

USBE Teacher Mentor Endorsement

Application for the Utah State Board of Education

Applicant Information

Name: _____

Cactus ID #: _____

Email: _____

Purpose

The endorsement recognizes the efforts and competencies of experienced educators in supporting the retention and professional growth of beginning educators. Those earning this endorsement recognize the importance of providing multiple levels of mentoring support to early career educators and exhibit an understanding of and personal competency included in the Roles of a Teacher Mentor.

Endorsement Requirement Areas

PREREQUISITES: I have met ALL the following requirements and provided the [Teacher Mentor Endorsement Eligibility Verification Form](#).

- ☐ I have a current Utah Professional Educator License
- ☐ I have at least one year of full-time employment as an educator in Utah
- ☐ I have at least three years of classroom teaching experience

Mentoring Requirement Areas:

Applicants must meet at least one requirement in each of the five areas listed on the following page. Please select the criterion you've met for each area.

1. Foundations of Mentoring

- ☐ University Teacher Mentoring 1 Course
- ☐ Approved LEA or RESA Mentoring 1 Course

2. Understanding and Building the Mentoring Relationship

- ☐ University Teacher Mentoring 1 Course
- ☐ Approved LEA or RESA Mentoring 1 Course
- ☐ Approved Instructional Coaching Endorsement Adult Learning Theory Course
- ☐ The Adult Learning Microcredential Pathway

3. Effective Coaching Conversations

- ☐ University Teacher Mentoring 1 Course
- ☐ Approved LEA or RESA Mentoring 1 Course
- ☐ Approved Foundations of Instructional Coaching Course
- ☐ Foundations of Instructional Coaching Microcredential Pathway

4. Facilitating Beginning Teachers' Professional Growth

- ☐ University Teacher Mentoring 1 Course
- ☐ Approved LEA or RESA Mentoring 1 Course
- ☐ Approved Instructional Coaching Adult Learning Theory Course
- ☐ The Adult Learning Microcredential Pathway

5. Instructional Skills and Strategies

- ☐ University Teacher Mentoring 2 Course
- ☐ Approved LEA or RESA Mentoring 2 Course
- ☐ Utah's High Leverage Practices Microcredential Pathway
- ☐ Instructional Coaching Instructional Design and Assessment Course

Application Submission

Submit this endorsement application and required documentation online in the Utah Educator Licensing Application system: <https://usbelicensing.smapply.us>.