Secondary CTE Family and Consumer Sciences Core

Applicant

Legal name: Date:

Requirements

Applicants must meet both content knowledge and occupational experience requirements.

Content Knowledge:

1. Applicant must hold a valid Colorado secondary (7-12) teaching license or secondary alternative teaching license in Family and Consumer Science. (Note to alternative candidates: If you qualified for this CTE by obtaining an alternative license and do not successfully complete the alternative program and obtain an initial teacher license, this CTE authorization will be expired as of the program termination date.)

Occupational Experience (must have either 1 or 2):

1. Completion of an approved teacher preparation program in Family and Consumer Science. OR
2. One (1) year full-time verified teaching experience 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.