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West Virginia



Language Credentialing Made Easy

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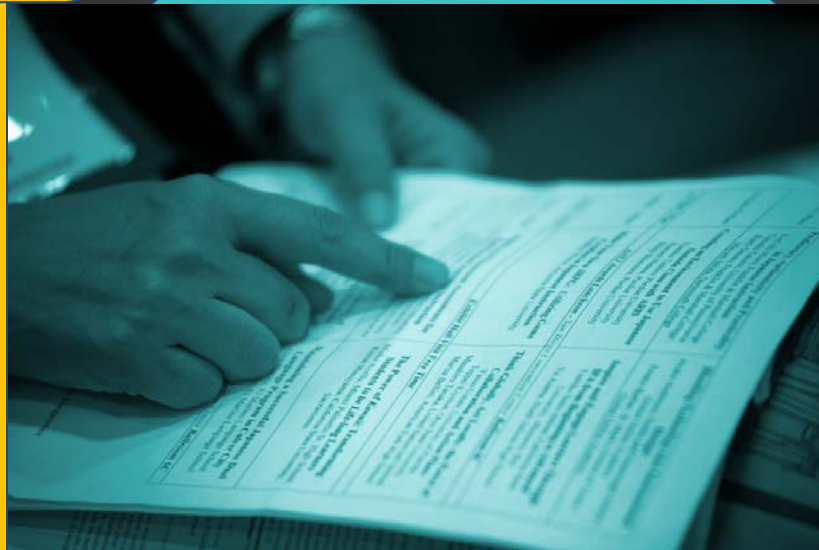
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What is this presentation about?

Identifying
West Virginia
requirements for
Language Teacher
Credentialing using
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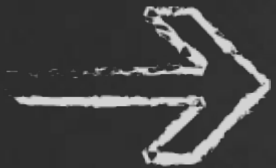


What is a **language** credential?

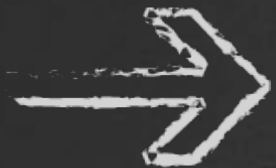
US **K-12** license to
teach a world
language.



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

TeachWV

Your Voice. Inspiring Students

TeachWV

Why Teach?

Educator
Preparation

Certification

Job Opportunities

Professional
Growth

Contact Us

Welcome to the TeachWV website. West Virginia is known for its majestic landscapes, fantastic outdoor activities, low cost of living and compelling business opportunities. This web resource is designed to guide individuals as they begin career paths to become professional educators in West Virginia. Do you have what it takes to lead children as they work to become champions of an exciting and technologically advanced era? Come, join us by using your voice to make a difference in the lives of students throughout the Mountain State. Teach West Virginia!

Why Teach in
WV?

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It's Complicated!



The Credential Process



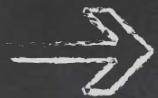
Complex Vocabulary

"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**

On LangCred.org

- ✓ Search by **State & Language**
- ✓ Create an **Account**
- ✓ Build a **Profile**
- ✓ **Match** a Route/Program to your Profile
- ✓ **Save** Routes & Programs
- ✓ **Compare** Routes & Programs
- ✓ Search for **Transcript** Evaluation Agencies

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Routes

Programs

Community

Resources



Select a state to find a language teaching credential



Language Routes for West Virginia



Temporary Teaching Certificate



Alternative Teaching Certificate

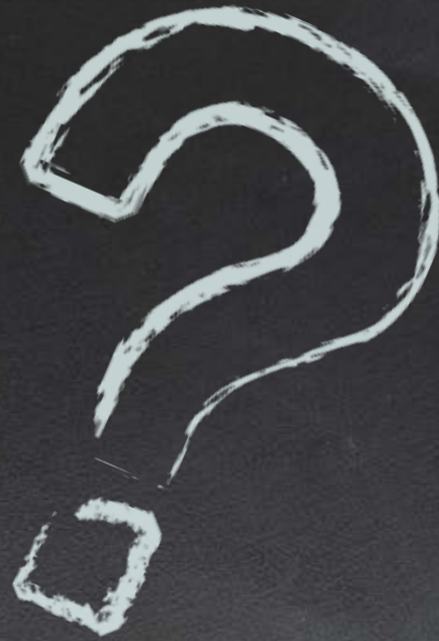


Teacher in Residence



Initial Professional Teaching Certificate

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