

# GRADUATE CERTIFICATE EFFECTIVE TEACHING IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

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Alternatively certified teachers can now fulfill all the requirements to transition to permanent licensure while also earning a graduate certificate from Oklahoma State University. **The Graduate Certificate for Effective Teaching in Elementary Schools** is completed fully online through the School of Teaching, Learning and Educational Sciences in the College of Education, Health and Aviation.

## APPLICATION PROCESS

To be considered for admission to the program, applicants must complete and submit the following:

- ▷ OSU Graduate College Application online at [gradcollege.okstate.edu/apply](http://gradcollege.okstate.edu/apply)
- ▷ Non-refundable application fee
- ▷ Transcripts from all previously attended institutions
- ▷ Statement of goals
- ▷ Academic resume or curriculum vitae

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis. Applicants will be notified of admission status within four to six weeks of submission. To be considered for admission to the program, applicants must have:

- ▷ Undergraduate degree from an accredited university
- ▷ Current alternative or emergency teaching certificate

## COURSEWORK

Successful completion of the program requires 15 credit hours (five courses and a practicum) of online, graduate-level coursework. Credit hours are transferable to the M.S. in Teaching, Learning and Leadership option in K-12 education.

- ▷ CIED 4362 Design & Management of the Elementary Classroom
- ▷ CIED 5120 Practicum for Early Career Elementary Teachers
- ▷ CIED 5893 Reading Processes & Practices (Grades 1-8)
- ▷ SMED 5013 Mathematics Education: Theory & Practice
- ▷ CIED 5323 Teaching Social Studies in the Schools
- ▷ SMED 5083 Teaching Science in the Elementary School (Grades 1-8)

## MORE INFORMATION

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