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**Table – Professional Licensure by State**

| **State** | **Professional Agency** | **Determination** |
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| Alabama | [Alabama State Department of Education](https://www.alabamaachieves.org/) | Does Not Meet |
| Alaska | [Alaska Department of Education & Early Development](https://education.alaska.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Arizona | [Arizona Department of Education](https://www.azed.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Arkansas | [Arkansas Department of Education](https://ade.arkansas.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| California | [California Commission on Teacher Credentialing](https://www.ctc.ca.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Colorado | [Colorado Department of Education](https://www.cde.state.co.us/) | Does Not Meet |
| Connecticut | [Connecticut State Department of Education](https://portal.ct.gov/sde) | Does Not Meet |
| Delaware | [Delaware Department of Education](https://education.delaware.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| District of Columbia | [District of Columbia Office of the State Superintendent of Education](https://osse.dc.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Florida | [Florida Department of Education](https://www.fldoe.org/) | Does Not Meet |
| Georgia | [Georgia Professional Standards Commission](https://www.gapsc.com/) | Does Not Meet |
| Hawaii | [Hawaii Teachers Standards Board](https://www.hawaiiteacherstandardsboard.org/) | Does Not Meet |
| Idaho | [Idaho State Department of Education](https://www.sde.idaho.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Illinois | [Illinois State Board of Education](https://www.isbe.net/) | Does Not Meet |
| Indiana | [Indiana Department of Education](https://www.in.gov/doe/) | Does Not Meet |
| Iowa | [Iowa Board of Education Examiners](https://educate.iowa.gov/board-educational-examiners) | Does Not Meet |
| Kansas | [Kansas State Department of Education](https://www.ksde.org/) | Does Not Meet |
| Kentucky | [Kentucky Education Professional Standards Board](https://liveutk-my.sharepoint.com/personal/bnorri13_utk_edu/Documents/Kentucky%20Education%20Professional%20Standards%20Board) | Does Not Meet |
| Louisiana | [Louisiana Department of Education](https://doe.louisiana.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Maine | [Maine Department of Education](https://www.maine.gov/doe/home) | Does Not Meet |
| Maryland | [Maryland State Department of Education](https://www.marylandpublicschools.org/Home/Pages/Default.aspx) | Does Not Meet |
| Massachusetts | [Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education Office of Educator Licensure](https://www.doe.mass.edu/licensure/) | Does Not Meet |
| Michigan | [Michigan Department of Education](https://www.michigan.gov/mde) | Does Not Meet |
| Minnesota | [Minnesota Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board](https://mn.gov/pelsb/) | Does Not Meet |
| Mississippi | [Mississippi Department of Education](https://www.mdek12.org/) | Does Not Meet |
| Missouri | [Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education](https://dese.mo.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Montana | [Montana Office of Public Instruction](https://opi.mt.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Nebraska | [Nebraska Department of Education](https://www.education.ne.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Nevada | [State of Nevada Department of Education](https://doe.nv.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| New Hampshire | [New Hampshire Department of Education](https://liveutk-my.sharepoint.com/personal/bnorri13_utk_edu/Documents/New%20Hampshire%20Department%20of%20Education) | Does Not Meet |
| New Jersey | [State of New Jersey Department of Education](https://www.nj.gov/education/) | Does Not Meet |
| New Mexico | [New Mexico Public Education Department](https://webnew.ped.state.nm.us/) | Does Not Meet |
| New York | [New York Office of Teaching Initiatives](https://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/) | Does Not Meet |
| North Carolina | [North Carolina Department of Public Instruction](https://www.dpi.nc.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| North Dakota | [North Dakota Education Standards and Practices Board](https://www.nd.gov/espb/licensure) | Does Not Meet |
| Ohio | [Ohio Department of Education](https://education.ohio.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Oklahoma | [Oklahoma State Department of Education](https://sde.ok.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Oregon | [Oregon Teacher Standards and Practices Commission](https://www.oregon.gov/tspc/Pages/index.aspx) | Does Not Meet |
| Pennsylvania | [Pennsylvania Department of Education](https://www.education.pa.gov/Pages/default.aspx) | Does Not Meet |
| Puerto Rico | [Puerto Rico Department of Education](https://de.pr.gov/sobre-nosotros/) | Does Not Meet |
| Rhode Island | [Rhode Island Department of Education](https://ride.ri.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| South Carolina | [South Carolina Department of Education](https://www.ed.sc.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| South Dakota | [South Dakota Department of Education](https://doe.sd.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Tennessee | [Tennessee Department of Education](https://www.tn.gov/education.html) | Meets |
| Texas | [Texas Education Agency](https://tea.texas.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| U.S. Virgin Islands | [U.S. Virgin Islands Department of Education](https://vide.vi/) | Does Not Meet |
| Utah | [Utah State Board of Education](https://schools.utah.gov/board) | Does Not Meet |
| Vermont | [State of Vermont Agency of Education](https://education.vermont.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Virginia | [Virginia Department of Education](https://www.doe.virginia.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Washington | [Washington Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction](https://ospi.k12.wa.us/) | Does Not Meet |
| West Virginia | [West Virginia Department of Education](https://wvde.us/) | Does Not Meet |
| Wisconsin | [Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction](https://dpi.wi.gov/) | Does Not Meet |
| Wyoming | [Wyoming Professional Teaching Standards Board](https://wyomingptsb.com/) | Does Not Meet |