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Educator Preparation Programs

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Highest Certification Degree Granted	M	M	M	D	S	B	M	B	B	M	B	S	D	D	S	B
Level of Accreditation																
NCATE or TEAC	X		X	X	X		X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
North Central Association	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
Administrative Endorsements																
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	
Superintendent (G) (F) PK-12	*D			X	†X							X	X	X	X	
Teaching Endorsements																
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														K-8 7-12		
Anthropology (S) 7-12																
Art (F) K-12	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	*D	X	X	X
Assessment Leadership (G) (SP) PK-12		X											X			
Basic Business (S) 6-12	X	X	X		*D	X	X	X	X			X		X	X	X
Bilingual Education 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	X
BMIT (Business, Marketing & Info Tech) (F) 6-12	X				*D		†X		†X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Chemistry (S) 7-12	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Coaching (SP) 7-12	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X

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Coop Ed-Diversified Occupations (SP)	9-12	X											X	X	X	X		
Driver Education (SP)	7-12	*D											X					
Early Care and Education-Special Authorization														X				
Early Childhood Education (S)	B-3	X	X	X		X	X	X	X		X			X	X	X		
Early Childhood Education Unified (F)	B-3	X	X								X		X	X		X		
Earth 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 (S)	7-12	X	X	X	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	*D	PK-12	PK-12	PK-12	PK-12	PK-12 PK-6 7-12		PK-12	PK-12	PK-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		X		*D				
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			*D		
History (S)	7-12	X		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		X		
Information Technology (SP)	PK-12		X	X		X						X	X	X	*D	X		
Instructional Technology Leadership (SP)	PK-12												†X					
Instrumental Music (S)	K-8, 7-12			X			X	X		X		X				X		

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Journalism & Mass Communication (S)	7-12				X			X						X	X	X	
Language Arts (F)	7-12	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Mathematics (F)	7-12	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	X
Middle Grades Endorsement/Areas of Specialization																	
<i>Agricultural Education</i>																	
Art		X	X	X		X		X		X	X						X
Business Education		X	X	X			X			X	X		X			X	X
Family and Consumer Sciences		X														X	
Foreign/World Language (F=French, G=German, Sp=Spanish)			X (Sp)	X (Sp)		X (F, G, Sp)				X (F, G, Sp)			X (F, G, Sp)		X (F, G, Sp)	X (Sp)	
Health and Physical Education		X	X	X		X		X		X	X		X			X	X
Industrial Technology		X														X	
Language Arts		X	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	X
Natural Sciences		X	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	X
Music (F)	K-12	X		X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Natural Science (F)	7-12	X	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	*D		X	X		X	X	X
Physical Science (F)	7-12	X		X		X		X		X			*D	X		*D	
Physics (S)	7-12	X		X	X	X		X		X		X	X	X	X		
Political Science (S)	7-12									*D			X			X	
Preschool Disabilities (S)	B-K													X			
Psychology (S)	7-12							X		*D			X			X	X
Reading and Writing (S)	7-12		X											X	X		X
Reading Specialist (G) (S)	PK-12, K-8, 7-12	PK-12		PK-12		PK-12							PK-12	PK-12	PK-12	†PK-12	
Religious Education (S)	K-12		X	X	X		X					X					X

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ROTC (S) 9-12																
School Counselor (G) (F) PK-12 (formerly School Guidance Counselor) (S) PK-6, 7-12	X			X								PK-6 7-12	PK-6 7-12	X	PK-6 7-12	
School Librarian (F) PK-12 (formerly Library Media Specialist)	X											X		X		
School Psychologist (F) (G) PK-12 (formerly a Special Services Endorsement)												X	X	X		
Skilled & Technical Science Ed (SP) (Replaced Trade & Industrial Education) 9-12	*D												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-Behaviorally Disordered (G) (S) PK-12, PK-6, 7-12, PK-9													PK-12 PK-6	PK-9 7-12		
Special Education-Deaf or Hard of Hearing (F) PK-12														*D		
Special Education-Deaf or Hard of Hearing (S) PK-3, K-9,7-12, K-12, PK-12													PK-12	K-9 7-12		
Special Education-Early Childhood (G) (S) B-3													X			
Special Education-Learning Disabilities (G) (S) PK-12, PK-6, PK-9, 7-12														*D		
Special Education-Mild/Moderate Disabilities (F) K-12, K-6, K-9, 7-12	K-12	K-12 K-9 7-12	K-9 7-12	K-6 7-12	K-12 K-6 7-12		K-12 K-6 7-12	K-12 K-6 7-12	K-12 K-6	K-12		K-6 7-12	K-12 K-6 7-12	K-9 7-12	K-12	K-12
Special Education-Severe/Multi Dis (SP) PK-12													X			
Special Education-Visual Impairment (S) PK-12													X			
Speech (S) 7-12			X				X		*D			X			X	
Speech & Theatre (F) 7-12																X
Speech Language Pathologist (G) (S) B-12												X	X	X		
Theatre (S) 7-12	X		X		X		X		X			X	X		X	
Vocal Music (S) K-8, 7-12	K-8		X			X	X	X	X	K-8	X				X	X

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Vocational Special Needs (SP) 7-12																
World Language (S) K-8, 7-12, K-12 (Fr=French, Ger=German, Lat= Latin, Rus=Russian, Sp=Spanish)		7-12 (Sp)	7-12 (Sp)	K-8 7-12 (Fr, Lat, Sp—7-12)	7-12 (Fr, Ger, Sp)		7-12 (Ger, Sp)	*D	X (Fr, Ger, Sp)			7-12 (Fr, Ger, Sp)	7-12 (Fr, Ger, Lat, Rus, Sp)	K-8 7-12 (Fr, Ger, Sp)	7-12 (Sp)	
Special Services Endorsements																
Educational Audiologist (G) (SS) B-12																
School Nurse (SS) PK-12																
School Transition Specialist (G) (SS) 7-12													X			
Speech Language Technician (SS) PK-12																
Coaching (SS) 9-12							X	X				X				

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