



University Extension
Professional Studies

PRIME STUDENTS TO BECOME WORKFORCE READY

Designated Subjects CTE and Special Subjects – Track A



Share your knowledge and watch our workforce grow! Take your specialized knowledge from the office to the classroom and pass down your expertise to students who want to begin a vocational, technical, trade or military career.

Designed to develop the necessary teaching skills to effectively prepare students for the workforce, the DS CTE or Special Subjects credential provides the tools you need to start a career in teaching. Learn effective instruction planning for a diverse student group and acquire classroom management strategies to maintain a thriving learning environment. Understand the legal and ethical implications related to professional conduct, misconduct, and moral fitness in the business sector. Put your years of expertise to use and make your mark in the DS classroom.

WHAT YOU'LL LEARN

Curriculum development and instructional planning skills related to developing occupational oriented knowledge and skills in developing lesson plans

Strategies for planning instruction, which is relevant to the diverse needs of students and various occupations

Classroom management strategies to develop and maintain a safe and effective learning environment

Concepts surrounding the CTE and Special Subject professions with highlights touching on the legal and ethical issues in the field

 **TOTAL UNITS**
19

 **TUITION**
\$3,400

 **COMPLETION TIME**
24 months

 **FORMAT**
Online



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BENEFITS OF EARNING A CERTIFICATE

An upgraded education section on your resume can open the door to a new career, or, if you're already working, lead to a promotion and a higher salary. While you're working, going back to school is an excellent way to stay current in rapidly changing fields, or, if you've been away from the workforce for a while, to quickly get caught up in the latest trends, concepts, and advances.

While there are as many paths to follow, as there are reasons to follow them when approaching continuing education, there is enormous value in terms of time, financial investment, and personal flexibility while gaining practical training from working professionals in your industry that extends beyond the theory of the classroom and into the real world.

KEY BENEFITS INCLUDE:

- UC quality curriculum
- Professional endorsements
- Schedule flexibility
- Variety of courses and programs
- Instruction from professional leaders in the industry

PAY AS YOU GO



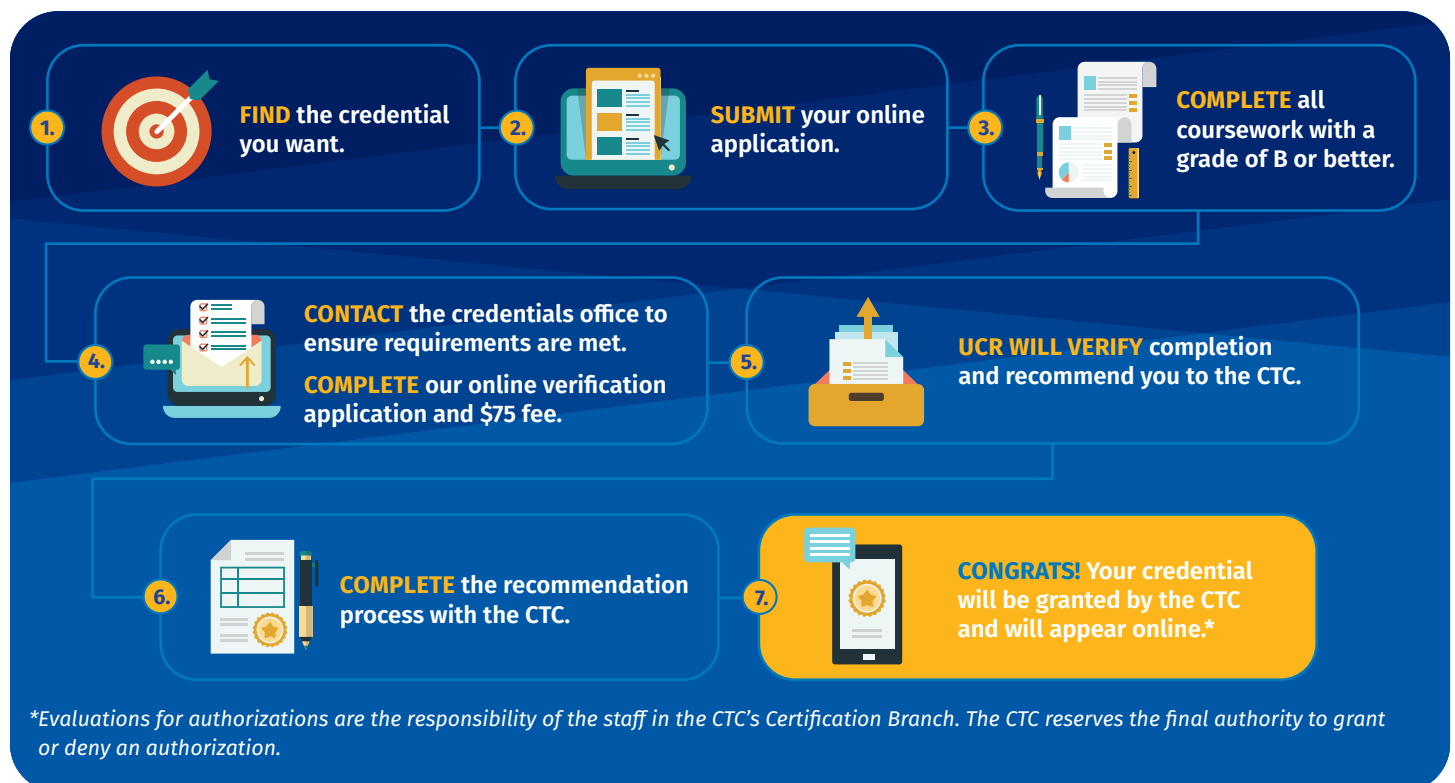
Pay per individual course
as you register.

AVERAGE COURSE TUITION
\$395-445 PER (2 UNIT) COURSE

*Learn more about [tuition assistance](#).

STEPS TO A CTC-APPROVED CREDENTIAL

Follow these seven steps and you will be on your way to adding a new credential to your resume.



*Evaluations for authorizations are the responsibility of the staff in the CTC's Certification Branch. The CTC reserves the final authority to grant or deny an authorization.

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STUDY PLAN

Our certificate programs are designed to be flexible, allowing you the option to take just a few courses or earn the complete certificate. If choosing to complete the certificate, we recommend you get the most out of your experience by following the suggested completion path below.

Required Courses		
QUARTER		UNITS
1	Orientation for Designated Subjects Credentials Program EDUC X427	0
	DS Early Orientation to Teaching EDUC X309.01	2
2	DS Assessing Student Learning EDUC X309.04	3
3	DS Teaching English Learners and Students with Special Needs EDUC X309.05	3
4	DS Classroom/Laboratory Management and Safety EDUC X309.02	2
	DS Foundations and Professional Legal/Ethical Responsibility EDUC X309.06	1.5
5	DS Curriculum and Instruction EDUC X309.03	4
6	Implementation of Health Instruction Framework for California Schools EDUC X451.01	2
7	CPR and Basic First Aid EDUC X351.4	1
	U.S. Constitution Examination EDUC X451	0
8	DS Culminating Portfolio EDUC X309.07	.5

ARE YOU READY FOR YOUR NEXT STEP?

Schedule an appointment with a [Student Success Coach](#) to get started. extension.ucr.edu/coach



*For a full list of policies and procedures, check our [website](#).