

Performing Artist Permit	
ARSD 24:28:09	
Description	 Designed to allow districts flexibility in the areas of art, dance, drama, and music when district is unable to hire a certified teacher. Intended for, but not limited to, rural districts.
Duration of Certificate	One year
Applicant Eligibility	High school diploma or equivalent
Requirements	Minimum of 5 years of occupational experience in performing arts field in which the permit is requested
	Completion of an <u>approved suicide awareness and prevention training</u>
Fees	• \$25
District Requirements	 Provide documentation district/school is unable to hire a certified teacher Submit performing artist verification form to South Dakota Department of Education, which identifies position to be held by applicant Provide mentor teacher to assist applicant During each renewal, district must submit form to the department recommending applicant for renewal, based on documented performance
Endorsements	Limited to areas of art, dance, drama, and music
Renewal Requirements	 .50 continuing education credits (8 clock hours of training) \$25 for 1-year renewal certificate Complete an approved <u>suicide awareness and prevention training</u>.