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State/Territory	State licensure educational requirements met by CCU program?	State Agency	Comments
Alabama	Yes	<a href="https://www.alsde.edu/sec/ec/Pages/home.aspx">https://www.alsde.edu/sec/ec/Pages/home.aspx</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Alaska	Yes	<a href="https://education.alaska.gov/teachercertification">https://education.alaska.gov/teachercertification</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
American Samoa	Unknown	<a href="https://www.doe.as/">https://www.doe.as/</a>	Colorado Christian University is unable to determine if this program meets your U.S. territory's education licensure requirements. We encourage you to contact your territory's education licensure department to determine if upon graduation from this program, you will be eligible to apply for teacher licensure in your U.S. territory.
Arizona	Yes	<a href="https://www.azed.gov/educator-certification/">https://www.azed.gov/educator-certification/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Arkansas	Yes	<a href="https://dese.ade.arkansas.gov/Offices/educator-effectiveness/become-an-arkansas-teacher/a-bachelors-degree-your-pathway-to-licensure">https://dese.ade.arkansas.gov/Offices/educator-effectiveness/become-an-arkansas-teacher/a-bachelors-degree-your-pathway-to-licensure</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
California	Yes	<a href="https://www.ctc.ca.gov/">https://www.ctc.ca.gov/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Colorado	Yes	<a href="https://www.cde.state.co.us/cdeprof">https://www.cde.state.co.us/cdeprof</a>	This Colorado Christian University program meets the state of Colorado's educational requirements for initial teacher licensure. It also allows for the transfer of a Colorado teacher license to other states and territories. Please check the requirements of your state or territory to determine any additional requirements needed to secure a teacher license in your state or territory.
Connecticut	Yes	<a href="https://portal.ct.gov/SDE/Services/Teachers-and-Administrators/Certification">https://portal.ct.gov/SDE/Services/Teachers-and-Administrators/Certification</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Delaware	Yes	<a href="https://www.doe.k12.de.us/site/Default.aspx?PageID=3694">https://www.doe.k12.de.us/site/Default.aspx?PageID=3694</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.

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District Of Columbia	Yes	<a href="https://osse.dc.gov/ed-credentials">https://osse.dc.gov/ed-credentials</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Florida	Yes	<a href="http://www.fldoe.org/teaching/certification/">http://www.fldoe.org/teaching/certification/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Georgia	Yes	<a href="https://www.gapsc.com/">https://www.gapsc.com/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Guam	Unknown	<a href="https://sites.google.com/a/gdoe.net/guam-education-board/home">https://sites.google.com/a/gdoe.net/guam-education-board/home</a>	Colorado Christian University is unable to determine if this program meets your U.S. territory's education licensure requirements. We encourage you to contact your territory's education licensure department to determine if upon graduation from this program, you will be eligible to apply for teacher licensure in your U.S. territory.
Hawaii	Yes	<a href="https://hawaiiteacherstandardsboard.org/">https://hawaiiteacherstandardsboard.org/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Idaho	Yes	<a href="https://www.sde.idaho.gov/cert-psc/cert/">https://www.sde.idaho.gov/cert-psc/cert/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Illinois	Yes	<a href="https://www.isbe.net/licensure">https://www.isbe.net/licensure</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Indiana	Yes	<a href="https://www.doe.in.gov/licensing">https://www.doe.in.gov/licensing</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Iowa	Yes	<a href="https://boee.iowa.gov/">https://boee.iowa.gov/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Kansas	Yes	<a href="https://www.ksde.org/Agency/Division-of-Learning-Services/Teacher-Licensure-and-Accreditation">https://www.ksde.org/Agency/Division-of-Learning-Services/Teacher-Licensure-and-Accreditation</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.

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Kentucky	Yes	<a href="http://www.epsb.ky.gov/">http://www.epsb.ky.gov/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Louisiana	Yes	<a href="https://www.teachlouisiana.net/Teachers.aspx?PageID=650">https://www.teachlouisiana.net/Teachers.aspx?PageID=650</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Maine	Yes	<a href="https://www.maine.gov/doe/cert/">https://www.maine.gov/doe/cert/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Maryland	Yes	<a href="http://marylandpublicschools.org/about/Pages/DEE/Certification/index.aspx">http://marylandpublicschools.org/about/Pages/DEE/Certification/index.aspx</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Massachusetts	Yes	<a href="https://www.doe.mass.edu/licensure/">https://www.doe.mass.edu/licensure/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Michigan	Yes	<a href="https://www.michigan.gov/mde/0,4615,7-140-5683_14795---,00.html">https://www.michigan.gov/mde/0,4615,7-140-5683_14795---,00.html</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Minnesota	Yes	<a href="https://mn.gov/pelsb/">https://mn.gov/pelsb/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Mississippi	Yes	<a href="https://www.mdek12.org/OEL">https://www.mdek12.org/OEL</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Missouri	Yes	<a href="https://dese.mo.gov/educator-quality/certification">https://dese.mo.gov/educator-quality/certification</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Montana	Yes	<a href="http://opi.mt.gov/Educators/Licensure/Educator-Licensure">http://opi.mt.gov/Educators/Licensure/Educator-Licensure</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.

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Nebraska	Yes	<a href="https://www.education.ne.gov/TCERT/">https://www.education.ne.gov/TCERT/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Nevada	Yes	<a href="http://www.doe.nv.gov/Educator_Licensure/">http://www.doe.nv.gov/Educator_Licensure/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
New Hampshire	Yes	<a href="https://www.education.nh.gov/who-we-are/division-of-educator-support-and-higher-education/bureau-of-credentialing">https://www.education.nh.gov/who-we-are/division-of-educator-support-and-higher-education/bureau-of-credentialing</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
New Jersey	Yes	<a href="https://www.nj.gov/education/license/">https://www.nj.gov/education/license/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
New Mexico	Yes	<a href="https://webnew.ped.state.nm.us/bureaus/licensure/how-to-apply/early-childhood-pre-kindergarten-3rd-grade/">https://webnew.ped.state.nm.us/bureaus/licensure/how-to-apply/early-childhood-pre-kindergarten-3rd-grade/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
New York	Yes	<a href="http://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/certificate/teachrecotherprogram.html">http://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/certificate/teachrecotherprogram.html</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
North Carolina	Yes	<a href="https://www.dpi.nc.gov/educators/educators-licensure">https://www.dpi.nc.gov/educators/educators-licensure</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
North Dakota	Yes	<a href="https://www.nd.gov/espb/licensure">https://www.nd.gov/espb/licensure</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Northern Marianas	Unknown	<a href="https://www2.ed.gov/about/contacts/state/mp.html">https://www2.ed.gov/about/contacts/state/mp.html</a>	Colorado Christian University is unable to determine if this program meets your U.S. territory's education licensure requirements. We encourage you to contact your territory's education licensure department to determine if upon graduation from this program, you will be eligible to apply for teacher licensure in your U.S. territory.
Ohio	Yes	<a href="http://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Teaching/Licensure">http://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Teaching/Licensure</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.

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Oregon	Yes	<a href="https://www.oregon.gov/tspc/Pages/index.aspx">https://www.oregon.gov/tspc/Pages/index.aspx</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Pennsylvania	Yes	<a href="https://www.education.pa.gov/Educators/Certification/Pages/default.aspx">https://www.education.pa.gov/Educators/Certification/Pages/default.aspx</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Puerto Rico	Unknown	<a href="https://de.pr.gov/">https://de.pr.gov/</a>	Colorado Christian University is unable to determine if this program meets your U.S. territory's education licensure requirements. We encourage you to contact your territory's education licensure department to determine if upon graduation from this program, you will be eligible to apply for teacher licensure in your U.S. territory.
Rhode Island	Yes	<a href="https://www.ride.ri.gov/TeachersAdministrators/EducatorCertification.aspx">https://www.ride.ri.gov/TeachersAdministrators/EducatorCertification.aspx</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
South Carolina	No	<a href="https://ed.sc.gov/educators/certification/">https://ed.sc.gov/educators/certification/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, does not meet your state's educational requirements for licensure since your state requires a PK-12 licensure program and CCU offers a K-12 program. Please contact this state department to determine what additional requirements are needed to apply for teacher licensure in this state.
South Dakota	Yes	<a href="https://doe.sd.gov/certification/">https://doe.sd.gov/certification/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Tennessee	Yes	<a href="https://www.tn.gov/education/licensing.html">https://www.tn.gov/education/licensing.html</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Texas	Yes	<a href="https://tea.texas.gov/texas-educators/certification">https://tea.texas.gov/texas-educators/certification</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.

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Vermont	Yes	<a href="https://education.vermont.gov/educator-licensure/become-a-vermont-educator/traditional-route">https://education.vermont.gov/educator-licensure/become-a-vermont-educator/traditional-route</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Virgin Islands	Unknown	<a href="https://www.vide.vi/human-resources/568-general-certification-requirements.html">https://www.vide.vi/human-resources/568-general-certification-requirements.html</a>	Colorado Christian University is unable to determine if this program meets your U.S. territory's education licensure requirements. We encourage you to contact your territory's education licensure department to determine if upon graduation from this program, you will be eligible to apply for teacher licensure in your U.S. territory.
Virginia	Yes	<a href="https://www.doe.virginia.gov/teaching/licensure/">https://www.doe.virginia.gov/teaching/licensure/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Washington	Yes	<a href="https://www.k12.wa.us/certification">https://www.k12.wa.us/certification</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
West Virginia	Yes	<a href="https://wvde.us/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/Initial-Teacher-Out-of-State-Form-20A-20R.pdf">https://wvde.us/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/Initial-Teacher-Out-of-State-Form-20A-20R.pdf</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Wisconsin	Yes	<a href="https://dpi.wi.gov/licensing/general">https://dpi.wi.gov/licensing/general</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.
Wyoming	Yes	<a href="https://wyomingptsb.com/licensure/becoming-licensed/">https://wyomingptsb.com/licensure/becoming-licensed/</a>	This program, offered by Colorado Christian University, meets your state's educational requirements for licensure after you acquire a Colorado Initial Teacher License. Additional requirements, such as testing or post-degree courses (e.g., the state's history), may apply.