

REQUIREMENTS FOR KNOWLEDGE OF CONTENT AREAS

Special Education Teachers

	SPECIAL EDUCATION - ELEMENTARY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS				SPECIAL EDUCATION - SECONDARY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS	
	Requires a test that reports separate scores for each of the four elementary subject areas.	Requires a test that reports separate scores for each of the four elementary subject areas, but it permits candidates to earn a K-12 special education license.	Requires a test that does not report separate subscores for each of the four subject areas.	Does not require a test of all candidates.	Requires a subject-matter test but it does not separately score each subject teachers are licensed to teach, or requires a single subject test, but allows teachers to teach in any core subject area regardless of the test passed.	Does not require a secondary subject matter test.
Alabama	✓					~
Alaska				✓		~
Arizona				✓		~
Arkansas			✓		~	
California			,	✓	,	~
Colorado		✓		·		· ·
Connecticut		•		✓		<u> </u>
Delaware				✓		
D.C.				· ·		
Florida						
				✓		✓
Georgia				✓		~
Hawaii				✓		✓
Idaho		✓				~
Illinois			✓		~	
Indiana				✓		✓
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Kansas				✓		~
Kentucky				✓		✓
Louisiana	✓				~	
Maine				✓		✓
Maryland				✓		✓
Massachusetts			✓		~	
Michigan				~		~
Minnesota				~		~
Mississippi				✓		✓
Missouri				· ·		· ·
Montana				· ·		· ·
Nebraska				· ·		
Nevada				· ·		
New Hampshire				~		
New Jersey				· ·		<u> </u>
New Mexico				✓		✓
New York			✓		~	
North Carolina				✓		~
North Dakota				~		~
Ohio				✓		✓
Oklahoma				✓		~
Oregon				✓		~
Pennsylvania				✓		✓
Rhode Island				✓		✓
South Carolina				✓		✓
South Dakota				~		~
Tennessee				✓		✓
Texas				✓	~	
Utah				· ·		~
Vermont				· ·		· ·
Virginia				· ·		<u> </u>
Washington				*		
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West Virginia				V		<u> </u>
Wisconsin				✓		<u> </u>
Wyoming				✓		~