



Orange County Department of Education
Educational Services
Curriculum, Instruction and Academic Enrichment

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GATE CERTIFICATION

Ignite Potential, Elevate Minds - Become GATE Certified!

Earn a certification to teach students who are gifted and talented through research-based strategies at half the cost of a university program. Sessions will focus on characteristics of students who are gifted (including diverse gifted populations), and differentiation utilizing the GATE standards of acceleration, depth, complexity, and novelty, as well as strategies to enhance, enrich, and extend learning for all students.



Dates

September 16, 2026
October 15, 2026
November 18, 2026

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Location: *Orange County
Department of Education*
200 Kalmus Dr.
Costa Mesa, CA 92626

Cost: \$600

REGISTRATION INCLUDES:

- ✓ GATE CERTIFICATION
- ✓ 3 Days of professional learning
- ✓ Binder of training materials
- ✓ Set of Depth & Complexity Prompts
- ✓ Continental breakfast
- ✓ Lunch
- ✓ Professional development hours with district approval
- ✓ Graduate credits available through UMASS Global

REGISTER HERE:

<http://ocde.k12oms.org/1287-278132>

Register by **September 11, 2026** (space is limited).

Cancellations must be made 2 weeks prior to the event to receive a refund of payment or to avoid being charged.



For content questions contact Julie Hull at Jhull@ocde.us
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LCAP: Conditions of Learning & Engagement- Implementation of State Standards - Pupil Engagement
CA MTSS: Whole child - Academic and Social Emotional Instruction