



Licensure CEU Requirements

Licensed personnel includes: PE, Art, Music, and Drama teachers, as well as Specialists/Student Service Personnel-Guidance Counselors, Family Specialists, Media Coordinators, Instructional Technology Specialists, School Psychologists and Speech Pathologists.

Teachers and Licensed Personnel in Pre-K and Grades 9 - 12 must complete during each five-year renewal cycle, 8.0 total renewal credits that meet the following requirements:

- 3.0 renewal credits in their Academic Subject (**Content**) areas, (aligned to Standards 3 or 4)
- 3.0 General credits (not to include years of experience) at the discretion of the LEA.
- 2.0 Digital Learning Competencies (**new requirement**)

Teachers and Licensed Personnel in Grades K - 8 must complete, during each five-year renewal cycle, 8.0 total renewal credits that meet the following requirements:

- 3.0 renewal credits in their Academic Subject (**Content**) areas, (aligned to Standards 3 and 4)
- 3.0 Literacy credits as defined by statute GS 115C-296 (see literacy component below)
- 2.0 Digital Learning credits approved at the discretion of the LEA (**new requirement**)

Teachers completing their first National Board Certification process may earn all 8.0 credits including your Academic and Literacy requirements. Those who are in the ten year national board renewal cycle may earn 2.0 credits. Credits cannot be split between two renewal cycles. Credits awarded for the renewal of an individual's National Board for Professional Teaching Standards certification are:

- 1.0 credit awarded for the Academic Content Sub Group requirement
- 1.0 credit awarded for the Literacy Sub Group requirement

School Administrators must earn a total of 8.0 renewal credits during each five-year renewal cycle that meet the following requirements:

- 3.0 renewal credits that align with the expectations of the North Carolina School **Executive Standards** 2, 4, and 5, focused on the school executive's role as instructional, human resources, and managerial leader
- 3.0 General credits approved at the discretion of the LEA
- 2.0 Digital Learning Competencies (**new requirement**)

Please Note: *Administrators* (principals, assistant principals, central office) are not responsible for the literacy requirement. They are responsible for leadership areas.

CEU Literacy Component (Only K - 8 Teachers and Licensed Personnel)

"Literacy renewal credits shall include evidence-based assessment, diagnosis, and intervention strategies for students not demonstrating reading proficiency. Oral language, Phonemic and Phonological Awareness, Phonics, Vocabulary, Fluency, and Comprehension shall be addressed in literacy-related activities leading to license renewal for elementary school teachers."

CEU Digital Competencies K - 12 Teachers and Licensed Personnel

"Leadership in Digital Learning: Teachers will demonstrate leadership in accelerating their integration of digital teaching and learning pedagogies. **Digital Citizenship:** Teachers will model and teach digital citizenship by the ethical, respectful, and safe use of digital tools and resources that support the creation of a positive digital school culture. **Data and Assessment:** Teachers will use technology to make data more accessible, adjust instruction to better meet the needs of a diverse learner population, and reflect upon their practice through the consistent, effective use of assessment." (For more information see [NC Digital Teaching & Learning Competencies for Classroom Teachers on our website.](#))

* The General credit breakdown is subject to change based on N.C. State Board of Education Policy.