



There are many pathways to becoming an educator.
Here's a quick guide to becoming a...

Substitute Teacher - CA

Day-to-day guest teacher in any classroom, including preschool, K-12, or in classes organized primarily for adults



Bachelor's Degree

California Basic Educational Skills Test (CBEST) or Alternatives to the CBEST
[https://www.ctc.ca.gov/credentials/leaflets/basic-skills-requirement-\(cl-667\)](https://www.ctc.ca.gov/credentials/leaflets/basic-skills-requirement-(cl-667))

Fingerprinting
www.sdcoe.net/credentials

30-Day Permit
www.sdcoe.net/credentials

Apply through Edjoin.org or directly through the school/district

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For Complete Credential Information and Details See ctc.ca.gov/credentials

TIPS!

Substitute teaching is a great way to better determine if teaching is the career for you as well as allowing you to get to know a school/district.

Information about California educator credentialing assessments at ctcexams.nesinc.com

SDCOE has CBEST, CSET, and RICA test prep!

30-day substitute teacher permit allows the holder to serve as a substitute for no more than 30 days for any one teacher during the school year or no more than 20 days in a school year for a special education teacher

The school/district will let you know what level of clearance and type of fingerprints are required. SDCOE has fingerprinting services on our main campus and in San Marcos. www.sdcoe.net/credentials

Videos to help you prepare for a teaching career at bit.ly/EDUcareervideos