Leading Educators through Alternative Pathways

Alternative Licensure Program for Teachers



Take a LEAP. Become a Teacher. Make a Difference.

Visit <u>CESLEAP.org</u> for applicant requirements.

CES

Engage in relevant coursework aligned to daily instruction.

Become a community builder for New Mexico kids.

✓ APTITUDE-DRIVEN

✓ AFFORDABLE

✓ APPLICABLE

✓ ACHIEVABLE

Applicant Portal
CESLEAP.org

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You can soar when you LEAP!

Qualified Candidates

- Bachelor's degree.
- School district recommendation with intent-to-hire as a teacher-of-record.
- Completed PED background check.

LEAP Curriculum and Supports

- Instruction includes monthly face-to-face weekend sessions and self-paced on-line modules (270 hours).
- Candidates are required to attend an In-Person preservice institute the week of July 18-20 (8:30 am-4 pm).
- Monthly professional development held in designated regions (Saturday 9am-4 pm/1 x month).

GEN ED and SPED Licensure

- Candidates will receive instruction in both areas and are able to apply for both a General (Elementary K-8 or Secondary 6-12) AND Special Education License (candidate must be teacher-of-record to apply for each license).
- O Curriculum includes PED required reading coursework.

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Program Costs

CES

| Semester One: July - December | \$1500.00 |
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| Semester Two: January - June | \$1500.00 |

Tuition Total for 2024-2025 School Year...\$3000.00

Plus

| Application Fee | \$50 |
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| Estimated Book Cost | \$350.00 |

Any candidate costs associated with travel for Summer Pre-Service Institute and regional meetings

Monthly Training.....\$ (lodging, meals, gas, etc.)

The Application Process Requires:

\$50 Application Fee Signed

Application Transcripts (unofficial)

Resume

Reference Letters x2

District Intent to Hire Letter

Written Letter of Interest

Interview with LEAP Coach