

Guidance on CT Certification for Advanced Programs

Educational Leadership, Reading, School Counseling, School Psychology, Speech Language Pathology

Get Started with the Certification Process

- Visit the Connecticut State Department of Education's certification portal (CECS): [Connecticut Educator Certification System](#)
- Create an account or log in to your existing account.

Submit the ED 126 Form

- Download the ED 126 form [here](#).
- Have the school district(s) where you worked complete the form.
- **Mail** the completed form to the CSDE.
- **Also email a copy** to the SCSU Certification Officer at: certification@southernct.edu

Who needs to submit ED 126?

Certification Type	Requirement
092 – Intermediate Administrator	At least 50 school months of successful teaching or service.
093 – Superintendent	At least 80 school months of successful teaching/service, including 30 months of admin experience.
102 – Remedial Reading & Language Arts	At least 30 school months of classroom teaching experience.
097 – Reading Consultant	Same as 102 + 10 months of experience under the 102 certificate.
061 – Speech & Language Pathologist	Not required.
068 – School Counselor	Not required.
070 – School Psychology	Only required if you worked under a certification w/deficiency during your internship.

Internship/Practicum Courses by Program

When completing the Institutional Recommendation Request, please be sure to enter the internship/practicum information that corresponds with your program and course listed below

Program	Courses
092 – Intermediate Administrator	EDL 687 & EDL 688
093 – Superintendent	EDL 687 & EDL 688
102 – Remedial Reading & Language Arts	RDG 568 & RDG 659
097 – Reading Consultant	RDG 665 & RDG 676
061 – Speech & Language Pathologist	CMD 562
068 – School Counselor	CSP 675
070 – School Psychology	CSP 652

Test Scores

If your certification requires a test, we'll check your scores. If we can't locate them, we'll reach out to you.