
Licensure Overview and Master Teacher Program



Fall 2010

Today's Meeting

1. Licensure Overview
2. Master Teacher Update/
Changes

House Bill 1 – July 2009

- Creation of 4-tiered licensure structure for teachers
- New licenses issued Jan. 1, 2011
- Focus today on Senior and Lead Professional Educator License
- Includes update on Professional License renewal requirements

4 Tiered Licensure Structure

- Resident Educator License – 4 yr non-renewable
- Professional Educator License – 5 yr - Renewable
- Senior Professional Educator License – 5yr - Renewable
- Lead Professional Educator License – 5 yr -Renewable

Senior Professional Educator License (3301-24-16) - At a Glance A + B + C

A	B	C
Degree Requirement	Experience	Demonstration of Practice at a blend of Accomplished/ Distinguished Level (OSTP):
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master's degree or higher from an institution of higher education accredited by a regional accrediting organization 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nine years under a standard teaching license with 120 days of service as defined by ORC, of which • At least five years are under a professional/permanent license/certificate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Successful completion of the Master Teacher Portfolio

Lead Professional Educator License (3301-24-17) - At a Glance A + B + C

A	B	C	
Degree Requirement	Experience	Demonstration of Practice at the Distinguished Level (OSTP):	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master’s degree or higher from an institution of higher education accredited by a regional accrediting organization 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nine years under a standard teaching license with 120 days of service as defined by ORC, of which • At least five years are under a professional/ permanent license/ certificate or Senior Professional Educator License 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earn the Teacher Leader Endorsement AND successful completion of the Master Teacher Portfolio OR; 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hold active NBC (National Board Certification NBPTS)

3301-24-08 Professional Educator License Renewal –

- Align IPDP to Educator Standards
 - Teacher, Principal, Superintendent, School Treasurer and School Business Manager
- No longer required to obtain Master's Degree by second renewal

Questions?

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Master Teacher Program Update

Master Teacher Program

- MT is now considered one requirement for the pathway for an advanced level of licensure
- National Board Certification is another pathway for an advanced level of licensure

House Bill 1

- Changes to Master Teacher Program
 - Eliminates EMIS report
 - Form I deleted
 - Removes December timeline to complete process every year
 - Program aligns with new licensure structure effective 2011
 - Program remains the same

Master Teacher



Goals for Master Teacher Program

- Clearly define a process and scoring guide to ensure consistency across the state
- Build a pool of designated teachers for leadership opportunities

Master Teacher Criteria

- 1. Consistent Leadership**
- 2. Focused Collaboration**
- 3. Distinguished Teaching – Focus on Students and Environment**
- 4. Distinguished Teaching - Focus on Content, Instruction and Assessment**
- 5. Continued Professional Growth**

Master Teacher Portfolio

- Form C – Directions for Narrative
- 12 pgs written
- 10 pgs supporting evidence
- Scored by local committee
- Form D – Scoring Guide

Additional Information

- All forms are on ODE Web site – key word search “Master teacher”
- Power Point is available online

What does this mean to my District?

- If you have an established MT program, continue to run program. It will build capacity for teachers to be eligible for the advanced licenses in 2011.
- If you have not established program, the district can continue to work on putting the program in place for teachers to be eligible for the advanced licenses in 2011.

Contact Information

The MT program and forms can be found:

<http://esb.ode.state.oh.us/>

OR

www.education.ohio.gov

Keyword search: *master teacher*

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