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Language Credentialing Made Easy

Discovering Pathways to Japanese Language Credentialing

Who We Are

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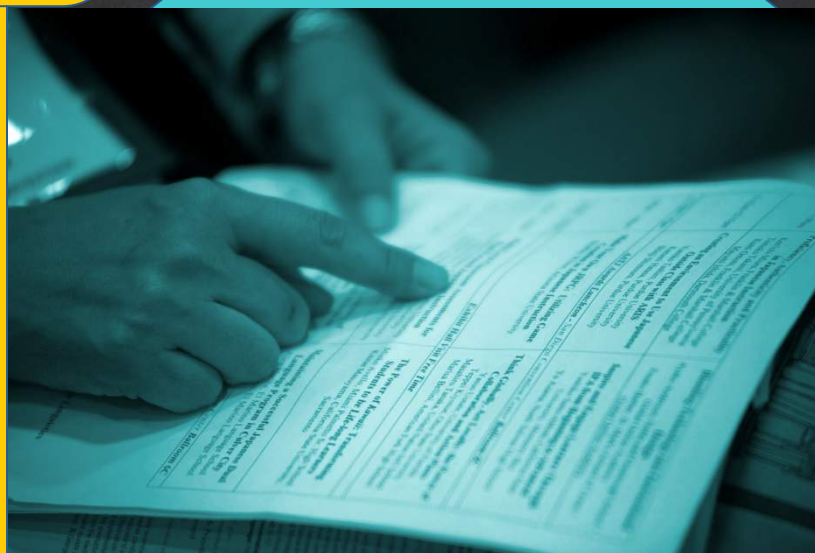
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What is this presentation about?

Make the PROCESS of credentialing EASY for Japanese Language Teachers.

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What is a language credential?

US K-12 license to teach a world language.

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Why do teachers *seek* credentials?

→ District, State, School **Requirement**

→ **Employment** Opportunities

→ Higher **Salary**

→ **Professional** Recognition

How do you get a credential?

→ **Identify** state requirements

→ **Complete** state requirements

→ **Apply** to the state

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Identify State Requirements

1 — Visit State Website

2 — Look up Credential Requirements

3 — Plan Pathway to Credential

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Welcome to the Commission on Teacher Credentialing

The purpose of the Commission is to inspire, educate and protect the students of California. The Commission envisions all of California's diverse learners, preschool through grade 12, will be inspired and prepared to achieve their highest potential by a well-prepared and exceptionally qualified educator workforce.

Search for an Educator

Services for Educators

Online Services for Agencies

Become an Educator

Educator Misconduct

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» Apply for a New Document
» Renew Your Document
» Explore Credential Requirements
» Teaching English Learners

» Complete Your Program's Recommendation
» Clear Your Credential
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Certification

MSDE's Certification Educator Portal allows users to apply for certification, print their certificate, update demographics, and view the status of submitted requests. Educators should create a Portal account prior to submitting documentation and/or fees to MSDE. If you do not have an existing account and have held a certificate in the state of Maryland, you will not be able to create an account on the educator portal.

To create a portal account or to log on to MSDE's Certification Educator Portal, please click here.

The portal application is currently not available due to ongoing maintenance. If you wish to apply for certification, please download the Initial Application Form and return to MSDE via email at certdocuments.msde@maryland.gov, fax to 410-333-8963, or mail to MSDE Certification 200 W. Baltimore St., Baltimore, MD 21201.

If you are not able to create a Portal account and would like to request a copy of your Maryland certificate, please fill out the Official Certificate Request.

If you are employed as a teacher, administrator, or specialist by a MD public school system, nonpublic special education

Certification Information

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Testing Information

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SUPERINTENDENT'S WEEKLY MESSAGES

☑ **NEW Evaluation Systems**

KIDS Kindergarten Individual Development Survey

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CENTER FOR EDUCATOR EFFECTIVENESS

Educator Licensure

Welcome to the ISBE Division of Educator Licensure Website! The following links provide information on the Illinois licensure process for both new and experienced educators, as well as resources for regional offices of education and higher education institutions. If you have questions or concerns regarding the licensure process in Illinois, please contact your Regional Office of Education.

🖥 Announcements

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Effective July 16, 2015
Summary of New Licensure Requirements pursuant to HB 2657 📄

Posted July 1, 2015
Important: Professional Educator Licenses (PEL) may be renewed and registered up to August 31 without any penalty. Unregistered licenses will lapse on September 1 and are invalid for employment and performance of services in an Illinois public or State-operated school or cooperative and a charter school. To reinstate a lapsed license the holder must pay a $500 penalty fee or show completion of 9 semester hours of coursework.

🖥 Program Information *(2/4/16)*

▶ Colleges and Universities (Higher Education) *(2/4/16)*

  ▶ New edTPA Webinars posted - 2 posted in January!
  ▶ Program Proposal Format Docs updated - standards charts now available! *(2/4/16)*
  ▶ Preparation Points Newsletters *(1/16)*
  ▶ Fall 2015 Licensure Officer Training Series - Webinars 1 - 8 *(11/15)*

▶ Prospective Educators *(2/4/16)*

  ▶ Summary of New Licensure Requirements pursuant to HB 2657 - Effective July 16, 2015 📄
  ▶ Educator Licensure FAQs 📄
  ▶ Licensure Requirements - Foreign and Out-of-State *(1/16)* **Updated!!**
  ▶ Licensure Requirements - Resident *(1/16)* **Updated!!**
  ▶ Transcript Evaluation - Application Process
  ▶ License Registration - *You must register your license!*

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Complicated!

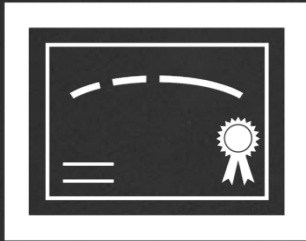# The LangCred Process

1 Academic Background

2 Teacher Preparation

3 Application

Academic Background

Bachelor's Degree

Transcript Evaluation

Teacher Preparation

Language Competency (Japanese)

Basic Skills in English Reading, Writing and Math

English Language Proficiency

Preparation Program

Language Competency

Language Exams
- ACTFL OPI, WPT (Japanese)
- State Specific

Coursework
- Major in Japanese
- Minor in Japanese

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Basic Skills

Exams
- Praxis Core
- Alternate Exam
  - SAT, GRE, ACT, AP
- State Specific

Bachelor's Degree

English Language Proficiency

Exams
- TOEFL
- District Exam
- State Specific

Bachelor's Degree or higher from U.S. college or university

Preparation Programs

Coursework
- Field Observations
- Pedagogy/Methods

Student Teaching/Internship

Pedagogy Exams
- Praxis PLT
- State Specific

Select a state to find a Credential Route OR Teacher Preparation Program

Washington, Montana, North Dakota, Minnesota, Oregon, Idaho, Wyoming, South Dakota, Wisconsin, Michigan, Indiana, Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, Nevada, Utah, Colorado, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois, Ohio, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, New Jersey, California, Arizona, New Mexico, Kansas, Missouri, Kentucky, Virginia, Delaware, Maryland, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Tennessee, North Carolina, Washington D.C., Alabama, Georgia, South Carolina, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Florida, Alaska, Hawaii, Guam, Puerto Rico, US Virgin Islands

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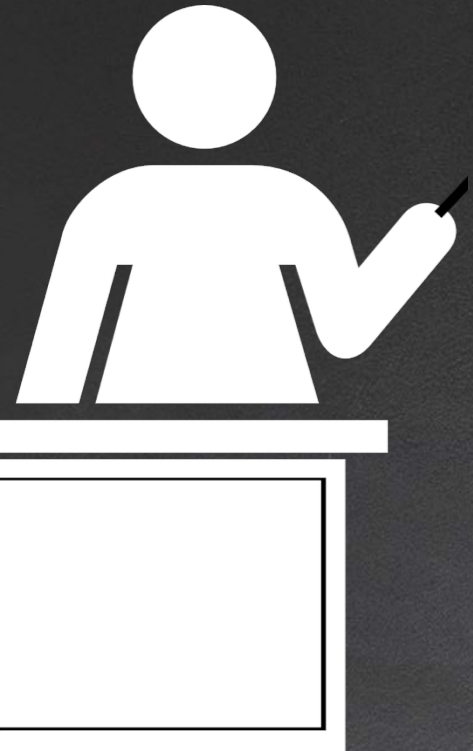
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