



COMMISSIONER'S GUIDANCE

Rule 21, Nebraska Entry Permit

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Commissioner's Guidance on Nebraska Entry Permit: Rule 21

Subject: Rule 21
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The Nebraska Department of Education (NDE) has created a new permit type in accordance with LB1218 which was passed and signed into law during the last legislative session. The Nebraska Entry Permit has been designed to for those who have completed an alternative program in another state and have a current certificate or permit which has been valid for at least one year. In addition, the applicant must, submit official transcripts showing all college credit earned, submit an institutional verification form showing the earned endorsement(s), submit a written request from the superintendent or governing body of the school system in which the applicant intends to teach or administer and not have pending any investigation or complaints against the certificate or permit. Applicants who apply for the Nebraska Entry Teaching Permit must show evidence of a baccalaureate degree. Applicants who apply for a Nebraska Entry Administrative Permit must show evidence of a Master's degree in Educational Administration or Educational Leadership, or received a subject matter Master's degree with completion of additional coursework in an approve program in the area(s) of endorsement sought by the applicant.

More information on the Nebraska Entry Permit is available now on the Educator Certification webpage.