

Create a Timeline for Upgrading to the Professional Certification

My validity period is 07/01/20__ to 06/30/20__

Create your own timeline strategy for completing your upgrade requirements (always refer to your SOE for your unique requirements):

Year 1

Year 2

Year 3

Year 4

Year 5

Have all upgrade requirements completed by January 20__, of the year that your temporary certificate expires.



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Options to complete the Professional Preparation Coursework

SOE (Statement of Eligibility)	Indian River State College	Florida Southern College	University of Phoenix
1 Classroom Management	EDG 4410 - Classroom Management and Communication (3 credits)	EDU 3333 - Foundations of Education III (2 credits) (This class meets two of your requirements.)	EDUC 521 - Classroom Management for Educators (3 credits)
2 Educational Assessment Practices	EDF 4430 - Measurement, Evaluation, and Assessment (3 credits)	EDU 2235 - Methods of Assessments (4 credits)	EDUC 524 - Assessment and Evaluation for Educators (3 credits)
3 Effective Instructional Techniques & Strategies	EDG 3343 - Instructional Strategies (3 credits) (Only offered Fall/Spring)	EDU 3333 – Foundations of Education III (2 credits) (This class meets two of your requirements.)	EDUC 522 - Curriculum Development and Instruction (3 credits)
4 Child and Adolescent Development	EDF 3214 - Human Development and Learning (3 credits) (Only offered Fall/Spring)	EDU 1107 - Foundations of Education I (4 credits)	EDUC 525 - Theories of Growing and Learning (3 credits) OR EDUC 526 - Overview of Adolescent Psychology (3 credits)
5 Instructional Strategy for ESOL Students	TSL 4100 - Methods, Curriculum, and Assessment (3 credits) (Can apply towards one ESOL Endorsement course.)	EDU 3279 - Foundations of ESOL I (4 credits)	TESOL 571 - Instructional Techniques and Methods (3 credits)
6 Instructional Practices in Reading	RED 3342 - Foundations of Research-Based Practices in Reading Education & Application of Instruction (3 credits) (Can apply towards one Reading Endorsement course.) OR RED 4348 - Literacy Development K-12 (3 credits)	EDU 3370 - Differentiated Instruction of Reading, (4 credits) OR EDU 4457 - Reading & Writing in the Content Areas (1 credit)	RDNG 501 - Reading Methods: Elementary (3 credits) OR RDNG 502 - Reading Methods: Secondary (3 credits)

*NOTE: You may waive one course (choose one from bullet points 1-4) with one year of teaching experience. ESOL and Reading courses cannot be waived.

*EPI (Educator Preparation Institute) programs will not be accepted to waive the Professional Education Exam.

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