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**STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
OKLAHOMA STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Members of the State Board of Education

FROM: Joy Hofmeister

DATE: October 25, 2018

SUBJECT: Exceptions to the State Board of Education Regulations Concerning Teacher Certification as Presented by the Teacher Certification Section

The Teacher Certification Section presents these exceptions to the State Board of Education. These requests are based on district need.

State Board of Education authority to grant exceptions to the requirements for licensure/certification is provided by 70 O.S. § 6-187.

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Attachments

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

Thursday, October 25, 2018

70 O.S. § 6-187

Nothing in the Oklahoma Teacher Preparation Act shall restrict the right of the State Board of Education to issue an emergency or provisional certificate, as needed. Provided, however, prior to the issuance of an emergency certificate, the district shall document substantial efforts to employ a teacher who holds a provisional or standard certificate or who is licensed in the teaching profession. In the event a district is unable to hire an individual meeting this criteria, the district shall document efforts to employ an individual with a provisional or standard certificate or with a license in another curricular area with academic preparation in the field of need. Only after these alternatives have been exhausted shall the district be allowed to employ an individual meeting minimum standards as established by the State Board of Education for the issuance of emergency certificates.

Name of Applicant	Area Requested	Degree	Requesting District
Shawna Clepper	BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES, MID-LEVEL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Business Management	ALINE-CLEO
Jennifer Perdue	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Biological Sciences	BARTLESVILLE
Paula Blackburn	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Communications, Organizational Management	BENNINGTON
James Lee	SCHOOL COUNSELOR	Master's Degree - Education Leadership	BOWLEGS
Debra Boone	BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES, EARTH SCIENCE, PHYSICAL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Mathematics	BRAGGS
Lesa Moore	FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES	Bachelor's Degree - Elementary Education	BROKEN ARROW
Susan Tilkin	MID-LEVEL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Journalism	BROKEN ARROW
Lisa Wood	MID-LEVEL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Animal Science	BROKEN ARROW
Connie Phillips	ART	Bachelor's Degree - Applied Sciences, Liberal Arts/Studies	BROKEN BOW
Amie Ross	MID-LEVEL SOCIAL STUDIES, WORLD HISTORY/GEOGRAPHY	Bachelor's Degree - Occupational Health and Safety	BROKEN BOW
Catheryn Smith	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION, ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Master's Degree - Education	CANTON

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Julie Horn	ENGLISH	Bachelor's Degree - Music Education, Instrumental Music	CARNEGIE
Riley Kinder	ENGLISH	Bachelor's Degree - Health & Physical Education	CARNEGIE
Jill McGlothlin	ART	Bachelor's Degree - Park and Wildlife Law Enforcement	CARNEGIE
Amos Chase	COMPUTER SCIENCE, MID-LEVEL SCIENCE, US HISTORY/OK HISTORY/GOVERNMENT/ECONOMICS	Bachelor's Degree - Journalism, Advertising	CARNEY
*Cale Cochran	MID-LEVEL MATH FOR HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT	Bachelor's Degree - Recreation	CASHION
William Mooney	MID-LEVEL MATH FOR HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT	Bachelor's Degree - Physical Education	CATOOSA
*Steven Isaacs	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Health & Physical Education	CHOCTAW-NICOMA PARK
Jason Goodman	BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES	Bachelor's Degree - Elementary Education	CLINTON
Gerald Harris	MID-LEVEL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - History	COLLINSVILLE
Anthony Alvarado	SPANISH	Bachelor's Degree - Organizational Leadership	COMANCHE
Ryan Gleaves	MID-LEVEL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - History, Government	COMMERCE
Douglas Hanlon	BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES, CHEMISTRY, MID-LEVEL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Physical Education	COPAN
Hunter Fullerton	US HISTORY/OK HISTORY/GOVERNMENT/ECONOMICS	Bachelor's Degree - Health & Physical Education	DAVIS
Nathan McGregor	ADVANCED MATHEMATICS	Bachelor's Degree - Health & Physical Education	DAVIS
Jarrod Morse	ENGLISH	Bachelor's Degree - Communications	DAVIS
*Patricia Vogan	ENGLISH	Bachelor's Degree - English	DAVIS
Stace Ebert	SCHOOL COUNSELOR	Master's Degree - School Administration	DENISON
Tara Cook	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Master's Degree - Counseling	DUNCAN
Clifford O'Hern	WORLD HISTORY/GEOGRAPHY	Bachelor's Degree - Conservation/Wildlife	DURANT
Richard Allen	INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICS	Master's Degree - Teaching, Learning and Leadership	EDMOND
Willa Hiller	ENGLISH	Master's Degree - Criminology	EDMOND
Austin Little	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Management, Finance	EL RENO
Jonathan Harrel	INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICS	Bachelor's Degree - Accounting	ELMORE CITY-PERNELL
*Macy McDonald	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Liberal Arts/Studies	EMPIRE

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Nicole Cates	ADVANCED MATHEMATICS	Bachelor's Degree - Accounting	ENID
Terri Mcnaughton	SCHOOL COUNSELOR	Bachelor's Degree - Elementary Education, Mathematics	ENID
*Kara Pence	SCHOOL COUNSELOR	Bachelor's Degree - Elementary Education	FARGO
Cecilee Ashby	SCHOOL COUNSELOR	Bachelor's Degree - Social Work	FORT GIBSON
Courtney Newman	BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES, CHEMISTRY, PHYSICAL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Agriculture	FORT TOWSON
*Thompson Dickerson	ENGLISH	Bachelor's Degree - English	GEARY
Elizabeth Wood	CAREER TECH FAMILY/CONSUMER SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - University Studies	GEARY
Jeffrey Humbard	AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Agribusiness	GOODWELL
Billy Pier	BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES, CHEMISTRY, EARTH SCIENCE, MID-LEVEL SCIENCE, PHYSICAL SCIENCE, PHYSICS	Bachelor's Degree - Biological Sciences	GOODWELL
*Michael Stephens	BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES, MID-LEVEL SCIENCE, PHYSICAL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Enviromental Science	GOODWELL
Kathryn Lindsay	AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Agriculture	GUYMON
Peter Camfield	AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION	Doctorate Degree - Animal Science	HARDESTY
Lillian Nelson	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Health, Education	HARTSHORNE
Kaleb Harris	PHYSICAL EDUCATION/HEALTH/ SAFETY	Bachelor's Degree - Health and Human Performance	HASKELL
*Kayla Sheridan	BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES	Bachelor's Degree - Exercise and Sports Science	HASKELL
*Jennifer Huckabay	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Liberal Arts/Studies	HENRYETTA
Garrett Hannah	MID-LEVEL SOCIAL STUDIES	Bachelor's Degree - University Studies, Interdisciplinary Studies	HINTON
Heather Fisher	SCHOOL COUNSELOR	Master's Degree - Community Counseling	JENKS
James Gross	ENGLISH	Bachelor's Degree - Teaching, Elementary Education, Special Education	JENKS
Patrick Mcgrew	PHYSICAL SCIENCE	Master's Degree - Secondary Education	JENKS
Taylor Todd	INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICS	Bachelor's Degree - Physics	KELLYVILLE
*Maranda Janz	MID-LEVEL SOCIAL STUDIES	Bachelor's Degree - Physical Education	KINGFISHER

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Deandre Swanson	COMPUTER SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Sociology	LAWTON
Natasha Coffelt	SCHOOL COUNSELOR	Bachelor's Degree - Business Administration, Marketing	LOCUST GROVE
Aleecia Dudgeon	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Kinesiology	LUTHER
Ashley Starks	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Elementary Education	MACOMB
Joshua Drinning	US HISTORY/OK HISTORY/GOVERNMENT/ECONOMICS	Bachelor's Degree - Kinesiology	MARIETTA
Lisa Hatler	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Human Services	MAUD
Danyelee Minton	SCHOOL COUNSELOR	Bachelor's Degree - Music Education	MAUD
Rebecca Ruiz	ART	Master's Degree - Education	MCALESTER
Sean Adkins	VOCAL/GENERAL MUSIC	Bachelor's Degree - Biblical Studies, Music	MIDDLEBERG
Brittney Bennett-Covert	MID-LEVEL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Business Administration	MIDWEST CITY-DEL CITY
Tamarita Boone	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Master's Degree - Urban Education	MIDWEST CITY-DEL CITY
Amanda Sitton	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - English	MIDWEST CITY-DEL CITY
Kychet Hassan	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Family Life	MOORE
Alexis McElvany	INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICS	Bachelor's Degree - Biomedical Science	MOORE
Milton Paddlety	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Master's Degree - Network/Communication Management	MOORE
Lindsey Gibson	INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICS	Bachelor's Degree - Human Resource Management	MORRIS
Ryan Danker	AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Agribusiness	MORRISON
Stefanie Followell	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Elementary Education	MULDROW
Nigel Carter	ENGLISH	Bachelor's Degree - Communications	MUSKOGEE
Patrick Singer	PSYCHOLOGY/SOCIOLOGY	Master's Degree - Forensic Science	MUSTANG
Taylor Sullivan	WORLD HISTORY/GEOGRAPHY	Bachelor's Degree - Social Studies	MUSTANG
Pattie Parks	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Elementary Education	NASHOBA
*Melanie Hammons	VOCAL/GENERAL MUSIC	Bachelor's Degree - Mathematics	NINNEKAH
Matthew Medcalf	ENGLISH	Bachelor's Degree - History	NORMAN
Buffy Graves	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Elementary Education	OILTON
Matt Posey	SCHOOL COUNSELOR	Doctorate Degree - Education Leadership	OILTON

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Leann Reagan	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Elementary Education	OILTON
Sarah Tirnanic	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Non-Profit Leadership	OKC CHARTER: KIPP REACH COLL.
Sally Benfield	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - English	OKLAHOMA CITY
Bradley Cosby	MID-LEVEL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Behavioral Sciences	OKLAHOMA CITY
Tarah Luster	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Speech Language Pathology	OKLAHOMA CITY
Angela Oliver	SCHOOL COUNSELOR	Master's Degree - Rehabilitation Counseling	OKLAHOMA CITY
Amanda Robinson	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Psychology	OKLAHOMA CITY
Preston Solomon	BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES	Bachelor's Degree - Biological Sciences, Nutrition	OKLAHOMA CITY
Herman Stevenson	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Christian Education	OKLAHOMA CITY
Krista Walker	ART	Bachelor's Degree - Art, Business	OKLAHOMA CITY
Julie Yang	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Art	OKLAHOMA CITY
Marva Hoover	ENGLISH	Bachelor's Degree - Health & Physical Education	OKLAHOMA YOUTH ACADEMY
Carolyn Camfield	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Master's Degree - Elementary Education	OPTIMA
Kalyn Gensic	ART	Master's Degree - Student Personnel and Guidance	PLAINVIEW
James Sulivant	INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICS	Bachelor's Degree - Mathematics	PONCA CITY
Taylor Battle-Spilman	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - General Studies	PUTNAM CITY
Fnu Firdaus Fatima	CHEMISTRY	Bachelor's Degree - Secondary Education, Biological Sciences	PUTNAM CITY
William Francis	ENGLISH	Bachelor's Degree - Music Education	PUTNAM CITY
Kristin McMenamy	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - General Studies	PUTNAM CITY
*David Raupe	PHYSICS	Bachelor's Degree - Secondary Education, Science	PUTNAM CITY
Ariesha Wilbert	MID-LEVEL SCIENCE	Master's Degree - Divinity	PUTNAM CITY
Calli Quinn	MID-LEVEL MATH FOR HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT	Bachelor's Degree - Human Development and Family Science	QUINTON
Kayla Scalf	EARLY CHILDHOOD, ELEMENTARY EDUCATION, MID-LEVEL ENGLISH, PHYSICAL EDUCATION/HEALTH/SAFETY	Bachelor's Degree - Family and Consumer Sciences	RIPLEY
Tyla Eakins	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Journalism	ROBIN HILL

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Bailey Brown	ENGLISH	Bachelor's Degree - Architectural Studies	SALLISAW
Jacy Strong	INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICS	Bachelor's Degree - Mathematics	SALLISAW
Kara Charters	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Child Development	SAPULPA
Ronda Dostal	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Master's Degree - Business Administration	SAPULPA
Lynetta Harwood	INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICS	Master's Degree - Teaching, Learning and Leadership	SAPULPA
*Lexi Hernandez	BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES	Bachelor's Degree - Management	SEMINOLE
Alexia Gragg	MID-LEVEL MATH FOR HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT	Bachelor's Degree - Elementary Education	SHAWNEE
Landon Harper	PHYSICAL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Health and Human Performance	SHAWNEE
Angel Hattenhauer	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Psychology, Biology	TERRAL
Jennifer Butler	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Business Administration, Finance	TULSA
Stephen Evans	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - English	TULSA
Shambrille Fennell	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Psychology	TULSA
Monique Heitzman	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	Bachelor's Degree - Liberal Arts/Studies, Education	TULSA
Quentin Holt	US HISTORY/OK HISTORY/GOVERNMENT/ECONOMICS, WORLD HISTORY/GEOGRAPHY	Master's Degree - Urban Education	TULSA
Trendy Ingram	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Business Administration	TULSA
Addison Lee	INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICS, MID-LEVEL MATH FOR HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT	Bachelor's Degree - Art	TULSA
Beatriz Martinez Menard	SPANISH	Bachelor's Degree - Business, Communications	TULSA
Ruth Messimore	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Human Development and Family Science	TULSA
Elores Nash	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Community Health	TULSA
Jennifer Ousley	INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICS	Bachelor's Degree - Accounting	TULSA
Jennifer Parra	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	Juris Doctorate - Law	TULSA
Marcus Powers	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Master's Degree - Theology, History	TULSA
Robin Sloan	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Master's Degree - Business Administration, Human Resource Management	TULSA

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Mariko Takahashi	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	Bachelor's Degree - Psychology	TULSA
Mary Timmons	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Psychology	TULSA
*Rachel Walton	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Elementary Education	TULSA
Bernadette Ward	US HISTORY/OK HISTORY/GOVERNMENT/ECONOMICS	Master's Degree - Reading	TULSA
Jeremy Wilcox	INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICS, MID-LEVEL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Business Administration	TULSA
Kerry Willmann	US HISTORY/OK HISTORY/GOVERNMENT/ECONOMICS	Bachelor's Degree - History, Education	TULSA
Morgan Masterson	BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES	Bachelor's Degree - Animal Science, Biology	UNION
Damon Boston	PHYSICAL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Mathematics	WAGONER
*Amanda Burke	BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES	Bachelor's Degree - Agriculture	WAGONER
Keri Ellison	EARLY CHILDHOOD	Bachelor's Degree - Organizational Leadership, Social Studies	WAGONER
Michael Foreman	PHYSICAL SCIENCE	Bachelor's Degree - Health & Physical Education	WAGONER
Hillary Wood	VOCAL/GENERAL MUSIC	Bachelor's Degree - Social Work	WAGONER
Dre Jensen	US HISTORY/OK HISTORY/GOVERNMENT/ECONOMICS	Bachelor's Degree - Exercise/ Sports Science	WALTERS
Fnu Altaf Hussain	INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICS	Master's Degree - Marketing	WESTERN HEIGHTS
*Haley Copeland	INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICS	Bachelor's Degree - Elementary Education	WISTER
Stacy Pinney	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Health and Exercise Science	YALE
Haley Kaufman	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - Multidisciplinary Studies	YUKON
Caroline Kock	BUSINESS EDUCATION	Bachelor's Degree - English	YUKON
Bradyn Meyer	PHYSICAL EDUCATION/HEALTH/ SAFETY	Bachelor's Degree - Health & Physical Education	YUKON
Abbey Perman	US HISTORY/OK HISTORY/GOVERNMENT/ECONOMICS	Bachelor's Degree - Management, Ethnic Studies	YUKON
Christopher Smith	CHEMISTRY	Doctorate Degree - Ministry	YUKON

Total: 151

*Renewals: 16