

State	NYS Reciprocity?	Quick Look	More Information
Alabama (AL)	Yes	Applicants with NYS Initial Certification can follow the application process through the link provided to receive Alabama educator certification.	http://www.alsde.edu/sec/ec/Pages/outofstatecertificates-all.aspx?navtext=Out of State Certificates
Alaska (AK)	Yes	Specific directions are included in the application in the link provided. Some additional requirements include taking an Alaska Multicultural or Alaska Studies course and a basic competency exam (LAST or ALST qualifies as a BCE).	https://education.alaska.gov/TeacherCertification/forms/initial.pdf
Arizona (AZ)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification are eligible for certification and may complete the application in the link provided.	http://www.azed.gov/educator-certification/certificate-requirement/reciprocal-certificates/
Arkansas (AR)	Yes	Applicants with a current or expired NYS initial certification are eligible for certification and may complete the application process provided in the link.	http://www.arkansased.gov/divisions/human-resources-educator-effectiveness-and-licensure/educator-licensure-unit/licensure-by-reciprocity
California (CA)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification can select their content area to follow directions regarding reciprocity.	http://www.ctc.ca.gov/credentials/out-of-state.html
Colorado (CO)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification can select their content area under "First or initial licensure in Colorado" and follow the application requirements. Additional testing may be needed.	http://www.cde.state.co.us/cdeprof/licensure_authorization_landing

Connecticut (CT)	No, but there are pathways available for certification	Applicants from NYS are eligible for certification, depending on qualifications and experience. Applicants may be required to complete state testing and/or licensure requirements. Please refer to the PDF link provided for further information and application directions.	http://www.sde.ct.gov/sde/lib/sde/pdf/cert/obtaining1109aw.pdf
Delaware (DE)	Yes	Applicants can receive comparable certification, pending review of application materials.	https://deeds.doe.k12.de.us/registration/deeds_reg_outofstate.aspx
District of Columbia (DC)	Yes	Educators with Initial Certification with less than 3 years of teaching experience may receive a 3-year provisional teaching license, but may be required to complete additional testing before receiving Standard License (Professional Certification equivalent). Educators with 3+ years of experience can receive a Standard License in which further testing is not usually required. The "Required Supporting Documents" are listed in the link provided.	http://osse.dc.gov/service/international-licensure-agreement-reciprocity
Florida (FL)	Yes	Applicants with current NYS certification are eligible for reciprocity in a comparable certification area with the completion of the application process, pending review.	http://www.fldoe.org/teaching/certification/pathways-routes/certified-teacher-or-administrator.stml
Georgia (GA)	Yes	Applicants with current NYS Certification are eligible for reciprocity in a comparable certification area. Applicants may be required to complete special Georgia requirements.	http://www.gapsc.com/MovetoGeorgia/outOfStateEducators.aspx

Hawaii (HI)	Yes	Out-of-state applicants must submit an HTSB Form LA3009 (EPP recommendation form), which needs to be completed by you and the Coordinator of Certification at Syracuse University's School of Education. Applicants can also submit an official transcript verifying the completion of a teacher preparation program instead of completing the EPP recommendation form. The link to the application and required forms is provided.	http://www.htsb.org/licensing-permits/licensing-permits-overview/
Idaho (ID)	Yes	Applicants with NYS Certification or completion of a teacher preparation program are eligible for a comparable 3-year Idaho Interim Certificate in which they can complete any additional testing and/or coursework that may be required for a 5-year initial certification. Application directions are provided in the link.	https://sde.idaho.gov/cert-psc/cert/apply/out-of-state.html
Illinois (IL)	Yes	Applicants with initial NYS certification are eligible for comparable certification depending on their qualifications and experience, pending application review. Depending on the applicant, Illinois basic skills, content area, and assessment of professional teaching tests may be required or may be waived.	http://www.isbe.net/licensure/requirements/oos-pel-end.pdf
Indiana (IN)	Yes	Applicants must submit several required documents to receive comparable certification. A list of documents required is provided in more information.	http://www.doe.in.gov/licensing/out-state-graduates-how-apply

Iowa (IA)	No	Applicants with NYS initial certification must submit several required documents, including verification form and submission of official transcripts, to receive comparable certification.	Directions for Application: http://www.boee.iowa.gov/forms/oustate.pdf Additional Requirements Listed: http://www.boee.iowa.gov/faqs.html#NonIowaGrads
Kansas (KA)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification are eligible for certification, pending application review and recency.	http://ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=1012
Kentucky (KY)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification are eligible to receive Kentucky teaching license, pending application review, college GPA, and testing.	http://www.kyepsb.net/certification/certstandardroutes.asp
Louisiana (LA)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification are eligible for a 3-year Out of State Certificate. During those three years, educators must complete necessary testing required by Louisiana certification guidelines (no extensions are permitted).	https://www.teachlouisiana.net/Prospect.aspx?PageID=3203
Maine (ME)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification must also submit a copy of their NYS certificate with their application in order to receive comparable certification.	http://www.maine.gov/doe/cert/initial/application/index.html
Maryland (MD)	Yes	Applicants that graduate from a NYS teacher preparation program must submit an application, unofficial transcripts, and complete required Maryland certification exams. If applicant has NYS teaching certification, they may be able to receive waived	http://www.marylandpublicschools.org/MSDE/divisions/certification/certification_branch/certification_inf/apply/docs/obtain_2.htm

Massachusetts (MA)	Yes	All out-of-state applicants must take all required MA exams. Applicants with initial NYS certification and 3+ years of employment can apply for temporary license that expires in one year, during which the applicant can work during this time and take the required Massachusetts tests. If applicant does not have 3+ years of employment, he/she must complete all Massachusetts testing before becoming certified.	http://www.mass.gov/edu/governm ent/departments-and-boards/ese/programs/educator-effectiveness/licensure/academic-prek-12/applying-for-and-checking-the-status-of-a-license.html
Michigan (MI)	Yes	Graduates from a NYS teacher preparation program that have completed the required Michigan certification tests can apply for a Provisional Certificate.	http://www.michigan.gov/documents/mde/Facts_About_Teacher_Certification_In_Michigan_230612_7.pdf
Michigan Cont.		Applicants for a Provisional Certificate that either did not complete the Michigan certification tests, but hold a NYS initial certification can receive a Provisional Temporary Teacher Employment Authorization. This is effective for one year in which one must complete the Michigan certification tests.	
Minnesota (MN)	No	Graduates of a teacher preparation program may apply for Minnesota Professional Certification. Applicants must submit additional materials as part of their application (ex. Official transcript). Certification will be granted pending review of materials.	http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/EdExc/Licen/AppOutStateCountry/index.html
Mississippi (MS)	Yes	Applicants with current NYS initial certification can receive a 5-year license as long as they have completed required examinations similar to the examination requirements for teacher certification in Mississippi.	http://www.mde.k12.ms.us/OEL/RL

Mississippi Cont.		If students have not met examination requirements, they can receive a 2-year reciprocity license during which time they must complete required testing.	
Missouri (MO)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification must submit an application and proof of certification in NYS in order to receive comparable certification in MO. Most applicants do not need to complete any additional testing.	https://dese.mo.gov/educator-quality/certification/become-certified-teacher#holdoutofstatecertificate
Montana (MT)	No	Applicants with NYS initial certification will need to submit an application and several additional materials verifying completion of teacher preparation program, certification, and student teaching. Applicants will receive certification based on evaluation of materials.	http://www.opi.mt.gov/cert/FAQ/faq.html#license
Nebraska (NE)	Yes	Applicants can receive comparable certification, pending review of application materials.	http://www.education.ne.gov/tcert/pdfs/Manual.pdf
Nevada (NV)	Yes	Applicants can receive comparable certification, pending review of application materials.	http://www.doe.nv.gov/Educator_Licensure/FAQs/
New Hampshire (NH)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification or completion of teacher preparation program in another state, can apply and receive comparable certification pending review of application materials. Follow the "Alternative 2" memo for further directions provided in the following link.	http://www.education.nh.gov/certification/index.htm
New Jersey (NJ)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification are eligible to receive comparable teaching license in NJ, pending application and material review. Additional NJ testing may apply to some applicants.	http://www.state.nj.us/education/educators/license/out/reciprocity.htm
New Mexico (NM)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification must provide materials outlined in the link provided. Applicants are eligible to receive comparable teaching license, pending review of materials.	http://ped.state.nm.us/licensure/2010/dl10/chk1stReciprocityTeacher.pdf

North Carolina (NC)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification are eligible to receive comparable certification in NC pending the review of application and supporting materials.	http://www.dpi.state.nc.us/licensure/beginning/
North Dakota (ND)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification must provide a copy of their current certification in order to receive comparable certification in ND.	http://www.nd.gov/espb/misc/faq.html#Other State Educator License (OSEL)
Ohio (OH)	Yes	Applicants with NYS initial certification must provide evidence and supporting materials of teacher preparation program completion and certification. Applicants can receive comparable license, pending review of application.	https://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Teaching/Educator-Licensure/Out-of-State-Licensure
Oklahoma (OK)	Yes	Applicants with NYS certification are eligible for comparable licensure. Some applicants may need to complete additional requirements or testing.	http://sde.ok.gov/sde/traditional-path-oklahoma-teacher-certification#otherstate
Oregon (OR)	Yes	Applicants with NYS certification are eligible for comparable licensure. If it is determined an applicant needs additional testing, they will be given time to complete the requirements.	http://www.oregon.gov/tspc/Pages/index.aspx
Pennsylvania (PA)	Yes	Applicants with NYS certification are eligible for most comparable certifications. Please see the link provided to find your pathway and application directions.	http://www.education.pa.gov/Teachers%20-%20Administrators/Certifications/Pennsylvania%20Certification/Pages/Out-of-State.aspx#.VznUmqPD-mQ
Rhode Island (RI)	Yes	Applicants with NYS certification are eligible for comparable certification. See question 7 for a list of required application directions and materials.	http://www.ride.ri.gov/Portals/0/Uploads/Documents/Teachers-and-Administrators-Excellent-Educators/Educator-Certification/Cert-main-page/Certification_FAQ.pdf

South Carolina (SC)	Yes	Applicants with NYS certification are eligible for comparable certification. See a list of materials required to apply for certification in the link provided.	http://ed.sc.gov/educators/teaching-in-south-carolina/out-of-state-teachers/
South Dakota (SD)	Yes	A one-year certificate will be granted to those who have completed an approved teacher preparation program out of state. Before the initial certificate expires, applicants must complete a 3-credit Indian Studies course, a 3-credit Human Relations course, and the required Praxis II tests.	http://www.doe.sd.gov/oatq/teachercert.aspx
South Dakota Cont.		A five-year certificate will be granted to those who have completed an approved teacher preparation program and have passed the required courses and required Praxis II tests.	
Tennessee (TN)	Yes	Applicants with a bachelor's degree that have completed or are in the process of completing an approved teacher preparation program are eligible for comparable licensure. See the link provided for additional information regarding application directions and required application materials.	http://tn.gov/education/topic/apply-for-a-license
Texas (TX)	Yes	Applicants with NYS certification must apply for a credential review to determine eligibility for test waivers and Texas certification. Some certified applicants will receive a temporary license in which they must complete additional testing within a certain period of time.	http://tea.texas.gov/Texas_Educators/Certification/Out-of-State_Certification/Out-of-State_Certified_Educators/
Utah (UT)	Yes	Applicants with NYS certification are eligible for comparable licensure, but they must complete the required testing. See the link provided for the materials required to apply for certification.	http://www.schools.utah.gov/cert/OOS.aspx
Vermont (VT)	Yes	Applicants with NYS certification are eligible for comparable licensure. Additional testing is required for <i>some</i> endorsement areas.	http://education.vermont.gov/licensing/become-an-educator/reciprocity

Virginia (VA)	Yes	Applicants who have graduated from an out-of-state approved teacher preparation program and/or hold initial NYS certification are eligible for comparable certification. Applicants may be required to complete additional testing unless they have three or more years of professional teaching experience. NOTE: You must have your NYS certification completed before applying for certification if you are pursuing the out-of-state certification pathway.	http://www.doe.virginia.gov/teaching/licensure/multiple_licensure_routes.pdf
Washington (WA)	Yes	Washington will determine if a state approved educator preparation program and degree from a regionally accredited institution meets their basic requirements.	http://www.k12.wa.us/certification/Teacher/Residency.aspx
West Virginia (WV)	Yes	Applicants with NYS certification are eligible for comparable licensure. See page 69 of the attachment for further details and required materials for the application process.	http://apps.sos.wv.gov/adlaw/csr/readfile.aspx?DocId=27099&Format=PDF
Wisconsin (WI)	Yes	Applicants with NYS certification are eligible for comparable licensure. Applicants will most likely have to complete additional testing required for certain endorsement areas.	http://dpi.wi.gov/tepd/pathways/os/applicants
Wyoming (WY)	Yes	Applicants with NYS certification are eligible for comparable licensure. Applicants will most likely have to complete additional testing required for certain endorsement areas.	http://ptsb.state.wy.us/Licensure/BecomingLicensed/tabid/65/Default.aspx