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Teacher Preparation Programs

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Nebraska Colleges and Universities



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<b>Highest Certification Degree Granted</b>	M	M	M	D	S	M	M	M	B	M	B	S	D	D	S	B
<b>Level of Accreditation:</b>																
NCATE or TEAC	X		X	X	X		X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Higher Learning Commission (formerly NCA)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
State	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<b>Administrative Endorsements</b>																
Curriculum Supervisor (G) (F)      PK-12	X		X		X							X	X	X		
Principal (G) (F)                      PK-12, PK-8, 7-12	X		X	PK-8 7-12	X							PK-8 7-12	PK-8 7-12	X	X	
<b>Special Education Supervisor (G) (F)      B-12</b>	†X											†X		†X		
Superintendent (G) (F)                      PK-12				X	X							X	X	X	X	
<b>Teaching Endorsements</b>																
Adapted Physical Education (SP)      PK-12												X		X		X
Agricultural Education (F)                      6-12													X			
American Sign Language (S) or (SP) K-8, 7-12, K-12			X											K-8 SP 7-12 SP		
Anthropology (S)                                      7-12																
Art (F)    K-12	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Assessment Leadership (G) (SP)                      PK-12													X			
Basic Business (S)                                      6-12	X		X			X	X	X				X		X	X	X
Bilingual Education (SP)                              K-6, 4-9, 7-12														X		
Biology (S)    7-12	X	X	X		X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
BMIT (Business, Marketing & Info Tech) (F)      6-12	X	X	X				X		X	X		X	X		X	
Chemistry (S)    7-12	X	X	X		X		X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	

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<b>Coaching (SP)</b>	<b>7-12</b>	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X
Coop Ed-Diversified Occupations (SP)	9-12	X											X	X		X	
Driver Education (SP)	7-12												X				
Early Childhood Education (SP)	PK-3	X	X	X		X	X	X	X		X			X	X	X	
Early Childhood Inclusive (F) <i>(formerly Early Childhood Education Unified)</i>	B-3	X	X	X							X		X	X	†X	X	
Earth and Space Science (S)	7-12	X												X			
Economics (S)	7-12																
Elementary Education (F)	K-6, K-8	K-8	K-6	K-8	K-8	K-8	K-6	K-8	K-8	K-8	K-8	K-8	K-6	K-6	K-6	K-8	K-8
English Language Arts (F)	7-12	X	X	X	X	X	†X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
English As A Second Language (SP) PK-12, PK-6, 4-9, 7-12			PK-12	PK-12 †PK-6 †4-9 †7-12		PK-12 PK-6 7-12	PK-12	PK-12	PK-12	PK-12 PK-6 7-12			PK-12	PK-6 7-12	PK-6 4-9 7-12	PK-12	
Family & Consumer Sciences (F)	6-12	X												X		X	
General Art (S)	K-6							X		X							
Geography (S)	7-12			X									X			X	
Health Education (S)	7-12	X		X									X		X		
Health & Physical Education (F)	PK-12	X	X	X						X	X		X			X	
Health Occupations (S)	7-12																
High Ability Education (SP)	K-12					X							X				
History (S)	7-12	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Horticulture Education (S)	7-12													X			
Industrial Technology Education (F)	6-12													X		X	
Information Technology (SP)	PK-12		X	X									X	X	†X	X	
Instructional Technology Leadership (SP)	PK-12			†X									X				

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Instrumental Music (S)	K-8, 7-12			X			X	X		X		X				X	
Journalism & Media Education (SP)	7-12			X				X						X		X	
Mathematics (F)	6-12	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Middle Grades Education (F)	4-9	X	X	X		X	X	X			X		X	X	X	X	X
<b>Middle Grades Endorsement/Areas of Specialization:</b>																	
<i>Agricultural Education</i>																	
Art		X	X	X		X		X			X						X
Business Education		X	X	X			*D				X		X			X	X
Family and Consumer Sciences		X														X	
Foreign/World Language (F=French, G=German, S=Spanish)			X S	X S		X F, G, S							X F, G, S			X S	
Health and Physical Education		X	X	X		X		X			X		X			X	X
Industrial Technology																X	
Language Arts		X	X	X		X	X	X			X		X	X	X	X	X
Mathematics		X	X	X		X	X	X			X		X	X	X	X	X
Natural Sciences		X	X	X		X	X	X			X		X	X	X	X	X
Social Science		X	X	X		X	X	X			X		X	X	X	X	X
Music (F)	K-12	X		X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Physical Education (S)	PK-6, 7-12	X		7-12		X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X	X	X
Physics (S)	7-12	X		X		*D		X		X		X	X	X	X		
Political Science (S)	7-12												X			X	
Psychology (S)	7-12			X				X					X			X	X
Reading and Writing (SP)	PK-6, 7-12		7-12												*D	†X	7-12
Reading Specialist (G) (S)	PK-12	X		X		X							X	X	X	X	
Religious Education (S)	K-12		X	X	X		X					X					X
ROTC (S)	9-12																
School Counselor (G)	(F) PK-12 (S) PK-6, 7-12	X			X	PK-12	PK-6 7-12						PK-6 7-12	PK-6 7-12	PK-12	PK-6 7-12	

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School Librarian (F)	PK-12	X											X		X		
School Psychologist (F) (G)	PK-12												X	X	X		
Science (F)	7-12	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X
Secondary English (S)	7-12		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<b>Secondary Transition Specialist (G) (SP)</b> <i>(formerly Special Services School Transition Specialist)</i>	<b>7-12</b>													*D			
Skilled & Technical Science Ed (SP)	9-12													X		X	
Social Science (F)	7-12	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Sociology (S)	7-12												X			X	
Special Education (F) (S)	K-12 K-6, 7-12	K-12	K-6 7-12	X		X		X	X	K-6 †7-12 †K-12	X		†K-12 K-6 7-12	X	K-6 7-12	X	K-6 K-12
<b>Special Education-Behavior Intervention Specialist (G) (SP)</b>	<b>B-12, PK-6, 7-12</b>												†B-12		PK-6 7-12		
<b>Special Education-Deaf or Hard of Hearing (S)</b>	<b>B-12, PK-6, 7-12</b>													B-12	PK-6 7-12		
Special Education-Early Childhood (G) (S)	B-K	†X		†X										X			
<b>Special Education-Early Intervention Specialist (SP)</b>	<b>B-PK</b>													†X			
<b>Special Education-Functional Academic Skills and Independent Living Specialist (G) (SP)</b> <i>(formerly Severe/Multiple Disabilities)</i>	<b>B-12</b>																
<b>Special Education-Inclusion and Collaboration Specialist (G) (SP)</b> <i>(formerly Learning Disabilities)</i>	<b>PK-12</b>												†X				
<b>Special Education-Visual Impairment (S)</b>	<b>B-12</b>													X			
Speech (SP)	7-12			X				X					X	X		X	X
Speech Language Pathologist (G) (S)	B-12												X	X	X		
Theatre (SP)	7-12	X		X		X	†X	X		X			X	X		X	X

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Vocal Music (S)	K-8, 7-12	X		X			X	X	X	X	K-8	X				X	X
Vocational Special Needs (SP)	7-12																
World Language (S) (C=Chinese, F=French, G=German, L= Latin, R=Russian, S=Spanish)	K-8, 7-12, K-12		7-12 S	7-12 C, S	7-12 F, S	†K-12 G, S		7-12 S		X F, G, S			7-12 F, G, S	7-12 F, G, L, R, S	7-12 F, G, S	7-12 S	
<b>Special Services Endorsements</b>																	
<b>Audiologist (G) (SS)</b>	<b>B-12</b>	--- Requires annual DHHS license ---															
<b>School Nurse (SS)</b>	<b>PK-12</b>	--- Requires annual DHHS license ---															
Speech Language Technician (SS)	PK-12	--- No programs allowed ---															
Special Services Coaching (SS)	7-12							X									

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