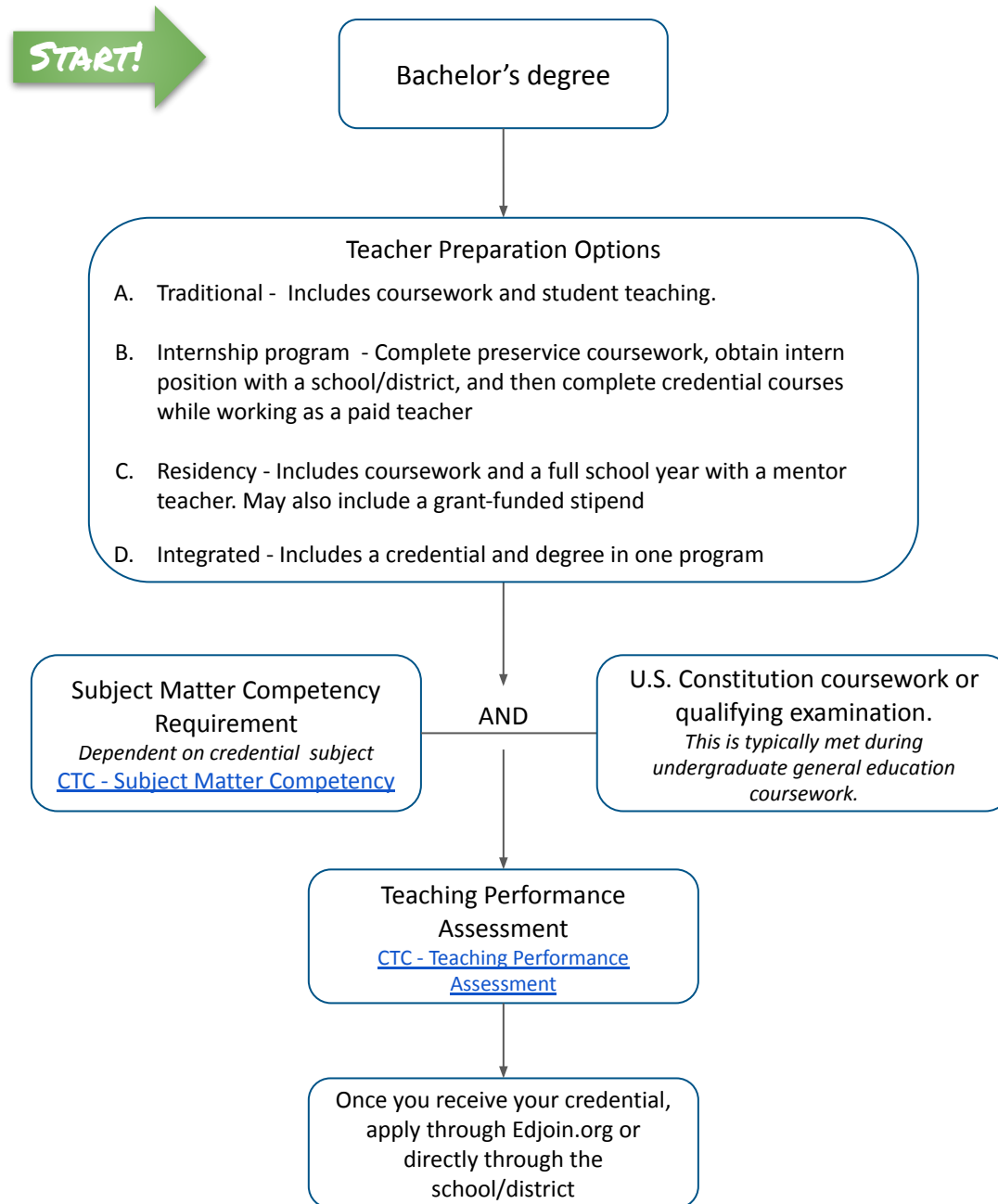


Single Subject Credential - CA

Credential used for departmentalized classes, such as those in most middle schools and high schools or in classes organized primarily for adults. It is also found in lower grades, particularly for subjects such as physical education or visual & performing arts (VAPA) subjects.



TIPS!

The Basic Skills Requirement (BSR) has changed! Many teacher candidates used to take the CBEST. Now a bachelor's degree from a regionally-accredited institution eliminates this requirement for most credentials.
[CTC - Basic Skills Requirement](#)

If your degree is from outside the US, you must have your transcripts evaluated by an approved agency. [CTC - Foreign Transcript Evaluation.](#)

See sdcoe.net/credentials if you hold a credential from out-of-state/country.

You may or may not need to take California Subject Examinations for Teachers (CSET).

[CTC - Subject Matter Requirement](#)

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

SDCOE has intern credential programs and free test prep!

sdcoe.net/teacherprep

Certificate of Clearance (fingerprinting/background check) is required before student teaching.

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

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For complete credential information and details See ctc.ca.gov/credentials