

Braille Education Instructor Permit	
ARSD 24:28:09	
Description	Allows applicants without a teaching degree to serve as instructors for blind or visually impaired students.
Duration of Certificate	• 5 years
Applicant Eligibility Requirements	Completion of an <u>approved suicide awareness and prevention training</u>
·	Passage of state-designated content test
	6 semester hours of coursework including:
	<ul> <li>Introduction to teaching students who are blind</li> </ul>
	Methodology of teaching elementary reading
	<ul> <li>Introduction to classroom modifications and assistive technology</li> </ul>
	for students who are blind
Fee	• \$25
District Requirements	• None
Endorsements	Braille Instructor which allows individual to teach Braille assignments
Assignment/Courses	25200 Elementary Braille
	25201 Grades 5-8 Braille
	25202 Braille Education
Renewal Requirements	3 continuing education credits (45 clock hours of training)
	\$25 for 5-year renewal certificate
	Complete an approved <u>suicide awareness and prevention training</u> .