



Secondary CTE Transportation Operations – Alternate Pathway

Applicant

Legal name:

Date:

Requirements

Applicants must meet both content knowledge and occupational experience requirements.

Content Knowledge (Applicants must have A and B):

- A. Valid FAA Ground Instructor or Part 107 Remote Pilot Certification
- B. Verification of Aviation Envoy Mentorship Program participation
- C. Certificate of completion of:
 - 1. Wings Over the Rockies Teacher Flight Program **OR**
 - 2. The following professional development coursework:
 - FAA Fundamentals of Instruction
 - Aeronautical Knowledge
 - Drone Programs and Industry Operations

Occupational Experience (Applicants must have 1, 2 and 3):

- 1. Six-week (240 hours) on-the-job transportation externship with an aviation partner company.
- 2. One year or two semesters' verified experience full-time teaching aviation-related coursework in the content area (full-time is defined as 51% or more of a teaching schedule dedicated to teaching in the content area).

Note: Initial (three-year) CTE authorizations cannot be renewed and always include mandatory CTE coursework assigned at the time of issuance. You will be notified by CDE via email of all required coursework that is needed to advance to a professional (five-year) CTE authorization. Please do not enroll in coursework until you receive the notification from CDE.