



Arizona Educator Exams

General Information

The Arizona Educator Proficiency Assessments were adopted by the State Board of Education in 1997 to assess Arizona educator's professional knowledge and subject knowledge proficiency. Before registering for the exam, please review the requirement information for certificate or endorsement you are seeking.

General Education Certificates

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| Early Childhood Education (Birth-Grade 3 or Age 8) | |
| Early Childhood Education Requirements | |
| Professional Knowledge: Early Childhood (AZ093) | Professional Knowledge |
| Early Childhood (AZ036) | Subject Knowledge |
| Elementary Education (Grades 1-8) | |
| Elementary Education Requirements | |
| Professional Knowledge: Elementary (NT051) | Professional Knowledge |
| Elementary Education Subtest I (NT102) and Subtest II (NT103) | Subject Knowledge |
| Secondary Education (Grades 6-12) | |
| Secondary Certificate Requirements | |
| Professional Knowledge: Secondary (NT052) | Professional Knowledge |
| Art (NT503) | Subject Knowledge |
| Biology (NT305) | Subject Knowledge |
| Business (NT309) | Subject Knowledge |
| Chemistry (NT306) | Subject Knowledge |
| Chinese (Mandarin) (NT404) | Subject Knowledge |
| Dance (AZ048) | Subject Knowledge |
| Earth Science (AZ045) | Subject Knowledge |
| Economics (AZ035) | Subject Knowledge |
| English Language Arts (NT301) | Subject Knowledge |
| French (NT402) | Subject Knowledge |
| General Science (NT311) | Subject Knowledge |
| Geography (AZ004) | Subject Knowledge |
| German (NT403) | Subject Knowledge |
| Health (NT505) | Subject Knowledge |
| History (NT302) | Subject Knowledge |
| Mathematics (NT304) | Subject Knowledge |
| Mathematics (Middle Grades and Early Secondary) (NT105) | Subject Knowledge |
| Music (NT504) | Subject Knowledge |
| Physical Education (NT506) | Subject Knowledge |
| Physics (NT308) | Subject Knowledge |
| Political Science/American Government (AZ006) | Subject Knowledge |
| Social Science (NT303) | Subject Knowledge |
| Spanish (NT401) | Subject Knowledge |
| Theater (AZ049) (For Dramatic Arts) | Subject Knowledge |
| Middle Grades Teaching (Grades 5-9) | |
| Middle Grades Teaching Requirements | |
| Professional Knowledge: Elementary (NT051) or Professional Knowledge: Secondary (NT052) | Professional Knowledge |
| Middle Grades English Language Arts (NT201) | Subject knowledge |
| Middle Grades General Science (NT204) | Subject knowledge |
| Middle Grades Mathematics (NT203) | Subject knowledge |
| Middle Grades Social Science (NT202) | Subject knowledge |



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| Arts Education (PreK-Grade 12) Arts Education Requirements | |
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| Professional Knowledge: Elementary (NT051) or Professional Knowledge: Secondary (NT052) | Professional Knowledge |
| Art (NT503) | Subject Knowledge |
| Dance (AZ048) | Subject Knowledge |
| Music (NT504) | Subject Knowledge |
| Theater (AZ049) (For Dramatic Arts) | Subject Knowledge |

Special Education Certificates

| Early Childhood Special Education (birth through age 8 or grade 3) Early Childhood Special Education Requirements | |
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| Professional Knowledge: Early Childhood (AZ093) | Professional Knowledge |
| Special Education: Early Childhood (AZ083) | Subject Knowledge Special Education |
| Mild-Moderate Disabilities (Grades K-12) Mild-Moderate Disabilities Requirements | |
| Professional Knowledge: Elementary (NT051) | Professional Knowledge |
| Special Education(replaced cross-category) (NT601) | Subject Knowledge Special Education |
| Severely and Profoundly Disabled (Grades K-12) Severely and Profoundly Disabled Requirements | |
| Professional Knowledge: Elementary (NT051) | Professional Knowledge |
| Special Education: Severely & Profoundly Disabled (AZ030) | Subject Knowledge Special Education |
| Hearing Impaired Special Education (Birth-Grade 12) Hearing Impaired Requirements | |
| Professional Knowledge: Elementary (NT051) | Professional Knowledge |
| Special Education: Hearing Impaired (AZ026) | Subject Knowledge Special Education |
| Visually Impaired Special Education (Birth-Grade 12) Visually Impaired Special Education Requirements | |
| Professional Knowledge: Elementary (NT051) | Professional Knowledge |
| Special Education: Visually Impaired (AZ032) | Subject Knowledge Special Education |

Administrative Certificates

| Administrative Certificates- Principal, Superintendent, and Supervisor Administrative Certificate Requirements | |
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| Principal Sub Test I (AZ181) and Subtest II (AZ 281) | Administrator Assessment |
| Superintendent Subtest I (AZ 180) and Subtest II (AZ 280) | Administrator Assessment |
| Supervisor (AZ082) | Administrator Assessment |

Additional Exams

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| Constitutions of the United States and Arizona (AZ033) | Subject Knowledge | May be taken to satisfy Arizona and United States Constitution requirement |
| Reading Endorsement K–8 (AZ046) | Subject Knowledge | Reading Endorsement Requirements |
| Reading Endorsement 6–12 (AZ047) | Subject Knowledge | Reading Endorsement Requirements |
| School Library Media Specialist (NT502) | Subject Knowledge | Library Media Specialist Endorsement Requirements |

Resources

AEPA/NES Website: www.aepa.nesinc.com

AEPA/NES Contact: (800)-239-8105

Certification: <http://www.azed.gov/educator-certification/>

Certification Contact: (602) 542-4367