

CTC: Commission on Teacher Credentialing. A state agency that establishes, reviews and maintains standards for California teachers and awards credentials on the recommendation of a university. www.ctc.ca.gov



CBEST: California Basic Educational Skills Test. A test of math, reading and writing skills that all credential candidates must pass. Take it as soon as you have completed college requirements in English and math.

CSET: California Subject Examination for Teachers. Assessment on subject matter competency.

RICA: Reading Instruction Competence Assessment. Taken after completion of courses in teaching reading.



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Paths To Teaching



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Cabrillo College - Paths to Teaching

<u>Would like to teach</u>	<u>Undergraduate Preparation</u>	<u>Admission Test to Credential</u>	<u>Post B.A. Requirements</u>
I. Preschool (3 options)			
1) Associate Teacher	12 core semester units in ECE 31/131, ECE 32/142, ECE 53,53L, ECE 51ABC, 50 days of experience in last 2 years	None	B.A. not required
2) Teacher	24 ECE units including the core ECE units above, plus 16 semester units in general education including Eng, 100, Math 154 or Sci, SS, Hum, 175 days of experience in the last 4 years		
3) Master Teacher	Same as above plus: 6 more semester units in one area of specialization, 2 more units in ECE 157C, 50 days of experience in the last 4 years		
II. Elementary School	Recommended to complete a Liberal Studies or Child and Adolescent major. Complete a US Constitution course: PS 1, Hist. 17A or exam, plus have 50 hrs. of classroom experience in a public elementary school. Verify subject matter competence by passing CSET	CBEST CSET RICA	B.A., Multiple Subject Cred. Program, Pass the RICA exam
III. Middle School	Major in CTC Commission-approved subject-matter program that you plan to teach or achieve a passing score on appropriate CSET subject-matter exam. Complete a US Constitution course: PS 1, Hist 17A or exam, plus 50 hrs. of classroom experience in middle school in area of interest	CBEST CSET (if applicable)	B.A., Single Subject Cred. or Multiple Subject Cred. Plus a supplementary authorization in a subject (to teach in that area)
IV. High School	Major in CTC Commission-approved subject-matter program that you plan to teach or achieve a passing score on appropriate CSET subject-matter exam. Complete a US Constitution course: PS 1, Hist 17A or exam, plus 50 hrs. of classroom experience in a public high school in area of interest	CBEST CSET (if applicable)	B.A., Single Subject Cred.
V. Education Specialist (Special Education K-12)	Major in Liberal Studies, Child Adolescent Development Program or area of interest. Complete a US Constitution course: PS 1, Hist 17A or exam, plus 50 hrs. of classroom experience in area of interest in public special education program	CBEST CSET (if applicable) RICA	B.A., Education Specialist Cred. Pass RICA exam. Receive an offer for employment
VI. Designated Subjects Career Technical Education Teaching Credential (ROP)	High School diploma or GED, if working over 15 hrs/wk, US Constitution course or exam		Verified 5 yrs. of work exp. directly related to subject named on cred. Obtain verification from a Local Education Agency (MedtroED Module classes 1-4 & CPR)
VII. Full Time Adult Education Credential	Same as Designated Subjects Career Technical Education Teaching Credential Requirements as above plus:	CBEST	Same as above
1) ESL	Major in English and completion of 20 semester units or 10 upper division semester units in one or combination of TESL, TESOL, foreign language, speech, US Constitution course: PS 1, Hist 17A or exam	CBEST	B.A.
2) GED	Completion of 20 semester units with at least 3 units in four of the following six areas: English, math, science, social science, fine arts, foreign language, US Constitution course: PS 1, Hist 17A or exam	CBEST	B.A.
3) Citizenship	Same as GED above.		
VIII. Community College	Major in subject that you plan to teach		
1) Career Technical Ed.	** Post B.A.: <i>Master's in field of teaching, or BA in field and Master's in related field, or BA in field and professional license or the equivalent; such as Master's and no experience, BA with 2 years of relevant experience, or AS degree with 6 years of relevant professional experience.</i> For minimum qualifications for specific discipline areas see www.cccc.edu		** See Undergraduate Preparation column.
2) Academic Subjects	** Post B.A.: <i>Master's in subject area or higher degree or the equivalent</i>		** See Undergraduate Preparation column.