

**VERIFICATION OF EDUCATOR LICENSURE  
 United States of America (USA) & Canada (2016)**

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State	Online database?	Web links/Notes
Alabama	Yes	<a href="https://tcert.alsde.edu/Portal/Public/Pages/SearchCerts.aspx">https://tcert.alsde.edu/Portal/Public/Pages/SearchCerts.aspx</a>
Alaska	Yes	<a href="https://education.alaska.gov/teachercertification/CertificationsSearch.cfm">https://education.alaska.gov/teachercertification/CertificationsSearch.cfm</a>
Arizona	Yes	<a href="https://oacis.azed.gov/PublicOACIS/NormalPages/Educators.aspx">https://oacis.azed.gov/PublicOACIS/NormalPages/Educators.aspx</a>
Arkansas	Yes	<a href="https://adeaels.arkansas.gov/AelsWeb/Search.aspx">https://adeaels.arkansas.gov/AelsWeb/Search.aspx</a>
California	Yes	<a href="http://www.ctc.ca.gov/lookup.html">http://www.ctc.ca.gov/lookup.html</a>
Colorado	Yes	<a href="https://www.colorado.gov/cde/licensing/Lookup/LicenseLookup.aspx">https://www.colorado.gov/cde/licensing/Lookup/LicenseLookup.aspx</a>
Connecticut	Yes	<a href="http://sdeportal.ct.gov/CECSFOI/FOILookup.aspx">http://sdeportal.ct.gov/CECSFOI/FOILookup.aspx</a>
Delaware	Yes	<a href="https://deeds.doe.k12.de.us/public/deeds_pc_findeducator.aspx">https://deeds.doe.k12.de.us/public/deeds_pc_findeducator.aspx</a>
Florida	Yes	<a href="http://app4.fl DOE.org/edcert/Certification_Status.aspx">http://app4.fl DOE.org/edcert/Certification_Status.aspx</a>
Georgia	Yes	<a href="http://www.gapsc.com/Certification/Lookup.aspx">http://www.gapsc.com/Certification/Lookup.aspx</a>
Hawaii	Yes	<a href="https://htsb.ehawaii.gov/htsb-renewals/public-search.html?p1=0">https://htsb.ehawaii.gov/htsb-renewals/public-search.html?p1=0</a>
Idaho	No	<a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/15P3DxzWQ8Cqc-HAuJf_OU06QMPWC3zi7-zrVSSVXt70/viewform">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/15P3DxzWQ8Cqc-HAuJf_OU06QMPWC3zi7-zrVSSVXt70/viewform</a> *must request via online request form.
Illinois	Yes	<a href="http://webprod.isbe.net/ELISInquiry/NormalPages/Educators.aspx">http://webprod.isbe.net/ELISInquiry/NormalPages/Educators.aspx</a>

Indiana	Yes	<a href="https://licenselookup.doe.in.gov/">https://licenselookup.doe.in.gov/</a>
Iowa	Yes	<a href="https://www.iowaonline.state.ia.us/boee/">https://www.iowaonline.state.ia.us/boee/</a>
Kansas	Yes	<a href="https://online.ksde.org/TLL/SearchLicense.aspx">https://online.ksde.org/TLL/SearchLicense.aspx</a> *need educator id # or SS #*
Kentucky	Yes	<a href="https://wd.kyepsb.net/EPsB.WebApps/KECI/">https://wd.kyepsb.net/EPsB.WebApps/KECI/</a>
Louisiana	Yes	<a href="https://www.teachlouisiana.net/teachers.aspx?PageID=416">https://www.teachlouisiana.net/teachers.aspx?PageID=416</a>
Maine	Yes	<a href="https://www.medms.maine.gov/medms_public/ReportPortal/Portal.aspx?CurrentLocation=/Public+Reports/Certification">https://www.medms.maine.gov/medms_public/ReportPortal/Portal.aspx?CurrentLocation=/Public+Reports/Certification</a> *may need SS #
Maryland	No	<a href="https://eisportal.msde.maryland.gov/_layouts/15/educator/Login/Default.aspx">https://eisportal.msde.maryland.gov/_layouts/15/educator/Login/Default.aspx</a> *need to request via form.
Massachusetts	No	<a href="http://www.doe.mass.edu/news/news.aspx?id=5993">http://www.doe.mass.edu/news/news.aspx?id=5993</a> - *may be able to call for request.
Michigan	Yes	<a href="https://mdoe.state.mi.us/MOECs/publiccredentialsearch.aspx">https://mdoe.state.mi.us/MOECs/publiccredentialsearch.aspx</a>
Minnesota	Yes	<a href="http://w20.education.state.mn.us/LicenseLookup/lookup">http://w20.education.state.mn.us/LicenseLookup/lookup</a>
Mississippi	Yes	<a href="https://sso.mde.k12.ms.us/Login/Login.aspx">https://sso.mde.k12.ms.us/Login/Login.aspx</a>
Missouri	Yes	<a href="https://apps.dese.mo.gov/HQT/CredentialListerChecker.aspx">https://apps.dese.mo.gov/HQT/CredentialListerChecker.aspx</a> *need educator id or SS #*
Montana	Yes	<a href="https://apps3.opi.mt.gov/MSEIS/NormalPages/Educators.aspx">https://apps3.opi.mt.gov/MSEIS/NormalPages/Educators.aspx</a>
Nebraska	Yes	<a href="https://dc2.education.ne.gov/tc_lookup/">https://dc2.education.ne.gov/tc_lookup/</a> *really need certificate #*
Nevada	Yes	<a href="http://nvteachersearch.doe.nv.gov/">http://nvteachersearch.doe.nv.gov/</a>
New Hampshire	No	<a href="http://education.nh.gov/certification/index.htm">http://education.nh.gov/certification/index.htm</a> *may need to inquire directly with Department of Education office.
New Jersey	Yes	<a href="https://www20.state.nj.us/DOE_TCIS_ASC/pages/appStatusSearch.jsp">https://www20.state.nj.us/DOE_TCIS_ASC/pages/appStatusSearch.jsp</a> *needs SS #*
New Mexico	Yes	<a href="http://164.64.166.19/LicenInq/search.asp">http://164.64.166.19/LicenInq/search.asp</a> *need SS #*
New York	Yes	<a href="http://eservices.nysed.gov/teach/certhelp/CpPersonSearchExternal.do">http://eservices.nysed.gov/teach/certhelp/CpPersonSearchExternal.do</a>
North Carolina	Yes	<a href="https://vo.licensure.ncpublicschools.gov/datamart/loginNCDPI.do">https://vo.licensure.ncpublicschools.gov/datamart/loginNCDPI.do</a>
North Dakota	Yes	<a href="https://secure.apps.nd.gov/dpi/ndteach/schoolstaff/publicSearch.aspx">https://secure.apps.nd.gov/dpi/ndteach/schoolstaff/publicSearch.aspx</a>
Ohio	Yes	<a href="https://coreprodint.ode.state.oh.us/core2.3/ode.core.EducatorProfile.UI/EducatorSearch.aspx">https://coreprodint.ode.state.oh.us/core2.3/ode.core.EducatorProfile.UI/EducatorSearch.aspx</a>
Oklahoma	Yes	<a href="https://sdweb01.sde.ok.gov/OECS/EducatorSearch">https://sdweb01.sde.ok.gov/OECS/EducatorSearch</a>
Oregon	Yes	<a href="http://www.tspc.oregon.gov/lookup_application/lookup_query.asp">http://www.tspc.oregon.gov/lookup_application/lookup_query.asp</a>
Pennsylvania	Yes	<a href="http://www.teachercertification.pa.gov/Screens/wfSearchEducators.aspx">http://www.teachercertification.pa.gov/Screens/wfSearchEducators.aspx</a>

Rhode Island	Yes	<a href="http://ecert.ride.ri.gov/public/">http://ecert.ride.ri.gov/public/</a>
South Carolina	Yes	<a href="https://ed.sc.gov/apps/mycert/logon.cfm">https://ed.sc.gov/apps/mycert/logon.cfm</a> *Need SS # or Certificate #*
South Dakota	No	*may be able to request via email: <a href="mailto:certification@state.sd.us">certification@state.sd.us</a> <a href="http://www.doe.sd.gov/oatq/teachercert.aspx">http://www.doe.sd.gov/oatq/teachercert.aspx</a>
Tennessee	Yes	<a href="https://apps.tn.gov/eli-app/search.html">https://apps.tn.gov/eli-app/search.html</a>
Texas	Yes	<a href="https://secure.sbec.state.tx.us/sbeconline/virtcert.asp">https://secure.sbec.state.tx.us/sbeconline/virtcert.asp</a>
Utah	Yes	<a href="https://www.uen.org/cactus/logon.do%3bjsessionid=E992BB8C94BF6A728CD1F058D7697814">https://www.uen.org/cactus/logon.do%3bjsessionid=E992BB8C94BF6A728CD1F058D7697814</a> *Must register to use system - must be UT school district?
Vermont	Yes	<a href="https://alis.edlicensing.vermont.gov/Protected/ADM/EducatorSearchMember.aspx?&amp;TotalParameters=5&amp;LikePopup=N&amp;URL=Protected/LIC/DOE/EducatorView.aspx">https://alis.edlicensing.vermont.gov/Protected/ADM/EducatorSearchMember.aspx?&amp;TotalParameters=5&amp;LikePopup=N&amp;URL=Protected/LIC/DOE/EducatorView.aspx</a>
Virginia	Yes	<a href="https://p1pe.doe.virginia.gov/tinfo/">https://p1pe.doe.virginia.gov/tinfo/</a>
Washington	No	<a href="http://www.k12.wa.us/certification/TeacherMain.aspx">http://www.k12.wa.us/certification/TeacherMain.aspx</a> May contact via telephone 360-725-6400 or via online form.
Washington DC	No	<a href="http://osse.dc.gov/teacher-licensure">http://osse.dc.gov/teacher-licensure</a> *may request via Educator Credential Office; telephone at (202) 741-5881, or email at <a href="mailto:osse.asklicensure@dc.go">osse.asklicensure@dc.go</a>
West Virginia	Yes	<a href="https://wveis.k12.wv.us/certcheck/index.cfm">https://wveis.k12.wv.us/certcheck/index.cfm</a> *Need SS #*
Wisconsin	Yes	<a href="https://elo.wieducatorlicensing.org/datamart/searchByNameWIDPI.do">https://elo.wieducatorlicensing.org/datamart/searchByNameWIDPI.do</a>
Wyoming	No	<a href="http://ptsb.state.wy.us/Applications/tabid/94/Default.aspx">http://ptsb.state.wy.us/Applications/tabid/94/Default.aspx</a> *may contact via email ( <a href="mailto:Wypotsb@wyo.gov">Wypotsb@wyo.gov</a> ) or by telephone (307-777-7291)
<b>Additional Information: Other International Countries</b>		
Canada - Ontario	Yes	<a href="http://www.oct.ca/findateacher">http://www.oct.ca/findateacher</a>
British Columbia	Yes	<a href="https://www.bcteacherregulation.ca/CertificateServices/FindATeacher.aspx">https://www.bcteacherregulation.ca/CertificateServices/FindATeacher.aspx</a>