



Illinois State Board of Education

SB 2912

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Educator Effectiveness Division

January 24, 2017

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- Test Scores
- ELS-PIDU
- Teacher Leader Endorsement
- Evaluations
- Other Changes-FYI

UPDATES

- ACT/SAT Internal Policy Change
- Grade Range Policy Change
- Middle Grades Resource Guide
- Part 25 Rules
- New Website

Full Test-Click [Here](#)
ISBE Summary-Click [Here](#)

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- Removes the 10 year expiration date for content tests/edTPA/APT. All tests are valid indefinitely.
- Honor OOS Content Tests
 - Initial Licensure

Impact on IHEs

- Form 80.02 or 80.03A
- Upload Image
- Notify liaison for review
- Liaison will upload into "testing"

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- Awarded to candidate who has completed an Illinois approved teacher education program, but has not yet passed the edTPA.
- Hold a bachelor's degree
- Passed the applicable tests
 - Test of Basic Skills
 - Content Test
- Meet a minimum edTPA score (TBD)
- Valid for one year (full fiscal year), and cannot be renewed.
- Available via entitlement only

Impact on IHEs

- SEPLB review February 3, 2017
- Board review February 22, 2017
- Notify IHEs
- ELIS Entitlement wizard
 - Available to all teaching programs
 - ELS-PIDU

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- In lieu of required coursework, educators are eligible to demonstrate competencies.
- Specific competencies will be outlined in rule.

Impact on IHEs

- TL Competencies Taskforce
 - Stakeholders
- WHY???

The competency-based teacher leader program was created to provide educators with an additional option for obtaining the teacher leader endorsement. ISBE wanted to highlight the importance of teacher leaders in schools, and this approach will allow for ongoing professional experience for teachers interested in teacher leadership. The competency-based approach does not lead to a degree, and the competencies that must be demonstrated will be aligned to the teacher leader standards, just like IHE-based programs.

EDUCATORS PREPARED OOS

ELS-PEDU

- OOS License
- Bachelor's degree (any area)

PEL-PRIN/SUPT

- SAP
- Tests
- No longer have to have been issued a license endorsed in a teaching field

PEL-Teaching/SSP

- OOS License
- Bachelor's degree or +
 - Directly related
- Student Teaching
- Tests
- PEL coursework

PEL-CSBO

- Master's degree
- Internship + 2yrs Exp.
- Tests
- PEL coursework (modules)
- Tests

Impact on IHEs:

Candidate who completed a program at your institution and never obtained licensure.

- ISBE evaluation
 - ISBE will honor SAP
- Program has not changed since they completed
 - Entitle candidate
- Program has changed
 - Audit the candidate transcript/exp.
 - Focus Program.

Substitute Teaching License:

- \$50
- May be renewed after 5 years w/o Test of Basic Skills

Career and Tech Ed: (CTE and CTEP Renewal):

- A Test of work proficiency (ACT WorkKeys) may be completed in place of the basic skills for renewal if the CTE or CTEP was originally issued January 1, 2015 or after.

Renewal for Retired Educators:

- Educator must complete Professional Development on a prorated basis depending on the number of years the educator held an active license. When educators retire, they change their status to “retired” in ELIS. ***Through December 31, 2017:*** If an educator failed to change his/her status to “retired” in ELIS and lapsed due to failure to renew, the educator may reinstate the license and maintain it in retired status upon providing proof to ISBE using ELIS that the licensee is retired and not working in a position that requires a PEL.

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UPDATES



- ACT/SAT Internal Policy Change (Email)
 - ISBE will no longer require educators to have a passing writing score and a passing composite score on the same ACT or SAT score report.
- Grade Range Policy Change (Notice)
 - ESL/Bilingual, Gifted endorsement issued for the full grade range
 - ISBE is interested in your feedback for transitioning the following endorsements to align with the full grade range.
 - Reading Teacher, Library Information Specialist, Technology Specialist, Foreign Language
 - Submit your feedback [HERE](#)
- Middle Grades Resource Guide-Updated!!
 - Clarify Exceptions Table (pg 13)
- Part 25 Rules will be reviewed by the Board February 22, 2017
 - Once approved-Released for Public Comment (Tentative late February) (Click [Here](#))
- New Website Feedback
 - licensurewebfeedback@isbe.net

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Any questions you submit during this webinar I will forward to your designated liaison to follow up!

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Thank you!!!

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