

Professional Licensure or Certification Disclosure

Fully Online Educator Preparation Programs at Valdosta State University

The following fully online educator preparation programs at Valdosta State University satisfy all educational requirements to apply for a new professional licensure and/or certification field in the state of Georgia. These programs have been approved by the Georgia Professional Standards Commission.

Educational requirements vary by state or certification board, and there may be additional requirements that must be met. Students are encouraged to reach out to the relevant licensing entity for further information and guidance.

Education Degree Programs

- B.S.ED. Elementary Education
- M.A.T. Music Education
- M.A.T. Special Education: General Curriculum
- M.A.T. Special Education: Deaf and Hard of Hearing Education
- M.A.T. Education
- M.A.T. Health & Physical Education
- M.A.T. World Languages

Meets Initial/Professional Licensure Requirements

Upon successful completion of an education degree, VSU graduates will have met educational requirements to apply for certification in Georgia and the following states and the District of Columbia in a field comparable to the program's relevant GaPSC certification field code.

- Alaska
- Arizona (BSEd EEd Only)
- Colorado
- Connecticut
- Hawaii
- Illinois
- Indiana
- Iowa (BSEd Only)
- Kansas
- Kentucky
- Louisiana
- Maine

- Maryland
- Massachusetts
- Mississippi
- Missouri
- Nevada
- New Hampshire
- New Mexico (BSEd EEd Only)
- North Carolina
- North Dakota
- Ohio
- Oklahoma
- Oregon
- Pennsylvania
- Rhode Island
- South Carolina
- Utah
- Vermont
- Virginia
- West Virginia
- Washington
- Washington, D.C.
- Wyoming

Meets Temporary/Provisional Licensure Requirements

VSU curriculum or degree completion may satisfy the educational requirements to receive the state's temporary or provisional license in a field comparable to the program's relevant GaPSC certification field code, but not a full professional or initial license in the following states and U.S. territories.

- Florida
- Iowa (MAT programs)
- Montana
- Tennessee
- Wisconsin

Does Not Meet Initial/Professional Licensure Requirements

VSU curriculum or degree completion does not satisfy the educational requirements for licensure in the following states and U.S. territories.

- Alabama
- Arkansas
- California
- Delaware
- Idaho
- South Dakota
- Michigan*
- Minnesota
- Nebraska
- New Jersey
- Texas
- American Samoa
- Guam
- Northern Mariana Islands
- Puerto Rico
- U.S. Virgin Islands