**Definitions and Requirements:**

**Associate Educator License:** Valid for 3 years of teaching; temporary and nonrenewable.

**Bachelor’s Degree:** Required for a Professional Educator License. Enrollment required for Associate Educator License. CTE: Bachelor’s Degree is not required.

**Clinical Experience:** Demonstrating all competencies in a classroom setting, sometimes called “Student Teaching.”

**Content Competencies:** All content knowledge and skills related to the subject matter you will teach. See individual content endorsement applications for more information.

**Content Prerequisite:** One of following meets this requirement: content exam (Praxis), degree major in endorsement-specific subject, or minimum content standards as outlined in endorsement application.

**Pedagogy/Pedagogical:** The process of teaching/relating to instructional practices.

**Pedagogical Competencies:** Knowledge, skills, and dispositions required to proficiently do the work of teaching or instruction.

**Pedagogical Performance Assessment:** Multi-part, task-based assessment of knowledge, skills, and dispositions to demonstrate understanding of the teaching cycle.

**Pedagogical Prerequisite:** One of following meets this requirement: Pedagogical Modules on Canvas or a completed Professional Educator License in another license area.

**Professional Educator License:** Valid for 5 years; standard license; renewable.