



**ALTERNATIVE ADMINISTRATOR CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR INDIVIDUALS SEEKING
ADMINISTRATOR CERTIFICATION THROUGH AN OKLAHOMA HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTION**

70 O.S. § 6-189 (HOUSE BILL 1477)

Effective July 1, 2007

FOR PRINCIPAL AND/OR SUPERINTENDENT

Hold a standard master's degree

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Have two years of relevant work experience in a supervisory or administrative capacity

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Have passing scores on the required administrator subject area test(s)

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Have on file with the director of teacher education at an Oklahoma accredited institution of higher education a declaration of intent to earn standard certification through completion of an approved alternative administrative preparation program within three years.

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State Department of Education issues an initial alternative administrative credential valid for three years (nonrenewable)

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Completion of an alternative administrative preparation program

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**State Department of Education Issues Standard Certificate for
Principal or Superintendent as Applicable**