

ALTERNATIVE SPECIAL EDUCATION, PRE K-12

- ✓ Bachelor's Degree (from a regionally accredited college or university) including 30 semester hours in a combination of language arts, mathematics, science, history, fine & performing arts and modern, classical & native language

OR

- ✓ Master's Degree (from a regionally accredited college or university) including 12 graduate hours in a combination of language arts, mathematics, science, history, fine & performing arts and modern, classical & native language

OR

- ✓ Doctor's Degree (from a regionally accredited college or university) in special education

AND

- ✓ Complete 12-21 semester hours in a PED approved alternative program including 6 semester hours of credit in the teaching of reading

AND

- ✓ Passage of the New Mexico Teacher Assessments (NMTA)
 - Basic Skills
 - Teacher Competency (Elementary or Secondary)
 - Content Knowledge Assessment in Special Education

INTERNSHIP LICENSE

A 3-year non-renewal internship license will be granted to allow for completion of the program and testing.

- ✓ Submit a Letter of Acceptance into the Alternative Teacher Education Program as part of the Application Packet.

Download Application: <http://www.ped.state.nm.us/Licensure/index.html>

NMAC Rule: <http://www.nmcpr.state.nm.us/nmac/parts/title06/06.060.0003.htm>