

CTE Teacher Certification Flow Chart



You have a Non-Education Degree or a Postsecondary diploma

This includes: Associate Degrees and all BS or BA degrees

STEP 1: Complete the Department of Education Alternative Route to Career and Technical Education Certification Program Application located here: <http://www.doe.sd.gov/octe/documents/CTEAltCrp.pdf>

STEP 2: Follow the certification pathway below for the outcome you desire. You have up to two years to complete this work.

Complete 12 credits of Education Coursework which includes:

- A 2 credit CTE Methods course,
- 3 credits of Human Relations,
- 3 credits of South Dakota Indian Studies
- A 4 credit mentored internship

AND

Complete the Principles of Learning & Teaching 7-12 Praxis

AND

Complete
15 to 18 credits of Cluster Specific
Coursework

OR

Pass the cluster specific State
Designated Exam

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Alternative Career Cluster Endorsement

This alternative endorsement authorizes you to teach all courses within a corresponding career cluster