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Teacher Quality Office

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The following certification courses are required for certification based on earned degrees.

- I. **AA Education Degree only**
 - Enroll in a BEd program within one year of hiring
- II. **AA/AS Non Education Degree only**
 - ASCC ED150 Introduction to Teaching
 - ASCC ED240 Instructional Technologies
 - ASCC ED280 Introduction to Bilingual Education
 - Enroll in an accredited BEd program within one year of hiring
 - Successfully complete Praxis I-Core proficiency exam within one year of hiring
- III. **All Teachers holding BA/BS Non Education Degree**
 - ASCC ED240 Instructional Technologies
 - ASCC ED280 Introduction to Bilingual Education
 - UH ED310 or ASCC ED300 Education in American Society/Foundations of Ed.
 - UH ED311 or ASCC ED301 Psychological Foundations of Education
 - UH ED312 or ASCC ED305 Introduction to Teaching/Foundations of C/I
 - Successfully complete Praxis I-Core proficiency exam prior to certification renewal
 - Complete content area coursework to be determined by assignment
- IV. **All New Teachers holding Bachelor Degrees in Education or other content area**

The Equivalent of:

 - ASCC ED240 Instructional Technology
 - ASCC ED280 Introduction to Bilingual Education
 - UH ED310 or ASCC ED300 Education in American Society/Foundations of Ed.
 - UH ED311 or ASCC ED301 Psychological Foundations of Education
 - UH ED312 or ASCC ED305 Introduction to Teaching/Foundations of C/I
 - Successfully complete Praxis I-Core proficiency exam within one year of hiring
 - Complete content area coursework to be determined by assignment