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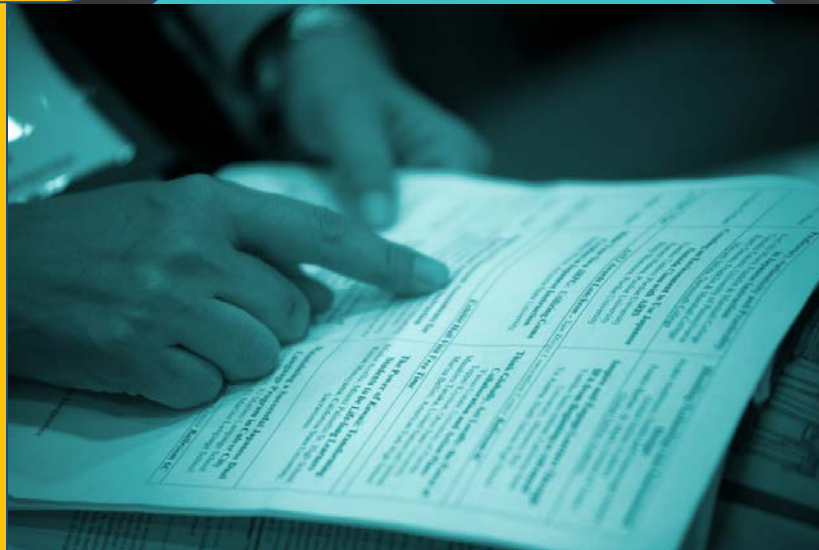
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What is this presentation about?

Identifying Georgia
requirements for
Language Teacher
Credentialing using
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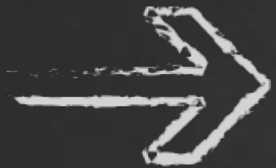


What is a **language** credential?

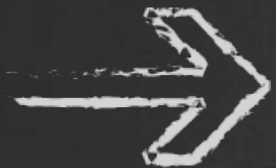
US **K-12** license to
teach a world
language.



Why do teachers *seek* credentials?



District, State, School **Requirement**



Employment Opportunities



Higher **Salary**



Professional Recognition

How do you **get** a credential?



Visit state website



Complete requirements



Apply to the state



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Induction

This tier is intended for teachers with fewer than 3 years of experience within the last 5 years. It is also issued in some service certificate fields. The Induction certificate period, which generally lasts 3 years, is designed to ensure that early career teachers are fully prepared for the profession while providing opportunities for professional growth. Induction teachers must meet additional qualifications in order to qualify for a Professional certificate.

There are multiple pathways to Induction certification, and each has specific qualifications. You must be employed by a Georgia local unit of administration (LUA) at the time that you apply for your first Georgia certificate in order to be eligible for full certification. However, if you meet all requirements for Induction Pathway 1, 2, or 3 except for employment, you will be issued a Certificate of Eligibility which may be converted to an educator certificate upon employment.

Pathway 1

This pathway is for those who have completed an educator preparation program in the state of Georgia. Qualifications include:

- Completion of a GaPSC-approved [educator preparation program](#). Documentation of approved program completion should be submitted electronically to the GaPSC by the educator preparation provider;
- Passing score on the GACE [Program Admission Assessment](#), or exemption. GACE scores are transmitted electronically to the GaPSC, but an exemption must be documented by an official score report for an eligible exam;
- Induction level or higher passing score on the appropriate GACE [content assessment](#). These scores are transmitted electronically to the GaPSC;
- As of January 1, 2015, a passing score on the [Georgia Educator Ethics Assessment - Program Exit](#) (Test Code 360). This score is also transmitted electronically to the GaPSC;
- For those who complete student teaching or clinical practice on or after September 1, 2015, a passing score on an edTPA, the GaPSC-approved [content pedagogy assessment](#). Please submit a copy of your official score report with your application package;
- Completion of a course in [identifying and educating exceptional children](#). This course should be documented on an official transcript submitted with your application package.

Pathway 2

This pathway is for those who have completed an educator preparation program in another U.S. state but completed student teaching in Georgia. Qualifications include:

It's Complicated!



The Credential Process



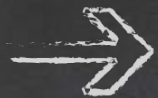
Complex Vocabulary

"I don't understand all the regulations."



State credential **laws** change

"I need to have simple [,] direct steps on how to apply"



Requirements **differ** state to state

"Accurate information needed."

The LangCred Process

1

Academic
Background

2

Teacher
Preparation

3

Application

Academic Background



Bachelor's Degree



Transcript Evaluation

Teacher Preparation



Content Language Competency

**Basic Skills in English Reading, Writing
and Math**

Teacher Preparation Program

Content Language Competency

Language Exams

Praxis II

**ACTFL OPI,
WPT**

**State
Specific**

Coursework

Major or Minor

Basic Skills in English and Math

Basic Skills Exams

Praxis Core

**State
Specific**

Degree

BA/BS

Teacher Preparation Program



Coursework

Field Observation

Pedagogy/Methods

**Student Teaching/
Internship**

Exams

What is LangCred?

- ✓ An Interactive Resource **Website**
- ✓ **For** all U.S. K-12 **world language teachers**
- ✓ Displaying **250+ Routes** and **720+ Programs**
To **Language Teacher Credentialing**
- ✓ In **U.S. and D.C., Puerto Rico, Guam, Virgin Islands**

On LangCred.org

- ✓ Search by **State & Language**
- ✓ Create an **Account**
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Routes

Programs

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Select a state to find a language teaching credential



Language Routes for Georgia



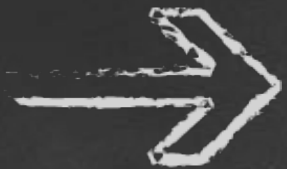
Pre-Service Certificate



Induction Certificate – Pathway 1



Induction Certificate – Pathway 2



Induction Certificate – Pathway 3



Induction Certificate – Pathway 4

Language Routes for Georgia, cont.



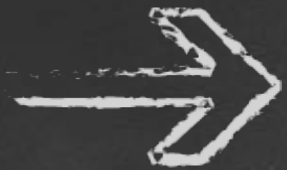
Induction Certificate – Alternative Programs
(GATapp)



Out Of State Educators

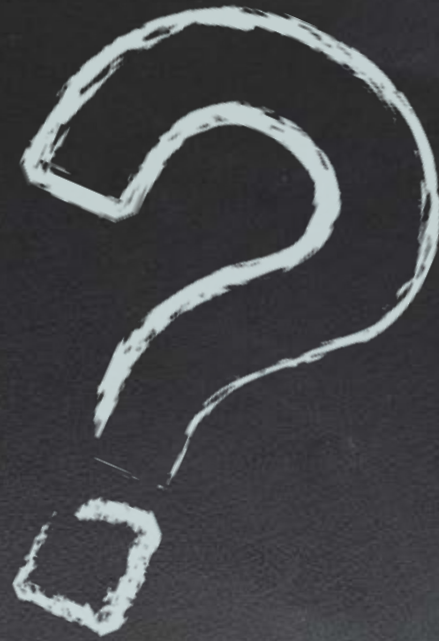


International Educators



International Exchange Certificate

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