bachelor's or higher d egree.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.marylandpublicschools.org/MSDE/divisions/certification/certification\_branch/Requirement Specifics:

http://www.marylandpublicschools.org/MSDE/divisions/certification/certification\_branch/testing\_information/testing\_info\_general

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# **MASSACHUSETTS**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Latin and Classical Humanities

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

P-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Massachusetts Test for Educator License (MTEL)

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Three (3) years of employment under an initial license.
- 2. Completion of a teacher induction program.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.doe.mass.edu/Educators/e license.html?section=k12

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.doe.mass.edu/mtel/

Routes to Licensure:

https://www4.doemass.org/elar/licensurehelp/LicenseRequirementsCriteriaPageControl.ser

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# **MICHIGAN**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

World Languages: Latin and Greek

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

Secondary Level

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

# **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Major (30 credits)

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Basic Skills Test, and Content Area Test

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Completion of 18 semester-hours in a planned course of study after the issuance of the Provisional Certificate or completion of an approved Master's or higher degree at any time
- 2. Three (3) years of successful teaching experience within the validity and grade level of the Provisional Certificate.

Note: Teachers who achieve National Board for Professional Teaching Standards (NBPTS) certification are eligible for the Professional Education Certificate with the same validity year as the NBPTS certificate.

**Links:** http://www.michigan.gov/mde/0,1607,7-140-6530\_5683\_14795---,00.html

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# **MINNESOTA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Classical Languages and Cultures

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Major

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Minnesota Teacher Licensure Examinations (MTLE)

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

A minimum of 100 points through the state approved HOUSSE process (High Objective Uniform State Standard of Evaluation).

#### Links:

Overview:

http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/Teacher Support/Board of Teaching/index.html

#### Requirement Specifics:

http://education/state.mn.us/MDE/Teacher Support/Educator Licensing/Licensing Info/Teacher Testing Requirements/index.html

#### Routes to Licensure:

https://education.state.mn.us/MDE/Teacher Support/Educator Licensing/Licensing Info/First Time Licensure/index.html

Contact: Mde.educator-licensing@state.mn.us

# **MISSISSIPPI**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. minimum

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Major (21 credits with C or higher)

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Praxis II

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- Ten (10) continuing education units (CEUs) in content or job/skill related area.
   OR
- 2. Three (3) semester-hours in content area AND five (5) continuing education units (CEUs) in content area.

OR

3. Six (6) semester hours in content area.

OF

4. Completion of the National Board of Professional Teaching Standards process.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.mde.k12.ms.us/ed\_licensure/index.html

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.mde.k12.ms.us/ed\_licensure/licensure\_guidelines.htm

Routes to Licensure:

https://www.mde.k12.ms.us/ed\_licensure/licensure\_application.htm

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# **MISSOURI**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Professional Certification, Foreign Language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

30 credits

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### Subject Test:

No designated Latin subject test. Must take Praxis II Principles of Learning and Teaching test.

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Four (4) years of approved teaching experience.
- 2. Development and implementation of a professional development plan that is on file with the district.
- 3. Successful completion of a two-year mentor assistance program.
- 4. Participation in a beginning teacher assistance program.
- 5. Thirty (30) hours of documented contact hours of appropriate professional development.
- 6. Successful yearly performance-based evaluations.
- \*Note: Individuals who complete two of the three following items, are not required to report the professional development to the Department:
  - A. Ten years of certified experience
  - B. A master's degree
  - C. National certification from a recognized agency

#### Links:

#### Overview:

http://www.dese.mo.gov/divteachqual/teachcert/

#### Requirement Specifics:

http://www.dese.mo.gov/schoollaw/rulesregs/EducCertManual/Index.htm

# Routes to Licensure:

http://www.dese.mo.gov/divteachqual/teachcert/routestolicensure.html

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# **MONTANA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Standard licensure with an endorsement in a world language

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A. with teacher preparation program

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Coursework in subject matter required, but there is no specific number of credits required. Applicant's level of preparation is approved on a case-by-case basis.

# **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

# **Subject Test:**

Not required

# **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. A master's degree.
- 2. Three (3) years of documented teaching experience.

**Link:** <a href="http://www.opi.mt.gov/Cert/index.html">http://www.opi.mt.gov/Cert/index.html</a>

# **NEBRASKA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Regular certification with an endorsement in Latin Provisional certification (see note)

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

Determined by type of teacher preparation program completed

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

There is no set number of credits, but completion of an approved Latin education program is required for a permanent endorsement in Latin.

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

# **Subject Test:**

No designated Latin subject test, but all applicants for licensure must pass the Praxis I, Pre-Professional Skills Test (PPST).

#### Note:

State law requires all licensed teachers to complete approved programs in Human Relations Training and Special Education Training. Applicants who have not yet completed these requirements or the Praxis I Test are eligible for provisional certification.

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

A Professional Teaching Certificate requires a master's degree in Latin or in Curriculum and Instruction. This license is valid for 10 years.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.education.ne.gov/tcert/index.html

Requirement Specifics:

http://www.education.ne.gov/tcert/pdfs/Manual.pdf

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# **NEVADA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Secondary License with an Endorsement in a Foreign Language, Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

7-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

30 credits

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

No designated Latin subject test. Must take Praxis I Pre-Professional Skills Tests (PPST) and the Principles of Learning and Teaching (PLT) Test.

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. A master's degree in Latin.
- 2. Three (3) years of documented teaching experience.

#### Links:

#### Overview:

http://nvteachers.doe.nv.gov/2nd Academic.htm

Types of Certification:

http://nvteachers.doe.nv.gov/Docs TraditionalLicensing/NevadaLicenseMatrix.pdf

# **NEW HAMPSHIRE**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Certification with an endorsement in Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

# **Subject Matter Requirements:**

No specific number of credits. Must demonstrate skills in reading comprehension, translation, grammar, syntax, and Classical culture. A Master's Degree satisfies these requirements without an individual assessment.

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

No, but must demonstrate teaching ability.

#### **Subject Test:**

No designated Latin subject test. Must take Praxis I Pre-Professional Skills Test (PPST). Holders of Master's Degree exempt from test.

# **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Hold an Experienced Educator Certificate from the State of New Hampshire (3 years of documented teaching experience).
- 2. Master's degree with coursework in subject area as well as curriculum development, supervision, and evaluation.
- 3. Demonstrated quality teaching to be satisfied by meeting the following professional criteria:
  - A. Quantitative evaluations of teaching quality from students, parents, peers, and administrators.
  - B. At least three classroom observations of the candidate by an independent observer from outside the candidate's school district.
  - C. At least four significant and rigorous written tasks and exercises.
- 4. At least seven (7) years of full-time experience as an educator in the Latin within the past ten years.

#### Links:

#### Overview:

http://www.education.nh.gov/certification/index.htm

# Levels of certification:

http://www.nh.gov/nhes/elmi/licertoccs/teacher.htm

Contact: kerry.schmidt@ed.state.nh.us

# **NEW JERSEY**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

- 1. Certificate of Eligibility (CE)
- 2. The Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing (CEAS) Both with an endorsement in a world language, Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

5-8 (Elementary)

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

30 credits

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

No for CE. Yes for CEAS.

#### **Subject Test:**

Yes, the NJDOE sanctioned Latin Test for Teacher Certification

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Successful completion of the Provisional Teacher Program.
- 2. A previously issued NJ instructional certificate, or a valid out-of-state instructional certificate with one year of full-time teaching experience.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.state.nj.us/education/educators/license/teacher/

Specific Requirements:

CEAS:http://www.state.nj.us/education/educators/license/endorsements/1540CEAS.pdf

CE: http://www.state.nj.us/education/educators/license/endorsements/1540CE.pdf

Testing:

http://www.nj.gov/education/aps/cccs/wl/latin\_test.htm

# **NEW MEXICO**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Licensure (Level I) with an endorsement in Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

24 credits

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

No Latin subject test. All applicants must take the New Mexico Teacher Assessments (Basic Skills and Teacher Competency)

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

A. Level II Licensure

- 1. Three (3) years of successful teaching at Level I.
- 2. Successful completion of a formal mentoring program.
- 3. Submission of a Professional Development Dossier compiled according to state guidelines.
- B. Level III Licensure
  - 1. Three (3) years of successful teaching at Level II.
  - 2. Master's degree or advanced certification from the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.ped.state.nm.us/licensure/index.html

Levels of Certification:

http://teachnm.org/programs/professional-development-dossier/pdd-overview.html

Contact: LicensureUnit@state.nm.us

# **NEW YORK**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Initial Certificate in Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

7-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

30 credits

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes, 21 credits.

#### **Subject Test:**

Yes, Content Specialty Test (CST)—Latin and Classical Humanities. Applicants must also take Liberal Arts & Science Test (LAST) and Secondary Assessment of Teaching Skills (ATS-W) exam.

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. A valid Initial Certificate.
- 2. Two (2) years of documented classroom teaching experience.
- 3. Master's degree.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/certificate/home.html

Requirement Specifics:

http://eservices.nysed.gov/teach/certhelp/CertRequirementHelp.do

Testing:

http://www.nystce.nesinc.com/NY14\_teachercertification.asp http://www.nystce.nesinc.com/PDFs/NY\_fld10\_objs.pdf

# **NORTH CAROLINA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

- 1. Standard Professional 1 (SP1) License (for new teachers)
- 2. Standard Professional 2 (SP2) License (for teachers with experience) Both with "Highly Qualified" status in Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

## **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major equivalent

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

# **Subject Test:**

Praxis II: Latin. Praxis I must also be taken.

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

1. Three (3) years of documented teaching experience.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.ncpublicschools.org/licensure/

Certification Steps:

http://www.ncpublicschools.org/licensure/steps/

#### Note:

North Carolina certification requirements are in the process of revision.

# **NORTH DAKOTA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Initial License with an endorsement in Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

## **Subject Matter Requirements:**

32 credits

## **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Praxis II: Latin. Praxis I must also be taken.

#### Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:

1. Eighteen (18) months of successful teaching in the state of North Dakota.

Links: http://www.nd.gov/espb/licensure/

#### Note:

North Dakota requires licensure applicants to provide three letters of recommendation.

# OHIO

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Educator License in a Classical Language, Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

PreK-12 7-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

## **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major equivalent

## **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

# **Subject Test:**

No Latin subject test. However, Praxis I must be taken.

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- A. Professional Educator License
  - 1. Successful completion of the Transition Resident Educator Program, including mentoring and formative assessment.
- B. Senior Professional Educator License
  - 1. Master's Degree.
  - 2. Nine (9) years of licensed teaching experience, 5 of which must be under the Professional Educator License.
  - 3. Successful Completion of the Master Teacher Portfolio.
- C. Lead Professional Educator License
  - 1. Master's Degree.
  - 2. Nine (9) years of licensed teaching experience, 5 of which must be under the Professional Educator or Senior Professional Educator License.
  - 3. Successful Completion of the Master Teacher Portfolio AND attainment of the Teacher Leader Endorsement OR active National Board Certification.

# Links:

#### Overview:

http://www.ode.state.oh.us/GD/Templates/Pages/ODE/ODEPrimary.aspx?Page=2& TopicID=1298&TopicRelationID=1283

#### Licensure Structure:

http://www.ode.state.oh.us/GD/DocumentManagement/DocumentDownload.aspx? DocumentID=98389

Contact: <a href="http://education.ohio.gov/GD/Templates/Pages/ODE/ODEDetail.aspx?page=609">http://education.ohio.gov/GD/Templates/Pages/ODE/ODEDetail.aspx?page=609</a>

# **OKLAHOMA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

License with certification in Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

PreK-12

K-12

7-12

# **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

## **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major equivalent

### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

# **Subject Test:**

Oklahoma Subject Area Test (OSAT)

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. One (1) year of documented teaching experience.
- 2. Successful completion of the Oklahoma Resident Teacher Program (mentoring).

#### Links:

Overview:

http://sde.state.ok.us/Teacher/ProfStand/CertGuide.html

Testing:

http://www.ceoe.nesinc.com/

Contact: Karen Nickell@sde.state.ok.us

# **OREGON**

### **Certification Terminology:**

Basic Teaching License with a:

- 1. Standard Latin Endorsement
- 2. Basic Latin Endorsement

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

5-12 (Standard) PreK-12 (Basic) PreK-6 (Basic)

### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

# **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major equivalent

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

None

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Master's degree.
- 2. Three (3) years of documented teaching experience under a Basic Teaching License.

Links: http://tspc.oregon.gov/licensure/licensure.asp

**Contact:** <a href="http://www.tspc.state.or.us/contact\_question\_request.asp?id=0">http://www.tspc.state.or.us/contact\_question\_request.asp?id=0</a>

# **PENNSYLVANIA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Instructional Certificate, Foreign Language, Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major equivalent

## **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

Praxis II: Latin

#### Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:

- 1. Twenty-four (24) post baccalaureate credits
- 2. Three (3) years of satisfactory teaching under the Level I certificate
- 3. Completion of a PA DOE-approved induction program.
- 4. Satisfactory results on Level II assessment (District evaluation).

#### Links:

Overview:

 $\underline{http://www.education.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/community/certifications/7199}$ 

Testing:

http://www.portal.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt?open=514&objID=506841&mode=2

Contact: ra-teachercert@state.pa.us

# **RHODE ISLAND**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Certificate of Eligibility for Employment (CEE) in the area of foreign language, Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

Secondary

### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

## **Subject Matter Requirements:**

30 credits

## **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

# **Subject Test:**

None

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. A valid Certificate of Eligibility for Employment.
- 2. Regular employment as a teacher in the State of Rhode Island.
- 3. Writing and approval of a five (5) year Individual Professional Development Plan (I-Plan).

Links: http://www.ride.ri.gov/EducatorQuality/Certification/default.aspx

Contact: eqac@ride.ri.gov

# **SOUTH CAROLINA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Certification in the area of a world language, Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

PreK-12

## **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

18 credits

## **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

None

#### Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:

- 1. A passing score on the Praxis Principles of Learning and Teaching (PLT) Test.
- 2. A satisfactory ADEPT formal evaluation. Results must be submitted by the local public school district to the Office of Educator Certification.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.scteachers.org/Cert/index.cfm

Certification details:

http://www.scteachers.org/cert/certpdf/TeacherCertificationManual.pdf

**Contact:** <a href="http://www.scteachers.org/Cert/info.cfm">http://www.scteachers.org/Cert/info.cfm</a>

# **SOUTH DAKOTA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Initial Certification with an Endorsement in a World Language, Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

## **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

# **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major equivalent

## **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

None

#### Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:

Upon completion of a master's degree, an Advanced Degree Endorsement can be added to a 5-year certificate.

Links: <a href="http://doe.sd.gov/oatq/teachercert/">http://doe.sd.gov/oatq/teachercert/</a>

Contact: certification@state.sd.us

# **TENNESSEE**

### **Certification Terminology:**

Initial License with an Endorsement in Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

PreK-12 7-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major equivalent

### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

# **Subject Test:**

Praxis II, Latin

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Evaluation by a school administrator who has completed the Framework for Evaluation and Professional Growth training.
- 2. Current employment teaching Latin for a minimum of 5 months.
- 3. A valid Apprentice Teacher License.
- 4. Three (3) years of verified teaching experience.

Links: http://www.state.tn.us/education/lic/index.shtml

**Contact:** Education.Licensing@tn.gov

# **TEXAS**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Certification in a Language Other Than English, Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

Early Childhood-12

# **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major equivalent

## **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

TEXES LOTE Latin EC-12

# **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

N/A

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.tea.state.tx.us/index2.aspx?id=5830&menu\_id=865&menu\_id2=794

Testing:

http://www.texes.ets.org/

Contact: http://www.tea.state.tx.us/index2.aspx?id=5312&menu\_id=865&menu\_id2=794

# **UTAH**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Initial License with an Endorsement in Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

6-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

# **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major equivalent

## **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

## Subject Test:

Praxis II, Latin

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

A. Level 2

- 1. Hold a Level 1 Utah Educator License.
- 2. Complete a professional portfolio.
- 3. Receive two professional evaluations per year for three years in a Utah school with a satisfactory final evaluation.
- 4. Achieve a score of 160 or better on the Praxis II: Principles of Learning and Teaching, Grades 7-12.
- 5. Work with a trained mentor for three years.
- 6. Receive a district/school recommendation for upgrade to Level 2.
- 7. Achieve No Child Left Behind Highly Qualified status.

B. Level 3

1. Ph.D. or National Board Certification.

**Links:** http://www.schools.utah.gov/cert/License-Requirements.aspx

# **VERMONT**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Initial License with an Endorsement in Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

PreK-12 PreK-6 7-12

### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

## **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major equivalent

#### **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

# **Subject Test:**

Praxis II, Latin

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Three (3) years of teaching experience in Vermont under a Level I License.
- 2. Three (3) relicensing credits, at least one (1) of which shall address the endorsement area (Latin).
- 3. Submission and approval of the Individual Professional Development Plan (IPDP), developed through analysis of professional practice and classroom data.
- 4. Verification from an administrator who has supervised the educator's work that the educator is performing at a professional level.

Links: <a href="http://education.vermont.gov/new/html/maincert.html">http://education.vermont.gov/new/html/maincert.html</a>

Contact: doe-licensinginfo@state.vt.us

# **VIRGINIA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Initial License with an Endorsement in Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

PreK-12

## **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

## **Subject Matter Requirements:**

24 credits

## **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

None

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

A Postgraduate Professional License is available to teachers with a master's degree.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.doe.virginia.gov/teaching/licensure/index.shtml - regs

Certification Details:

http://www.doe.virginia.gov/teaching/licensure/licensure regs.pdf

Contact: licensure@doe.virginia.gov

# WASHINGTON

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Residency Certificate with an Endorsement in a World Language, Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

PreK-12

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

#### **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major equivalent

## **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

WEST-E World Language, Latin

#### Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:

- 1. Completion of a Washington Professional Educator Standards Board approved Professional Certificate program, or a Professional Certificate Assessment portfolio.
- 2. Two (2) consecutive years of successful teaching in a Washington school.

#### Links:

Overview:

http://www.k12.wa.us/certification/TeacherMain.aspx

Testing:

http://www.west.nesinc.com/

Contact: cert@k12.wa.us

# **WEST VIRGINIA**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Initial Professional Teaching Certificate with an Endorsement in Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

5-Adult

# **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

## **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major equivalent

## **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### Subject Test:

Praxis II, Latin

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

Thirteen (13) years of documented teaching experience.

OR

Five (5) years of teaching experience in the endorsed area (Latin) AND a master's degree.

Links: <a href="http://wvde.state.wv.us/teachwv/certification.html">http://wvde.state.wv.us/teachwv/certification.html</a>

**Contact:** http://wvde.state.wv.us/certification/request.php

# **WISCONSIN**

### **Certification Terminology:**

Initial In-State Teaching License with an Endorsement in Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

Determined by teacher education program completed

#### **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

# **Subject Matter Requirements:**

Latin major equivalent

## **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

None

#### **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

- 1. Three (3) years of regular employment as a Latin teacher.
- 2. A Professional Development Plan (PDP) based on the appropriate Wisconsin Educator Standards as verified by your Wisconsin Initial Educator PDP Team.

**Links:** <a href="http://dpi.wi.gov/tepdl/licensing.html">http://dpi.wi.gov/tepdl/licensing.html</a>

Contact: licensing@dpi.wi.gov

# **WYOMING**

#### **Certification Terminology:**

Initial Licensure with an Endorsement in Latin

#### **Grade Level of Certification:**

K-12

## **Degree Requirement:**

B.A.

## **Subject Matter Requirements:**

27 credits

## **Professional Training in Education Required:**

Yes

#### **Subject Test:**

None

# **Additional Requirements for Advanced Certification:**

N/A

**Links:** <a href="http://ptsb.state.wy.us/Licensure/BecomingLicensed/tabid/65/Default.aspx">http://ptsb.state.wy.us/Licensure/BecomingLicensed/tabid/65/Default.aspx</a>

**Contact:** <a href="http://ptsb.state.wy.us/Home/ContactUs/tabid/57/Default.aspx">http://ptsb.state.wy.us/Home/ContactUs/tabid/57/Default.aspx</a>