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Name of Applicant/Degree Area Requested

1. Daniel Green Government
   2209 North Elm Street
   Miami, OK   74354

   Bachelor's Degree in Social Studies—York College, New York

School District/Superintendent/County

Afton Public Schools
Mr. Randy Gardner, Superintendent
Ottawa County

Test Required for Certification: U.S. History/Oklahoma History/
   Government/Economics

Scheduled to test on November 17, 2012
With results available on December 14, 2012

Afton Public Schools is asking for an exception for Daniel Green to teach Government. Mr. Green is currently certified in American History, World History, Middle Level Social Studies, Special Kindergarten and Elementary Education.
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Bachelor's Degree in Multidisciplinary (emphasis in History)—University of Oklahoma

School District/Superintendent/County
Ardmore Public Schools
Mr. Sonny Bates, Superintendent
Carter County

Test Required for Certification: U.S. History/Oklahoma History/
Government/Economics

Scheduled to test on October 23, 2012
With results available on November 28, 2012

Ardmore Public Schools is asking for an exception for Ms. Kozar-Mackey for U.S. History/ Government/Economics. Ms. Mackey-Kozer has been employed with the Ardmore Public School’s ACS program that is in collaboration with the Oklahoma Juvenile Authority.
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Bachelor's Degree in Astrophysics—University of Oklahoma
Master’s Degree in Physics—University of Oklahoma

School District/Superintendent/County
Broken Arrow Public Schools
Dr. Jarod Mendenhall, Superintendent
Tulsa County

Test Required for Certification: Physics

Took the Physics Subject Area Test on September 15, 2012
Results will be available in December

Broken Arrow Public Schools is asking for an exception for Mr. Bradsher for Physics. Mr. Bradsher took the Physics Subject Area Test on September but that is one of the test that the results will not be available until December. Mr. Bradsher has been working as a substitute in Broken Arrow Public Schools. Mr. Bradsher worked as a graduate teaching assistant at the University of Oklahoma for 4 years.
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**Name of Applicant/Degree**

4. Crystal James
   410 Parkwood Drive
   Wagoner, OK 74467

   Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education—Northeastern State University

**School District/Superintendent/County**

Coweta Public Schools
Mr. Jeff Holmes, Superintendent
Wagoner County

**Test Required for Certification:**

Early Childhood

Coweta Public Schools is asking for an exception for Ms. Crystal James for Early Childhood. The school had an increased number of Kindergarten students and needed to add an additional class. Ms. James is certified in Elementary Education and will schedule to take the Early Childhood Subject Area Test. Ms. James has been employed with Coweta for 20 years.
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Bachelor's Degree in Family Studies & Child Development with a minor in Physical Education—Oklahoma Christian University

School District/Superintendent/County
Crescent Public Schools
Mr. H. T. Gee, Superintendent
Logan County

Test Required for Certification: Has passed the Physical Education Subject Area Test

Crescent Public Schools is asking for an exception for Physical Education for Ms. Hope Heinen. Ms. Heinen has been accepted into the Alternative Placement Program for Family and Consumer Sciences and will need to complete the Oklahoma General Education Test and the Family and Consumer Science for certification through the Alternative program.
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Bachelor's Degree in Physical Education—Oklahoma State University

School District/Superintendent/County  
Cushing Public Schools  
Mr. Kolin Knight, Superintendent  
Payne, County

Test Required for Certification: World History/Geography

Cushing Public Schools is asking for an exception for World History/Geography for Mr. Russell Cook. Mr. Cook is certified in Physical Education and U.S. History/OK History/Government/Economics. Mr. Cook will register to take the World History/Geography subject area test.
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Bachelor's Degree in Human and Family Science—Northeastern State University

School District/Superintendent/County

Drummond Public Schools
Dr. Mike Woods, Superintendent
Garfield County

Test Required for Certification: Has already passed the Early Childhood Subject Area Test

Drummond Public Schools is asking for an exception for Early Childhood for Ms. Michelle Randolph. Ms. Randolph is currently certified in Infant, Toddlers and 3 year olds. Ms. Randolph has been a paraprofessional in Early Childhood for a year. She will take the Oklahoma Professional Teachers Exam and will then apply for the Career Development for a Paraprofessional to become a certified teacher.
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Name of Applicant/Degree

8. Aaron Baker
   547 North Cedar Drive
   Midwest City, OK 73130

   Bachelor's Degree in Biblical Studies—Free Will Baptist College
   Master's Degree in Theological Studies-- Covenant Theological Seminary

School District/Superintendent/County

Mid-Del Public Schools
Dr. Pam Deering, Superintendent
Oklahoma County

Test Required for Certification: Middle Level Science

Mid-Del Public Schools is asking for an exception for Middle Level Science for Mr. Aaron Baker. Mid-Del had 19 science positions to fill this year. They did not have an applicant interested in teaching along with helping with extracurricular activities. The applicant will register to take the Middle Level Science Test. Mr. Baker is currently certified U.S. History/OK History/Government/Economics, World History/Geography and Middle Level Studies.
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Name of Applicant/Degree

9. Crystal Foley
    3008 Orlando Drive
    Oklahoma City, OK 73120

    Bachelor's Degree in Biology — Northeastern State University

School District/Superintendent/County

Mid-Del Public Schools
Dr. Pam Deering, Superintendent
Oklahoma County

Test Required for Certification: Biological Science

Mid-Del Public Schools is asking for an exception for Biological Science for Ms. Crystal Foley. Ms. Foley has a Bachelor’s degree in Biology and will seek certification through the Alternative Placement Program.
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Name of Applicant/Degree

10. Jeremy Hymel
    P.O. Box 10888
    Midwest City, OK  73140

Bachelor's Degree in Meteorology—University of Oklahoma

School District/Superintendent/County

Mid-Del Public Schools
Dr. Pam Deering, Superintendent
Oklahoma County

Test Required for Certification:  Earth Science

Mid-Del Public Schools is asking for an exception for Earth Science for Mr. Jeremy Hymel. Mr. Hymel is currently certified in Intermediate/Middle Level Mathematics and Physical Science. Mr. Hymel will register to take the Earth Science Subject Area Test.
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Name of Applicant/Degree

11. Kevin Sharp
    815 East Acres Street
    Norman, OK  73071

Bachelor's Degree in Journalism—University of Central Oklahoma

School District/Superintendent/County

Mid-Del Public Schools
Dr. Pam Deering, Superintendent
Oklahoma County

Test Required for Certification: Middle Level Science

Mid-Del Public Schools is asking for an exception for Middle Level English for Mr. Kevin Sharp for Middle Level English. Mr. Sharp is currently certified in Journalism and will schedule to take the Middle Level English Subject Area Test.
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Bachelor's Degree in Art—Oklahoma Baptist University

School District/Superintendent/County
Mid-Del Public Schools
Dr. Pam Deering, Superintendent
Oklahoma County

Test Required for Certification: Art

Mid-Del Public Schools is asking for an exception for Art for Ms. Sarah Taylor. Ms. Taylor has a Bachelor’s degree in Art from Oklahoma Baptist University. Ms. Taylor will pursue certification through the Alternative Placement Program.
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13. Jeremy D. Teel
   3008 Orlando Drive
   Oklahoma City, OK 73120

Bachelor's Degree in Art—University of Science of Arts of Oklahoma

School District/Superintendent/County

Mid-Del Public Schools
Dr. Pam Deering, Superintendent
Oklahoma County

Test Required for Certification: Art

Mid-Del Public Schools is asking for an exception for Art for Mr. Jeremy Teel. Mr. Teal has a Bachelor’s degree in Art from University of Science of Arts of Oklahoma. Mr. Teal will pursue certification through the Alternative Placement Program.
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Name of Applicant/Degree                      Area Requested

14. Chad Varney  Middle Level Science
    11264 Zandra
    Midwest City, OK    73130

    Bachelor's Degree in Exercise Science and Physical Therapy—Oklahoma Baptist University

School District/Superintendent/County
Mid-Del Public Schools
Dr. Pam Deering, Superintendent
Oklahoma County

Test Required for Certification: Middle Level Science
Registered to take the test on November 17, 2012
Results will be available on December 15, 2012

Mid-Del Public Schools is asking for an exception for Middle Level Science for Mr. Chad Varney. Mr. Varney has 11 hours of science and will take the Middle Level Science test in November. Mr. Varney is currently certified in Physical Education.
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Name of Applicant/Degree

Area Requested

15. Angela D. Wheeler

Middle Level Mathematics

8 Beckman Drive

Muskogee, OK 74401

Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education—Northeastern State University

School District/Superintendent/County

Mid-Del Public Schools
Dr. Pam Deering, Superintendent
Oklahoma County

Test Required for Certification: Middle Level/Intermediate Mathematics

Mid-Del Public Schools is asking for an exception for Middle Level Mathematics for Ms. Angela Wheeler. Ms. Wheeler will take the Middle Level/Intermediate Mathematics test. Ms. Wheeler is currently certified in Elementary Education.
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Bachelor's Degree in Natural Sciences and Chemistry—University of Puerto Rico
Master’s Degree in Management—University of Puerto Rico

School District/Superintendent/County
Millwood Public Schools
Dr. Gloria Griffin, Superintendent
Oklahoma County

Test Required for Certification: Biological Sciences Subject Area
Registered to take the test on November 17, 2012
Results will be available on December 14, 2012

Millwood Public Schools is asking for an exception for Biological Sciences for Ms. Yamille Medina. Ms. Medina is currently certified in Chemistry. Ms. Medina took 12 hours while pursuing her bachelor’s degree.
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Name of Applicant/Degree                                  Area Requested

17. Lyndsi Long                                           English
       8190 East 134 Road
       Holdenville, OK 74848

Bachelor's Degree in English—Northeastern Oklahoma State University

School District/Superintendent/County
Moss Public Schools
Mr. John Long, Superintendent
Hughes County

Test Required for Certification: Has passed the English Subject Area Test

Moss Public Schools is asking for an exception for Ms. Lyndsi Long for English. Ms. Long has a degree in English and will pursue certification through the Alternative Placement Program.
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Name of Applicant/Degree

18. Lindsey Golightly
   608 Southwest 103rd Street
   Oklahoma City, OK  73139

Bachelor's Degree in Health Info. Management—Southwestern Oklahoma State University
Master's Degree in School Counseling—Southwestern Oklahoma State University

School District/Superintendent/County

Moore Public Schools
Ms. Susan Pierce, Superintendent
Cleveland County

Test Required for Certification: Has Passed the School Counselor Test

Moore Public Schools is requesting an exception for School Counselor for Ms. Lindsey Golightly. Ms. Golightly has a Master’s degree in School Counselor. Once she has passed the Oklahoma Professional Teachers Exam she will be eligible for recommendation for a standard certificate from Southwestern Oklahoma State University.
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Name of Applicant/Degree

Area Requested

19. Melissa Rochoux
   1920 East 2nd Street #3204
   Edmond City, OK  73034
   Bachelor's Degree in French Education—Lyndenwood University, Missouri

School District/Superintendent/County

Oklahoma City Public Schools
Mr. Carl Springer, Superintendent
Oklahoma County

Test Required for Certification: Has Passed the Elementary Education Test

Oklahoma City Public Schools is asking for an exception for Ms. Melissa Rochoux for Elementary Education. Ms. Rochoux is employed by Shidler Elementary School which is a c3 school. Ms. Rochoux is currently certified in French Education, but will need to complete a teacher education program to add Elementary Education to her current certificate.
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Name of Applicant/Degree

Area Requested

20. Pekah, Kara
    112 North Tennessee Avenue
    Shawnee, OK  73801

    Bachelor's Degree in English – St. Gregory’s University

    St. Gregory’s University
    1900 West MacArthur
    Shawnee, OK  74804
    Pottawatomie County

    Test Required for Certification:  Secondary English

St. Gregory’s University is asking that an exception be granted for Ms. Kara Pekah. Ms. Pekah was advised by the university to take the wrong subject area test. Ms. Pekah has completed a teacher education program for secondary English and will be recommended when she takes and passes the secondary English subject area test.
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Name of Applicant/Degree

Area Requested

21. Josh Fields  
   53234 Valley Drive 
   Talihina, OK  74571  
   Bachelor's Degree in Kinesiology—East Central University  
   Physical Education

School District/Superintendent/County

Talihina Public Schools 
Mr. Jason Lockhart, Superintendent 
Leflore County

Test Required for Certification:  
Has passed the Physical Education Subject Area Test

Talihina Public Schools is requesting an exception for Mr. Josh Fields for Physical Education. Mr. Fields does not qualify for the Alternative Placement Program due to his grade point average (retention 2.15); therefore to retain his certification he will have to raise his grade point average to a 2.50 before he could be admitted to the Alternative Placement Program. The Superintendent is aware of this and is in agreement that if he does not qualify for certification by next summer he will no longer be employed. The school had to replace 12 certified teachers this year and they are trying to absorb two classes with this position.
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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.

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Doctor of Chiropractic—Cleveland Chiropractic College

School District/Superintendent/County
Miami Public Schools
Ms. Loretta Robinson, Superintendent
Ottawa County

Test Required for Certification:
Biological Science Subject Area
Chemistry Subject

Miami Public Schools is asking for an exception for Dr. Brian Henson for Biological Science. Dr. Henson took the Chemistry test in July and did not pass. Mr. Henson will register to take the Biological and Chemistry subject area test. Mr. Henson will pursue certification through the Alternative Placement Program.