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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 27, 2016

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

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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
Baylee Sturgell	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Speech Pathology	Alex
*Amberlea Dunham	Science	Bachelor – Biology	Blackwell
Krista Smith	School Counselor	Bachelor – Elementary Education	Blackwell
Nicholas Abbot	English	Bachelor – Advertising	Blanchard
Lori Jackson	Mathematics	Bachelor – Elementary Education	Billings
Daniel Long	Science Physical Education	Bachelor – General Studies	Billings
Kerrie Gregory	English	Bachelor – General Studies	Bridge Creek
Cory Underhill	Mathematics	Bachelor – Business	Bridge Creek
Brett Narsaln	Physical Education	Bachelor – History	Broken Bow
Catharine Thomas	Music	Bachelor – Music Education Master – Music	Buffalo
Jill McGlothlin	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Park/Wildlife Law Enforcement	Carnegie
Angela Jones	Music	Bachelor – Music Master - Music	Cashion
Ryan Farquhar	Art	Bachelor – Physical Education	Choctaw/ Nicoma Park
Jessica Alexander	School Counselor	Master – School Counseling Master – Mental Health Counseling	Claremore
Brittany Nichols	Science	Bachelor – Biology	Claremore
Laure Sahli	Mathematics	Bachelor – Music	Claremore
Aaron Schultheis	Mathematics	Bachelor – Finance Master – Education	Claremore
*Kirk Prucha	Mathematics	Bachelor – Music	Comanche

Bryant Andrews Jr.	Reading Specialist	Bachelor – Sports Management Master – Business	Crooked Oak
Brittany McDaniel	English	Bachelor – English Master – English	Crooked Oak
*Trevor Knight	Mathematics	Bachelor – Sports Management	Cyril
Pamela Parrott	Art	Bachelor – Elementary Education	Davis
John Stookey	Social Studies	Bachelor – Secondary Education	Dewey
*Tara Merrick	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Physical Education	Dibble
*Garrett Mitchell	Science	Bachelor – Health/Physical Ed	Dibble
Robin Hedges	Foreign Language	Bachelor – Foreign Languages	Edmond
Lanie Lovelace	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Recreation/Leadership	Edmond
Melanie Christner	Speech/Drama/Debate	Bachelor – Library Science	Enid
Anna Goodell	Music	Bachelor – Music	Enid
Rosella Law	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Social Science	Enid
Jessica Tatro	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Early Childhood	Enid
Erin Weeks	Science	Bachelor – Chemistry	Eufaula
*Kelsey Mead	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Elementary Education	Fanshawe
Brandon Cook	History Computer Science	Bachelor – Business Admin Master - Education	Freedom
Darci Collins	Family/Consumer Science Art	Bachelor – Political Science	Freedom
*Michael Barnes	Science	Bachelor – Recreation	Fox
Jana Schreiner	Elementary Education	Bachelor – English Master – Education Leadership	Goodwell
*Andrew Dougherty	Physical Education Social Studies	Bachelor – Health/Physical Ed	Goodwell
*Jonathan Hammond	Science	Bachelor – Industrial Education	Goodwell
Jonathan Hammond	Science (Chemistry)	Bachelor – Industrial Education	Goodwell
Grant Mallard	Business	Bachelor – Management	Guymon
Teresa Mathis	English	Bachelor – Psychology	Guymon
Danielle Younger	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Elementary Education Master – School Counseling	Haywood
Bili Lankford	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Mathematics	Holdenville
Reagan Hightower	Science	Bachelor – Nursing	Hollis
Cassie Hampton	School Counselor	Bachelor – Elementary Education	Jay

Anna Christie	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Accounting	Jenks
Dee Cusick	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Special Education	Kiefer
Blake Eaton	Social Studies	Bachelor – History	Kingfisher
Julia Arteno	English	Bachelor – Public Administration	Lawton
Sarah Beck	Elementary Education	Master – Social Work	Lawton
Aadel Bussinger	Social Studies	Bachelor – Psychology	Lawton
*Enixsa Chavez	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Computer Science	Lawton
Stephanie Koolman	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Special Ed/Elem. Ed.	Lawton
Kaitlyn Martinez	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Psychology	Lawton
Ricky Petty	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Speech Communication	Lawton
*Donnalyn Pierre	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Social Sciences Master – Early Childhood Master – Teaching/Learning/Leadership	Lawton
Kelli Shiflet	School Counselor	Master – Counseling	Lawton
Rebekah Ritchie	English	Bachelor – Chemistry/Biology	Madill
Nellie Garone	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Secondary Education	Mannsville
Amy Littrell	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Health/Physical Ed	Mannsville
Watie Vann II	Physical Education	Bachelor – Sports Management	Maryetta
Lisa Granato	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Psychology	Moore
*Betty Novak	Science	Bachelor – Speech Education Master – Education	Moore
*Brayden Brumley	Business Education	Bachelor – Business Administration	Mulhall-Orlando
Michael Allen	Mathematics	Bachelor – Physical Education	Mustang
*Je’Ann Whitaker	Mathematics	Bachelor – Athletic Training	Mustang
Jessi Gaskins	Mathematics	Bachelor – Family Studies	Norman
Jennica Haddox	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Elementary Education	Okemah
Chandra Angelov	Science	Bachelor – Chemistry	Oklahoma City
Craig Carpenter	School Counselor	Bachelor – Criminal Justice Master – Social Work	Oklahoma City
Catherine Carte	English	Bachelor – English	Oklahoma City
Scott Foerster	Science	Doctorate – Medicine	Oklahoma City
Sarah Jaynes	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Family Studies/Child Dev	Oklahoma City
Brian Martin	Elementary Education	Master – Religion/Education	Oklahoma City

Kathleen Mercado	Social Studies	Bachelor – Sociology	Oklahoma City
Patricia Roop	Science	Bachelor – Criminal Justice	Oklahoma City
Jacqueline Schumacher	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Family Studies/Gerontology	Oklahoma City
Niah Spriggs	Mathematics	Bachelor – Business Master – Business Administration	Oklahoma City
Sarah Vinyard	ESL	Bachelor – General Studies	Oklahoma City
Mike Arnold	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Elem. Ed/Special Ed	Ponca City
Shiela Hibler	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Elementary Education	Ponca City
Wendy Sanchez	Foreign Language	Master – Communication	Preston
Jayne Boeken	Elementary Education	Bachelor – English	Putnam City
Peyton Brown	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Speech Pathology	Putnam City
Alisan Craig	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Biology	Putnam City
Jessica Harrison	Science	Bachelor – Natural Sciences	Putnam City
Jesus Montano	Science	Bachelor – Biology	Quinton
Cari Ray	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Music Education	Riverside
Elizabeth Colflesh	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Chemistry	Sallisaw
Terrance Green	Social Studies	Bachelor – Human Resources	SeeWorth Academy
Morgan Crawford	English	Bachelor – English	SeeWorth Academy
Teresa Gofourth	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Elementary Education	South Coffeyville
Laura Williams	Science	Bachelor – Biological Sciences	Sperry
Dana Butts	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Special Education	Springer
Carolyn Lancaster	School Counselor	Bachelor – Speech Education Master – Speech Education Master – School Counselor	Springer
Leah Noland	English	Bachelor – Elementary Education Master – Library/Media	Springer
Amanda Childers	Mathematics	Bachelor – Rehabilitation Counseling	Strother
Sally Cannizzaro	Elementary Education	Bachelor – English Master – Educational Psychology	Tulsa
Ashley Duvall	School Counselor	Bachelor – Education	Tulsa
Jennifer Johnson	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Physical Education	Tulsa
Janeen Lovelace	Social Studies	Bachelor – Social Studies Education	Tulsa

Matthew Robinson	Elementary Education	Bachelor – Marketing/Business	Tulsa
Brenda Tucker	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Health/Physical Education	Warner
Jamie Westbrook	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Criminal Justice	Western Heights
Cara Bailey	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Psychology	Whitebead
Keeli Smith	Early Childhood	Bachelor – Elementary Education	Yarbrough

Total = 107 (14 renewals)

***Renewal of existing emergency**