

Structured in Person Cohort - 2027-2028

Applications open July 13th, 2026

Admission Wave 1

Deadline: September 10th
Interviews: September 16th
Notification Letter: September 18th

Admission Wave 2

Deadline: October 15th
Interviews: October 22nd
Notification Letter: October 27th

Admission Wave 3

Deadline: November 10th
Interviews: November 17th
Notification Letter: November 19th

Admission Wave 4

Deadline: December 9th
Interviews: December 15th
Notification Letter: December 17th

Program Timeline and Fee Schedule

Part 1	Orientation: online, self-paced course to be completed upon admission and payment of registration fee	Registration Fee: \$150 <i>Due upon offer of admission</i>
Part 2	Pre-Service Coursework: a combination of in-person evening and Saturday classes and online classes, beginning January 2027 Content Test Prep: online, self-paced content prep course(s) dependent on certification area Content Testing: approval to register for Content Exam upon completion of Content Prep course and practice test	Pre-Service Fee: Payment 1: \$375 due February 2027 Payment 2: \$375 due March 2027 Payment 3: \$375 due April 2027 Payment 4: \$375 due May 2027
Part 2 - Field Experience Candidates will select one of the two types of Field Experience	Facilitated Field Based Experience: Candidates dedicate two weeks to immersive classroom engagement. Region 13 ECP places candidates in the classroom of a certified teacher aligned with their certification area and provides structured activities for observing instruction, engaging with students, and teaching mini lessons. This allows candidates to understand the roles and responsibilities of educators and apply concepts learned in their coursework. Independent Field Based Experience: This flexible option enables candidates to complete field-based requirements at their own pace and on a schedule that suits them, at a campus of their choice. Candidates are responsible for coordinating with districts to arrange these experiences themselves. This is a combination of classroom observation, video observation, and classroom experience, <i>if applicable</i> , due prior to start of Internship.	
Part 3	In-Service Training: combination of live in person and zoom classes September 2027 through April 2028 Internship: begins on first instructional day of teaching assignment, if all requirements have been met for Intern Certificate Requirements include applicable Content Testing based on certification area, Field Based Experience, and Pre-Service training coursework Recommendation for Standard Certificate: upon completion of all testing, coursework, and Internship requirements; no sooner than June 2028	In-Service Fee: \$4628* Paid in 9 payments Oct 2027 – June 2028 <i>*Critical Needs Scholarship of \$2000 will be automatically applied, when applicable</i> <i>*Out of Region fee of \$540 will be charged for candidates hired outside the Region 13 service area.</i>

Preservice Schedule

Pink	Class at Region 13*
Purple	Zoom Class*
Green	Online Asynchronous Class
Yellow	Field Experience
Blue	Self-Paced Test Prep
Orange	Summer Break

*6 PM–9 PM on weeknights;
9 AM–4 PM on Saturdays

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September 2027	through	May 2028	2-3 Classes per month
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Inservice Schedule

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2-3 classes per month



Educator Certification Program

March Start with Independent Field Experience

2027-2028

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