



DALLAS ISD ACP PHASE 65 ROAD TO TEACHING CERTIFICATION

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Apply

Application Launch: September 1, 2025
Application Deadline: January 29, 2026

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Mock Lesson & Selection Process

An online mock lesson will be conducted by using HireVue and submitting a video of its presentation. Once submitted, the mock lesson will be scored by the committee.

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Orientation

March 4, 2025 (Invite Only)

Once applicants have been accepted into the program, candidates will participate in a Phase I, II, III program overview.

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Phase I: Content Test Preparation

March 9, 2026 - June 5, 2026

Candidates will participate in content test preparation, guidance for the TExES content test and 50 hours of field-based and video-based observation. Candidates must pass all required exams before proceeding to Phase II.

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Phase II: Pre-Service Training

June 10, 2026 - July 9, 2026

Teacher candidates will engage in a rigorous, research based pre-service training curriculum. This curriculum encompasses four essential skills that will give first year teachers the foundations for a strong start. Coursework is continually updated to provide the most relevant and effective classroom preparation. During this time teacher candidates will be closely monitored through performance benchmarks, to determine classroom readiness.

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Phase III: Internship

August 2026 - May 2027

During this time, you will lead your own classroom, as a full time teacher of record with full compensation and benefits. Throughout your internship, you will be assigned a Field Experience Facilitator & campus based mentor teacher who will provide you with coaching & feedback. Candidates will participate in coursework that encompasses your 300 required hours.