

Region 13 ECP

All Content Extended Program

The Region 13 All Content Extended Program (ACE) is a flexible preparation program designed for candidates pursuing certification in any content area or grade level. This program is ideal for applicants seeking to balance certification requirements—including testing, coursework, and field experience—with their busy schedules. ACE provides training and content preparation to ensure candidates are ready to obtain their intern certificate by August 2026.

All Content Extended Phase One



- **Summer - Fall 2025** - Orientation Upon Offer of Admission - **Self Paced 100% Online**
 - *You will not be accepted into the program until Orientation has been completed*
 - *You will not be eligible for a Deficiency Plan until after you have been accepted*
- **Course 1** - First Days of School and Fall Testing Plan - **Self Paced 100% Online**
- **Course 2** - Classroom Management 101 and Fall Testing Check In - **Zoom (Sept 27th, 2025 – 9 am – 1 pm)**
- **Course 3** - Lesson Design 101 and Fall Testing Check In - **Zoom (October 18th, 2025 – 9 am – 1 pm)**
- **Course 4** - Assessment 101 and Fall Testing Check In - **Zoom (November 15th, 2025 – 9 am - 1pm)**
- **Course 5** - Professionalism 101 and Fall Testing Check In - **Zoom (December 6th, 2025 - 9 am - 1pm)**

Content Testing Deadline #1 - December 12th: *In order for test approval to be issued you must complete content test preparation and pass a practice test. Test preparation is 100% online and self paced.*

- **Course 6** - Student Growth & Development Online Course and Winter Testing Check In - **Zoom (January 24th 2026, 9 am - 1 pm CST)**
- **Course 7** - Special Education 101 and Winter Testing Check In - **Zoom (February 21st, 9 am - 1 pm CST)**

Content Testing Deadline #2- February 28th: *In order for test approval to be issued you must complete content test preparation and pass a practice test. Test preparation is 100% online and self paced.*

Field Based Experience Hours - You will be required to observe and interact with certified teachers teaching and write reflections through the fall and spring semesters, 50 total hours due by May 2026. **Self Paced 100% Online**

All Content Extended Phase Two

- Phase two begins your phase in to your Content Specific Cohort. Options include Elementary, Secondary, Career and Technical Education Cohorts – all cohorts have hybrid and virtual options – costs will vary by cohort, mode and location. Specific course dates will be shared during the December Check In.
- **Elementary Candidates:**
 - **Phase In:** January 8th
 - **Coursework:** Science of Teaching Reading Preparation (3rd Content Exam)
 - **Mode:** Hybrid or Virtual
- **Secondary Candidates:**
 - **Phase In:** January 8th through March 3rd
 - **Coursework:** Content Preparation, Pedagogy Coursework and Field Based Experience Hours
 - **Mode:** Hybrid or Virtual
- **Career and Technical Education Candidates:**
 - **Phase In:** January 8th through March 3rd
 - **Coursework:** Content Preparation, Pedagogy Coursework and Field Based Experience Hours
 - **Mode:** Self Paced Online Coursework
- Statement of Eligibility Forms are available at the end of Phase Two when all Content Tests have been passed and Field Based Experience hours have been completed



All Content Extended Phase Three

- **Elementary Candidates:**
 - **Coursework:** Pre Service Pedagogy Coursework
 - **Mode:** Hybrid or Virtual
- **Secondary Candidates:**
 - **Coursework:** Pre Service Pedagogy Coursework
 - **Mode:** Hybrid or Virtual
- **Career and Technical Education:**
 - **Coursework:** Pre Service Pedagogy Coursework
 - **Mode:** Self Paced Online Coursework



All Content Extended Phase Four

- Candidates moving into Phase Four will begin teaching on their Intern Certificate, receiving field support, campus mentor support and just in time in service coursework. *All interns test for their PPR in March or April.*
- **Elementary Candidates:**
 - **Coursework:** In Service Pedagogy Coursework
 - **Mode:** Hybrid
- **Secondary Candidates:**
 - **Coursework:** In Service Pedagogy Coursework
 - **Mode:** Hybrid
- **Career and Technical Education:**
 - **Coursework:** In Service Pedagogy Coursework
 - **Mode:** Hybrid

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