



SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item # 9.4

Meeting Date: August 17, 2023

Subject: Approve the Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators for the 2023-2024 School Year.

- Information Item Only
- Approval on Consent Agenda
- Conference (for discussion only)
- Conference/First Reading (Action Anticipated: _____)
- Conference/Action
- Action
- Public Hearing

Division: Human Resource Services

Recommendation: Adopt the Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators for the 2023-2024 School Year.

Background/Rationale: The 2023-2024 Declaration of Need allows the District to apply for and the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CCTC) to issue Emergency Crosscultural Language and Academic Development (CLAD), Bilingual Crosscultural Language and Academic Development (BCLAD), Resources Specialist, Teacher Librarian Services, or Limited Term Assignment Permits for teachers.

English learners identified in K12 public schools are required to receive services designated to meet their linguistic and academic needs based on assessments made by the school district. If it has been determined that a student requires English Learner services, the teacher providing this service must hold an appropriate English Learner authorization.

Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations requires school districts to submit to the CCTC an annual Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators. Approval authorizes and delegates to the Superintendent, or his designee, to take any additional action necessary to obtain the approval of the Declaration of Need referenced herein pursuant to 5 CCR 80026 et seq.

Financial Considerations: None

LCAP Goal(s): College, Career and Life Ready Graduates; Safe, Emotionally Healthy, Engaged Students; Family and Community Empowerment; Operational Excellence

Documents Attached:

1. Executive Summary
2. Declaration of Need

Estimated Time of Presentation: 2 min

Submitted by: Cancy McArn, Chief Human Resources Officer

Approved by: Lisa Allen, Interim Superintendent

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I. Overview/History of Department or Program

Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations requires school districts to submit to the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CCTC) an annual Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators. The Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators will enable the District to request for CLAD, BCLAD, Resource Specialist, Librarian Services, Limited Assignment Permits for Multiple, Single Subject or Special Education Emergency Permits.

In 2001, the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) permanently approved amendments to the California Code of Regulations, Title 5, Section 80027, and Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators. The regulations make a number of changes to the requirements for the Limited Assignment Multiple or Single Subject Teaching Permits.

II. Driving Governance:

Title 5 California Code of Regulations, Section 80026 pertaining to the General Education Limited Assignment Multiple or Single Subject Teaching Permits. Submission of a Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators by the employing agency shall be a prerequisite to the issuance of any emergency permit and/or limited assignment permit for that agency. Section 80027 - Limited Assignment Multiple or Single Subject Teaching Permits and Section 80027.1 - Special Education Limited Assignment Teaching Permits.

III. Budget: N/A

IV. Goals, Objectives and Measures:

The District must submit an annual Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators based on the previous year's actual needs and projections of enrollment. The Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators must be sent to CCTC prior to requesting the issuance of any emergency permit and/or limited assignment permit for the District.

V. Major Initiatives:

The Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators must include the following information; 1) Estimated need shall include the title and number of each type of emergency permit and limited assignment permit which the District estimates based on previous year actual needs and projections of enrollment; 2) Efforts to recruit certificated personnel shall include a brief description of efforts that the District has undertaken to locate and recruit individuals who hold the needed credentials; 3) Efforts to establish alternative training options shall include the identification of the institutions of higher learning who have co-sponsored internship programs,

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information relative to the District’s participation in a pre-internship program, the District’s intention to consider developing a “plan to develop fully qualified educators” in cooperation with other districts, a stipulation of insufficient suitable applicants, and adoption of the declaration by the Governing Board.

VI. Results:

The District’s estimated need for the 2023 – 2024 school year is as follows:

<u>Emergency Permit:</u>	<u>#</u>
CLAD	40
Bilingual Authorization	5
Resource Specialist	2
Teacher Librarian Services	2
Emergency Transitional Kindergarten (ETK)	5
<u>Limited Assignment Permits:</u>	<u>#</u>
Multiple Subject	10
Single Subject	45
Special Education	20
Total All:	129

VII. Lessons Learned/Next Steps:

Approve the Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators – 2023-2024 School Year.

The Superintendent of the County Office of Education or the Director of the State Agency or the Director of the NPS/NPA specified above adopted a declaration on ___/___/___, at least 72 hours following his or her public announcement that such a declaration would be made, certifying that there is an insufficient number of certificated persons who meet the county's, agency's or school's specified employment criteria for the position(s) listed on the attached form.

The declaration shall remain in force until June 30, _____.

► **Enclose a copy of the public announcement**

Submitted by Superintendent, Director, or Designee:

Name

Signature

Title

Fax Number

Telephone Number

Date

Mailing Address

E-Mail Address

- *This declaration must be on file with the Commission on Teacher Credentialing before any emergency permits will be issued for service with the employing agency*

AREAS OF ANTICIPATED NEED FOR FULLY QUALIFIED EDUCATORS

Based on the previous year's actual needs and projections of enrollment, please indicate the number of emergency permits the employing agency estimates it will need in each of the identified areas during the valid period of this Declaration of Need for Fully Qualified Educators. This declaration shall be valid only for the type(s) and subjects(s) identified below.

This declaration must be revised by the employing agency when the total number of emergency permits applied for exceeds the estimate by ten percent. Board approval is required for a revision.

Type of Emergency Permit

Estimated Number Needed

CLAD/English Learner Authorization (applicant already holds teaching credential)

Bilingual Authorization (applicant already holds teaching credential)

List target language(s) for bilingual authorization:

Resource Specialist

Teacher Librarian Services

Emergency Transitional Kindergarten (ETK)

LIMITED ASSIGNMENT PERMITS

Limited Assignment Permits may only be issued to applicants holding a valid California teaching credential based on a baccalaureate degree and a professional preparation program including student teaching.

Based on the previous year’s actual needs and projections of enrollment, please indicate the number of Limited Assignment Permits the employing agency estimates it will need in the following areas. Additionally, for the Single Subject Limited Assignment Permits estimated, please include the authorization(s) which will be requested:

TYPE OF LIMITED ASSIGNMENT PERMIT	ESTIMATED NUMBER NEEDED
Multiple Subject	
Single Subject	
Special Education	
TOTAL	

Authorizations for Single Subject Limited Assignment Permits

SUBJECT	ESTIMATED NUMBER NEEDED	SUBJECT	ESTIMATED NUMBER NEEDED
Agriculture		Mathematics	
Art		Music	
Business		Physical Education	
Dance		Science: Biological Sciences	
English		Science: Chemistry	
Foundational-Level Math		Science: Geoscience	
Foundational-Level Science		Science: Physics	
Health		Social Science	
Home Economics		Theater	
Industrial & Technology Education		World Languages (specify)	

EFFORTS TO RECRUIT CERTIFIED PERSONNEL

The employing agency declares that it has implemented in policy and practices a process for conducting a diligent search that includes, but is not limited to, distributing job announcements, contacting college and university placement centers, advertising in local newspapers, exploring incentives included in the Teaching as a Priority Block Grant (refer to www.cde.ca.gov for details), participating in state and regional recruitment centers and participating in job fairs in California.

If a suitable fully prepared teacher is not available to the school district, the district made reasonable efforts to recruit an individual for the assignment, in the following order:

- A candidate who qualifies and agrees to participate in an approved internship program in the region of the school district
- An individual who is scheduled to complete initial preparation requirements within six months

EFFORTS TO CERTIFY, ASSIGN, AND DEVELOP FULLY QUALIFIED PERSONNEL

Has your agency established a District Intern program? Yes No

If no, explain. _____

Does your agency participate in a Commission-approved college or university internship program? Yes No

If yes, how many interns do you expect to have this year? _____

If yes, list each college or university with which you participate in an internship program.

If no, explain why you do not participate in an internship program.

