

# ELEMENTARY ARTS INTEGRATION SPECS

Competencies and Requirements to Earn the Endorsement

This endorsement may be attached to a Utah Educator License with an Elementary or K-12 special education area of concentration. This endorsement cannot stand alone as a route to licensure and does not qualify an educator to teach in the Beverley Taylor Sorenson Arts Learning Program.

### **Endorsement Type Requirements:**

Add the endorsement to existing license area

### **Endorsement Competency Requirement Areas:**

- 1. Art Form Basic Knowledge and Skills
- 2. Knowledge and skills related to teaching arts integration in various contexts
- 3. Knowledge and skills related to assessment of arts integration
- 4. Knowledge and skills related to the other three artforms
- 5. Knowledge and skills related to implementation of arts integration
- 6. Knowledge and skills related to leadership in arts and arts integration
- 7. Knowledge and skills related to advocacy for arts education and arts integration education

# Competency-Based Portfolio:

Portfolio evidence of college-level competence in each category. Please see the checklist for each competency area.

# Earning the Endorsement:

For each of the following competency requirement areas, an individual may select the Coursework option or the other method of demonstrated competency. Only ONE option per competency area is required. Documentation must be submitted to satisfy each of the requirements. If the course name and number do not exactly match the category, please include a course description in your application. Applicants must earn a C or higher in the course(s) taken.

If meeting the competency through coursework, courses may count in more than one category.

- 1. Orientation to arts integration in Utah's schools.
  - a. *Competencies* include but not limited to:
    - Knowledge and skills related to effective implementation of arts integration.

#### Options to Demonstrate Competency:

- Coursework Option:
  - Orientation to Arts Integration in Utah's Schools
- Demonstrated Competency Portfolio Option
  - Evidence of knowledge, skills and dispositions needed for effective arts integration implementation in school.
- 2. Knowledge and skills of arts integration.

#### Competencies include but not limited to:

- Demonstrate ability to teach integrated arts in various contexts.
- Demonstrate ability to assess integrated arts.

#### Options to Demonstrate Competency:

- Coursework Option:
  - Three credit hours and four days of approved conferences/workshops
- Demonstrated Competency Portfolio Option
  - Teach arts integration in various contexts
  - Assess learning in arts integration.
- 3. Participate in educator events for the other three art forms including reflection and application in the classroom.

### Competencies include but not limited to:

- Demonstrated understanding of the other three art forms.
- Demonstrated reflection of the other three art forms in the classroom setting.
- Demonstrated understanding of application of the other three art forms in the classroom.

# Options to Demonstrate Competency:

- Coursework Option:
  - Two credit course completion in the following:
    - The other three art forms with included reflection and application in the classroom.
- Demonstrated Competency Portfolio Option
  - The other three art forms
  - Reflection of the other three art forms

- o Application of the other three art forms in the classroom.
- 4. Implementation/leadership/advocacy

### Competencies include but not limited to:

- Effectively implement integrated arts education
- Effective lead in the school environment as at arts integration instructor
- Effectively advocate for arts integration

#### Options to Demonstrate Competency:

- Coursework Option:
  - o Two credit course completion in all of the following:
    - Implementation of arts integration
    - Leadership in arts integration
    - Advocacy for arts integration
- Demonstrated Competency Portfolio Option
  - Demonstrated effective implementation of integrated arts education
  - o Demonstrated effective leadership in the arts in the school setting
  - o Demonstrated effective advocacy for art arts integration.

# Applying for the Endorsement:

Submit all documentation and application form to Educator Licensing through SM Apply (<a href="https://usbelicensing.smapply.us/">https://usbelicensing.smapply.us/</a>). Transcripts must be submitted to <a href="mailto:transcripts@schools.utah.gov">transcripts@schools.utah.gov</a> directly from your college or university.