



Application for the Utah State Board of Education Dual Language Immersion Endorsement

A Dual Language Immersion Endorsement may be attached to an Educator License with an Early Childhood, Elementary, or Secondary area of concentration

Applicant Information

Name _____ Date application submitted _____

Cactus ID _____ Email _____

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Home/Cell Phone _____ Work Phone _____

District _____ School _____

Select One: ___ This is an application for a Dual Language Immersion Endorsement

 Select Route: ___1 ___2 ___3 ___4

 ___ This is an application for a State Approved Endorsement Plan (SAEP)

Instructions for Completing the Application

- All applications submitted on or after July 1, 2017 must include documentation of completing either route 1, 2, 3, or 4 of the requirements (see page 2 for details)
- For university courses, attach original transcripts, with the courses **highlighted**. In some cases, the university course name on the transcript is non-specific, e.g. "Special Topics in Education". If this is the case, submit either a syllabus from the course or a letter from the instructor or department verifying that the course meets the requirement.
- All applications submitted on or after July 1, 2017 must include documentation of passing either the ACTFL OPI or the UFLA Oral Proficiency Test at the Advanced-Mid level.
- Mailing information for this application is found on Page 3.

University and Professional Development Coursed Approved by USBE

- Courses are to be a minimum of three semester hours.
- Courses are to be 3000 level or above.
- Courses are to be taken within five years of the date of this application.
- Courses taken online will be accepted if through an accredited university.
- Professional Development courses must be pre-approved by USBE and entered in Midas.

Dual Language Immersion Endorsement Routes

1. Utah University Route 1 – Utah Universities offering the DLI Endorsement:

- Brigham Young University, 2012
- University of Utah, 2012
- Weber State University, 2012
- Utah State University, 2013
- Utah Valley University, 2013
- Dixie State University, 2014
- Southern Utah University, 2015

2. USBE Route 2 (ESL endorsement + 1 year of DLI + 1 year of AUDII + Advanced-Mid OPI)

- Utah ESL endorsement
- Foundations of Dual Language Immersion (state-approved course)
- One year of teaching in a Dual Language Immersion program
- Attendance of Annual Utah Dual Immersion Institute for 1 year.
- Advanced-Mid or higher oral proficiency rating on the ACTFL scale

3. USBE Route 3 (4 courses + 1 year of DLI + 1 year of AUDII +Advanced-Mid OPI)

- Foundations of Dual Language Immersion (state-approved course)
- Content-based Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment (or similar)
- Second Language Literacy Development (or similar)
- Methods of Second Language Acquisition (or similar)
- One year of teaching in a Dual Language Immersion program
- Attendance of Annual Utah Dual Immersion Institute for 1 year.
- Advanced-Mid or higher oral proficiency rating on the ACTFL scale

4. USBE Route 4 (1 Course + 2 years of AUDII + 1 year of teaching DLI + Advanced-Mid OPI)

- Foundations of Dual Language Immersion (state-approved course)
- Attendance of Annual Utah Dual Immersion Institute for 2 years
 - Secondary, recommended to substitute 2nd year of AUDII for language-specific Advanced Placement (AP) Course
- One year of teaching in a Dual Language Immersion program
- Advanced-Mid or higher oral proficiency rating on the ACTFL scale

State Approved Endorsement Program (SAEP)

- An approved SAEP for Dual Language Immersion allows a Licensed Teacher to teach Dual Language Immersion classes while working on the Dual Language Immersion Endorsement—meaning they are not yet qualified in Dual Language Immersion.
- The applicant has two years from the date of the SAEP is approved to complete all requirements for the endorsement.
- The applicant must document either a minimum of six hours toward the endorsement or already have a World Language Endorsement in the language of instruction before applying for the SAEP.

Submitting the Application

- Print and complete this Dual Language Immersion Endorsement Application.
- Attach proof of completion of Route 1, Route 2, Route 3, or Route 4.
- Attach original transcript(s) and/or Midas printouts with the relevant course **highlighted**.

For Electronic Transcripts: Original Transcripts with courses highlighted is preferred. They do not need to be sealed in an envelope, but they need to be originals and on college/university transcript paper. Photocopies of transcripts that you have electronically received will not be accepted. We will accept electronic transcripts only if they are sent directly from the college/university through a transcript clearinghouse to transcripts@schools.utah.gov. Transcripts should be sent before you submit your endorsement application. Please note on the application that transcripts have been sent electronically.

For those who are submitting an Out-of-State (OOS) or Alternative Routes to Licensure (ARL) please attach this completed endorsement form to it.

Mailing Instructions

- Send completed application
- Attach highlighted original transcript(s), and/or completion requirements to application
- Send everything to:
USBE Licensing
250 East 500 South
P.O. Box 144200F
Salt Lake City, UT 84114-4200

For more information contact:

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