

Alternative Pathways to Wisconsin Teacher Certification

Initial Certification (15-18 month program)

This program is for college-degreed individuals who want to become licensed teachers.

This program is designed for...

- paraprofessionals with college degrees
- career changers
- individuals teaching without a teaching license

Add-On/Extend (1 semester program)

This program is for teachers who are certified in regular or special education and want to add on to or extend their current certification.

This program is designed for...

- teachers who wish to increase employability with an additional certification
- teachers working in a position in which they are not certified
- teachers who want to extend their present certification to other grade levels

Bilingual Endorsement (2 semester program)

This program is for teachers who are certified in regular or special education and want to add a bilingual license. *

This program is designed for...

- teachers in a bilingual program/classroom
- teachers who have proven second language proficiency to their district or school
- teachers who wish to increase employability

*Individuals in the initial certification program may concurrently participate in this program.

Regular or Special Education Certification for Montessori Teachers (15-18 month program)

This program is for teachers with Montessori credentials who want to become certified in regular or special education in Wisconsin

This program is designed for...

- Montessori-credentialed teachers who wish to teach in a Wisconsin public or charter Montessori school

Interns in this program will participate in the Initial Certification Pathway.

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