



# Who Can I Hire as a Teacher/ Early Interventionist?

## Guidance for District/Program Administrators

Kansas License	Setting/Program								
	PARENTS AS TEACHERS* (PAT)	KANSAS INFANT-TODDLER/TINY-K/IDEA PART C	STATE PRE-K* (4-year-old At-Risk) CLASSROOM	KANSAS PRESCHOOL PROGRAM* CLASSROOM	EARLY CHILDHOOD SPECIAL EDUCATION	KINDERGARTEN	GRADE 1	GRADE 2	GRADE 3
Early Childhood (EC) <i>old certification</i>	✓ <sup>1</sup>		✓	✓		✓			
Early Childhood Handicapped (ECH) <i>old certification</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓				
Early Childhood Unified (ECU) Birth - Kindergarten	✓ <sup>1</sup>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
ECU Birth - Grade 3	✓ <sup>1</sup>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
High Incidence Pre K-12 ( <i>Adaptive</i> )					✓ <sup>2</sup>	✓ <sup>2</sup>	✓ <sup>2</sup>	✓ <sup>2</sup>	✓ <sup>2</sup>
Low Incidence Pre K-12 ( <i>Functional</i> )					✓ <sup>2</sup>	✓ <sup>2</sup>	✓ <sup>2</sup>	✓ <sup>2</sup>	✓ <sup>2</sup>
Gifted Pre K - 12						✓ <sup>2</sup>	✓ <sup>2</sup>	✓ <sup>2</sup>	✓ <sup>2</sup>
Elementary Education			✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓

**1** Acceptable but not required

**2** Applicable to provide only special education services, consultative, itinerant, or support services and only to children identified with category of need (adaptive, functional, gifted) corresponding to license held OR may teach content if individual holds general education license at indicated level (EC, Kg, 1, 2, or 3)

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