

Secondary CTE Education and Training -Teacher Cadet

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| Legal name: | Date: | |
| | Requirements | |
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U.S. service member applicants may meet content knowledge and experience requirements as follows:

- Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, Marine Corps, Navy or Space Force members: three or more years' active duty
- Guard/Reserve members: 10 years' experience, or 5 years' experience with 12 months active-duty deployment
- Military Occupational Specialty (MOS), the time of service and an honorable discharge must be verified on a DD-214 member copy 4 (submitted in application)

All other applicants must meet both content knowledge and occupational experience as follows:

Content Knowledge: Hold a valid Colorado secondary (7-12) teaching license or alternative teaching license in any secondary endorsement area. (Note to alternative candidates: If you qualified for this CTE by obtaining an alternative license and do not complete the alternative preparation program and obtain an initial teacher license, this CTE authorization will be expired as of the program termination date.) Met **AND**

- Have 24 semester hours of related postsecondary coursework from a regionally accredited institution verified on an official transcript to include a minimum of three (3) semester hours of coursework in *each* of the areas listed in the table below; OR
- Have obtained certification through the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards.

Occupational Experience:

 Three (3) years' verified teaching experience (full-time is defined as 51% or more of a teaching schedule dedicated to teaching in a given content area). Credit for student teaching (up to 800 hours) in the content area may be applied to teaching experience.

** FYI only: If you wish to instruct a Teacher Cadet program, in addition to holding this authorization, you also must hold a master's degree in a related field <u>and</u> have completed Teacher Cadet training. Please contact your CTE Director for more information.

| Content coursework (min. 3 semester hours in each area) | Coursework | Semester Hours |
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| History and philosophy of education | | |
| Instruction methods and design | | |
| Education technology | | |
| Standards and assessments | | |
| Classroom management | | |

Total semester hours (24 semester hours required):

Up to a maximum of six (6) semester hours of professional development may serve in lieu of coursework in the "content coursework" section above and must be documented within the application. (15 contact hours = 1 semester hour)