

Programming & Software Development

Endorsement Application for the Utah State Board of Education

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name:

CACTUS ID#:

Email:

PURPOSE

This endorsement is intended for certified teachers interested in teaching programming and software development courses. It is attached to a current Utah Educator License with a license area of concentration in **Secondary** or **CTE** Education.

Prerequisite Requirement

CTE Knowledge

Associate Level Requirements

Complete **TWO** of the competency areas.

This endorsement is non-renewable and valid for up to three school years before it expires.

Professional Level Requirements

Complete **ALL** the competency areas.

ENDORSEMENT COMPETENCY AREAS

1. *CTE Knowledge (REQUIRED)*

Select one of the following options:

- ☐ USBE Course: [CTE Orientation Canvas](#) course
- ☐ Complete THREE years of full-time CTE Teaching in Utah
- ☐ Currently hold a professional-level CTE endorsement

2. *Software Programming*

Select one of the following options:

- ☐ A bachelor's degree in computer science
University:
Degree:
- ☐ PRAXIS #5652
- ☐ Utah State University CS Teaching Program (3 courses)
- ☐ Software Development Industry Exam
- ☐ NES: Test #315: Computer Science
- ☐ University Course
University:

Course code:

Course name:

Semester/Year:

Grade:

- ☐ Harvard EdX: CS50X

3. *Programming Language*

Select one of the following options:

- ☐ A bachelor's degree in computer science

University:

Degree:

- ☐ PRAXIS #5652

- ☐ Utah State University CS Teaching Program (3 courses)

- ☐ NES: Test #315: Computer Science

- ☐ Industry Certification (choose one)

- ☐ C# Knowledge Pillars C# Coding Specialist
- ☐ Python: Certiport ITS Python
- ☐ Python: Knowledge Pillars Python Coding Specialist
- ☐ Java: Certiport ITS Java
- ☐ Java: Knowledge Pillars Java Coding Specialist
- ☐ JavaScript: Certiport ITS JavaScript
- ☐ JavaScript: Knowledge Pillars JavaScript Coding Specialist

- ☐ University Course

University:

Course code:

Course name:

Semester/Year:

Grade:

- ☐ Ed2go (Choose One)

- ☐ Introduction to C# Programming
- ☐ Introduction to C++ Programming
- ☐ Introduction to Java Programming
- ☐ Introduction to JavaScript
- ☐ Introduction to Python Programming

- ☐ Harvard EdX: CS50W

4. *Database*

Select one of the following options:

- ☐ A bachelor's degree in computer science

University:

Degree:

- ☐ PRAXIS #5652

- ☐ Utah State University CS Teaching Program (2 courses)

- ☐ NES: Test #315: Computer Science

- ☐ Certiport ITS Databases Exam

- ☐ University Course

University:

Course code:

Course name:

Semester/Year:

Grade:

5. *Game Development*

Select one of the following options:

- ☐ A bachelor's degree in computer science

University:

Degree:

- ☐ PRAXIS #5652
- ☐ Utah State University CS Teaching Program (3 courses)
- ☐ Unity Certified User Industry Exam
- ☐ NES: Test #315: Computer Science
- ☐ University Course

University:

Course code:

Course name:

Semester/Year:

Grade:

- ☐ Coursera: Game Design: Art & Concepts Specialization

6. *Web Development Asset Creation*

Select one of the following options:

- ☐ A bachelor's degree in computer science

University:

Degree:

- ☐ PRAXIS #5652
- ☐ Utah State University CS Teaching Program (3 courses)
- ☐ Adobe Photoshop Industry Exam
- ☐ NES: Test #315: Computer Science
- ☐ Photoshop Image Editing USBE Microcredential
- ☐ University Course

University:

Course code:

Course name:

Semester/Year:

Grade:

7. *Digital Literacy*

Select one of the following options:

- ☐ USBE Digital Literacy Methods Workshop
- ☐ IC3 Digital Literacy Certifications

8. *CTSO Knowledge*

Select one of the following options:

- ☐ SkillsUSA New Advisor Training Canvas Course
- ☐ Attend a CTSO Fall Leadership Conference
- ☐ USBE Microcredential: Career & Technical Student Organizations

APPLICATION SUBMISSION

Submit the application online in the Utah Educator Licensing Application System, [Survey Monkey Apply \(https://usbelicensing.smapply.us\)](https://usbelicensing.smapply.us). Please upload any certifications or documentation that verifies the competencies indicated.