

## Overview of SEI Related Requirements for Licensed Educators

Below is a table that summarizes the SEI Teacher Endorsement or PDP requirements based on the new regulations.

**Table 1 –Employed Core Academic Teachers who have one or more ELLs in their classroom and their supervising Administrators (for those with a Professional license, please see table 3)**

License	Assigned to a cohort	Not assigned to a cohort
<b>Temporary Or Preliminary*</b>	<p><b><i>Through Cohort Year or prior to 7/1/14 , whichever occurs first–</i></b> Can advance the license without the SEI endorsement</p> <p><b><i>After 7/1/14 -</i></b> SEI endorsement required to advance the license</p> <p>After Cohort Year: SEI endorsement required to advance the license</p>	<p><b><i>Prior to 7/1/14 -</i></b> Can advance the license without the SEI endorsement</p> <p><b><i>After 7/1/14 –</i></b> SEI endorsement required to advance the license.</p>
<b>Initial</b>	<p><b><i>Prior to and through cohort year</i></b> Can advance or extend the license without the SEI endorsement</p> <p><b><i>After cohort year –</i></b> SEI endorsement required to extend the license or advance to Professional</p>	<p><b><i>Prior to 7/1/16 -</i></b> Can advance or extend the license without the SEI endorsement</p> <p><b><i>After 7/1/16 –</i></b> Can advance or extend the license without the SEI endorsement. However, you must have the endorsement or be on track to have it within a year to teach ELLs or to supervise a core academic teacher who provides SEI instruction to ELLs</p> <p>Can advance or extend the license without the SEI Endorsement</p>

\*Please note that the Department does not offer a Preliminary license for a Principal/Assistant Principal or Supervisor/Director.

**Table 2 - Candidates seeking either their first MA teacher license or their first administrator's license**

License	Before July 1, 2014	On or after July 1, 2014	On or after July 1, 2016
<b>Core Academic</b> <b>Temporary</b> or <b>Preliminary*</b>	SEI endorsement is NOT required	SEI endorsement is NOT required	SEI endorsement is NOT required to obtain the license, however, you must have the endorsement or be on track to have it within a year to teach ELLs or to supervise a core academic teacher who provides SEI instruction to ELLs
<b>Core Academic</b> <b>Initial</b>	SEI endorsement is NOT required	SEI endorsement required. SEI component should be addressed via approved program**	SEI endorsement required. SEI component should be addressed via approved program**

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\*\* Teachers seeking licensure through “reciprocity/interstate agreement” may be eligible for the Temporary or Preliminary license and must have the SEI endorsement in order to obtain an Initial license. Administrators may be eligible for a Temporary license.

**Table 3 - Educators Renewing a Professional license**

License	Assigned to a cohort	Not assigned to a cohort	On or after July 1, 2016
<b>Professional</b>	<p><i><b>Prior to and through cohort year</b> can renew the license without the SEI endorsement.</i></p> <p><i><b>After cohort year</b> Must have the SEI endorsement to renew</i></p>	<p><i><b>On or after 7/1/16</b></i>            Can renew the license without the SEI endorsement. However, must have the endorsement or be on track to have it within a year to teach ELLs or to supervise a core academic teacher who provides SEI instruction to ELLs.</p>	<p>Of the required 150 Professional Development Points, must have at least 15 PDPs related to SEI or English as a Second Language and at least 15 PDPs related to training in strategies for effective schooling for students with disabilities and with diverse learning styles. *Educators who earned the SEI endorsement during a renewal cycle that includes 7/1/16 are deemed to have met the additional 15 PDPs related to SEI or ESL for that renewal cycle. These educators will need to earn the additional 15 SEI/ESL PDPs in future renewal cycles.</p>