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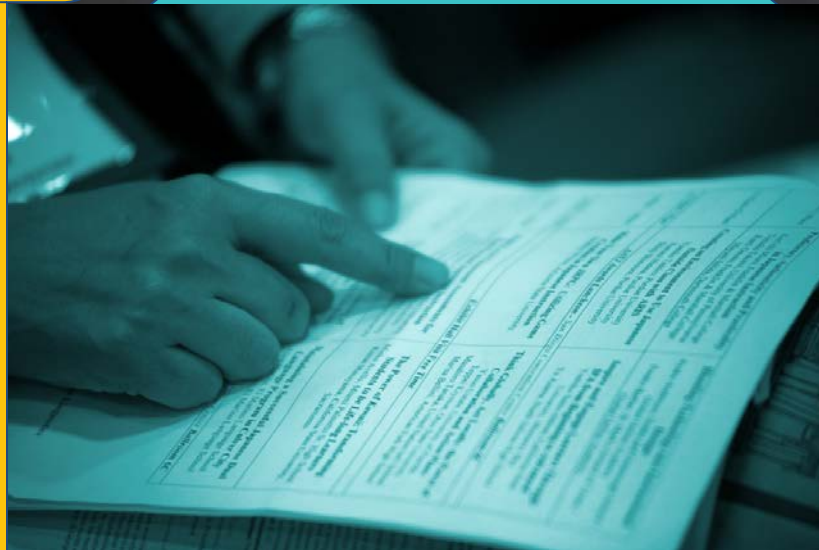
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What is this presentation about?

Identifying
Minnesota
requirements for
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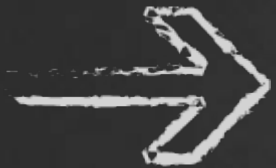


What is a **language** credential?

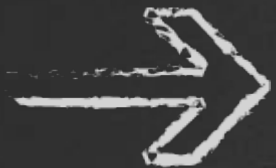
US **K-12** license to
teach a world
language.



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



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Graduation Rates Continue Upward Trend

More Minnesota students are graduating high school than ever before. The class of 2015 posted an 81.9 percent graduation rate. The new info also shows gap closure as graduation rates for students of color continue to rise. "Graduating from high school is an important step in a student's life, opening doors to higher education, a wider array of jobs, and better wages throughout their lifetime," Commissioner Cassellus said. [Read news release.](#) [Download graduation rate data file.](#)



Featured News



PACER's Creative Kids Contest

Children with disabilities and their families are invited to join PACER for a morning of creativity, fun and exploration. This year's artwork will focus on themes of unity, inclusion, kindness and friendship. The artwork of children with disabilities will be entered into the Creative Kids contest. **When:** Sat., Feb. 27 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. **Where:** PACER Center, 8161 Normandale Blvd., Bloomington. Space is limited; advance registration required. Contact danna.mivisse@pacer.org for additional information.

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It's Complicated!



The Credential Process



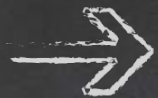
Complex Vocabulary

"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**

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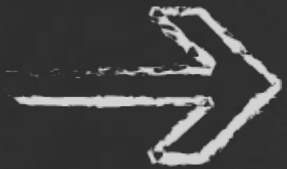
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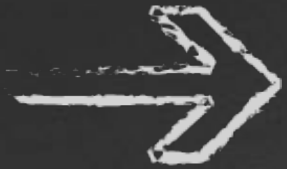
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