

Chapter 231. Requirements for Public School Personnel Assignments

Subchapter E. Grades 9-12 Assignments

Statutory Authority: The provisions of this Subchapter E issued under the Texas Education Code, §§21.003(a), 21.031(a), 21.041(b)(1) and (2), and 21.064, unless otherwise noted.

Division 1. English Language Arts and Reading, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.131. English I-IV, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for English I-IV, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 7-12.
- (2) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 8-12.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English.
- (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English Language Arts, Composite.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English Language Arts, Composite.
- (7) Secondary English (Grades 6-12).
- (8) Secondary English Language Arts, Composite (Grades 6-12).

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§231.133. English I and II for Speakers of Other Languages, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for English I and II for Speakers of Other Languages and English Language Development and Acquisition (ELDA), Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates plus a valid English as a Second Language or bilingual education certificate, supplemental certificate, or endorsement listed in subsection (b) of this section.
 - (1) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 7-12.
 - (2) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 8-12.
 - (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English.
 - (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English Language Arts, Composite.
 - (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English.
 - (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English Language Arts, Composite.
 - (7) Secondary English (Grades 6-12).
 - (8) Secondary English Language Arts, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (b) An assignment for English I and II for Speakers of Other Languages and English Language Development and Acquisition (ELDA), Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following English as a Second Language or bilingual education certificate, supplemental certificate, or endorsement plus a valid certificate listed in subsection (a) of this section.
 - (1) Bilingual Education Supplemental.
 - (2) Bilingual Education Supplemental: American Sign Language.
 - (3) Bilingual Education Supplemental: Arabic.
 - (4) Bilingual Education Supplemental: Japanese.

- (5) Bilingual Education Supplemental: Mandarin Chinese.
 - (6) Bilingual Education Supplemental: Spanish.
 - (7) Bilingual Education Supplemental: Vietnamese.
 - (8) Bilingual Education Supplemental (Early Childhood-Grade 4).
 - (9) Bilingual Education Supplemental (Grades 4-8).
 - (10) Bilingual Endorsement.
 - (11) Bilingual/English as a Second Language Endorsement.
 - (12) Bilingual Special Education Supplemental: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
 - (13) English as a Second Language Endorsement.
 - (14) English as a Second Language Supplemental.
 - (15) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Bilingual/English as a Second Language.
 - (16) Prekindergarten-Grade 12--Bilingual/English as a Second Language.
 - (17) Prekindergarten-Grade 12--English as a Second Language.
 - (18) Secondary Bilingual/English as a Second Language (Grades 6-12).
- (c) At the discretion of the employing school district, persons assigned to teach English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) I or ESOL II prior to June 21, 2009, may continue in the assignment without holding an English, English Language Arts Composite, or English Language Arts and Reading certificate. If a person is reassigned and later returns to teach in an ESOL I or ESOL II assignment, current rules will apply.

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§231.135. English as a Second Language, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for English as a Second Language, Grades 9-12, is allowed with a valid classroom teaching certificate appropriate for the grade level and subject areas taught plus one of the following certificates.

- (1) Bilingual Education Supplemental.
- (2) Bilingual Education Supplemental: American Sign Language.
- (3) Bilingual Education Supplemental: Arabic.
- (4) Bilingual Education Supplemental: Japanese.
- (5) Bilingual Education Supplemental: Mandarin Chinese.
- (6) Bilingual Education Supplemental: Spanish.
- (7) Bilingual Education Supplemental: Vietnamese.
- (8) Bilingual Education Supplemental (Early Childhood-Grade 4).
- (9) Bilingual Education Supplemental (Grades 4-8).
- (10) Bilingual Endorsement.
- (11) Bilingual/English as a Second Language Endorsement.
- (12) Bilingual Special Education Supplemental: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
- (13) English as a Second Language Endorsement.
- (14) English as a Second Language Supplemental.
- (15) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Bilingual/English as a Second Language.
- (16) Prekindergarten-Grade 12--Bilingual/English as a Second Language.

- (17) Prekindergarten-Grade 12--English as a Second Language.
- (18) Secondary Bilingual/English as a Second Language (Grades 6-12).

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§231.137. Reading I, II, and III, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Reading I, II, and III, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 7-12.
- (2) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 8-12.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English, Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English, Secondary English (Grades 6-12). This assignment requires verifiable preparation in the teaching of reading such as in-service, seminar, or college course in reading. Initial assignments beginning with the 1990-1991 school year require nine semester credit hours of upper-division coursework in reading with at least one course in diagnostic reading techniques.
- (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English Language Arts, Composite, Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English Language Arts, Composite, Secondary English Language Arts, Composite (Grades 6-12). This assignment includes at least six semester credit hours in reading. Initial assignments beginning with the 2003-2004 school year require nine semester credit hours of upper-division coursework in reading with at least one course in diagnostic reading techniques.
- (5) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Reading.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Reading.
- (7) Legacy Master Reading Teacher (Early Childhood-Grade 12).
- (8) Reading Specialist.
- (9) Reading Specialist (Early Childhood-Grade 12).
- (10) Secondary Reading (Grades 6-12).
- (11) Secondary or all-level teacher certificate plus nine semester credit hours of upper-division coursework in reading with at least one course in diagnostic reading techniques. Initial assignments beginning with the 1990-1991 school year require a teaching field in English plus nine semester credit hours of upper-division coursework in reading with at least one course in diagnostic reading techniques.

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§231.139. College Readiness and Study Skills, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for College Readiness and Study Skills, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 7-12.
- (2) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 8-12.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English, Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English, Secondary English (Grades 6-12). This assignment requires verifiable preparation in the teaching of reading such as in-service, seminar, or college course in reading. Initial assignments beginning with the 1990-1991 school year require nine semester credit hours of upper-division coursework in reading with at least one course in diagnostic reading techniques.
- (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English Language Arts, Composite, Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English Language Arts, Composite, Secondary English Language Arts, Composite (Grades 6-12). This assignment includes at least six semester credit hours in reading.

Initial assignments beginning with the 2003-2004 school year require nine semester credit hours of upper-division coursework in reading with at least one course in diagnostic reading techniques.

- (5) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Reading.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Reading.
- (7) Legacy Master Reading Teacher (Early Childhood-Grade 12).
- (8) Reading Specialist.
- (9) Reading Specialist (Early Childhood-Grade 12).
- (10) Secondary Reading (Grades 6-12).

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§231.141. Writing, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Research and Technical Writing, Creative Writing, Practical Writing Skills, Literary Genres, Humanities, Independent Study in English, Visual Media Analysis and Production, or Contemporary Media, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 7-12.
- (2) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 8-12.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English.
- (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English Language Arts, Composite.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English Language Arts, Composite.
- (7) Secondary English (Grades 6-12).
- (8) Secondary English Language Arts, Composite (Grades 6-12).

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§231.143. Speech, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Oral Interpretation I, II, and III, Debate I, II, and III, Public Speaking I, II, and III, Independent Study in Speech, or Communications Applications, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) All-Level Speech and Drama.
- (2) All-Level Speech Communications/Theatre Arts (Prekindergarten-Grade 12).
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Speech Communications.
- (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Speech.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Speech and Drama.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English Language Arts, Composite. This assignment includes at least six semester hours in speech.
- (7) Secondary Speech Communications (Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12).
- (8) Speech: Grades 7-12.
- (9) Speech: Grades 8-12.

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§231.145. Journalism, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Journalism, Advanced Journalism, Yearbook I-III, Literary Magazine, Newspaper I-III, Photojournalism, Advanced Broadcast Journalism I-III, or Independent Study in Journalism, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Journalism.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English Language Arts, Composite. This assignment includes at least six semester credit hours in Journalism.
- (3) Journalism: Grades 7-12.
- (4) Journalism: Grades 8-12.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Journalism.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English Language Arts, Composite. This assignment includes at least six semester credit hours in Journalism.
- (7) Secondary Journalism (Grades 6-12).
- (8) Secondary English Language Arts, Composite (Grades 6-12). This assignment includes at least six semester credit hours in Journalism.

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Division 2. Languages Other Than English, Grades 9-12 Assignments**§231.161. Languages Other Than English, Grades 9-12.**

An assignment for Languages Other Than English, Levels I-VII, Classical Languages, Levels I-VII, Discovering Languages and Cultures, Seminars in Languages Other Than English, Seminar in Classical Languages, Advanced Language for Career Exploration, or Special Topics in Language and Culture, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Languages Other Than English certificate in the appropriate language (Early Childhood-Grade 12).
- (2) Secondary teacher certificate in the appropriate language of assignment.

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§231.163. American Sign Language, Grades 9-12.

(a) An assignment for American Sign Language, Levels I-IV or American Sign Language, Advanced Independent Study, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) American Sign Language.
- (2) American Sign Language: Early Childhood-Grade 12.

(b) The Texas Assessment of Sign Communication-American Sign Language (TASC-ASL) is required for an American Sign Language assignment.

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Division 3. Social Studies, Grades 9-12 Assignments**§231.181. History, Grades 9-12.**

An assignment for History, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--History.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies.

- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies, Composite.
- (4) History: Grades 7-12.
- (5) History: Grades 8-12.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--History.
- (7) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Social Science, Composite.
- (8) Secondary History (Grades 6-12).
- (9) Secondary Social Studies (Grades 6-12).
- (10) Secondary Social Studies, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (11) Social Studies: Grades 7-12.
- (12) Social Studies: Grades 8-12.

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§231.183. Geography, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Geography, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Geography.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies, Composite.
- (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Geography.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Social Science, Composite.
- (6) Secondary Geography (Grades 6-12).
- (7) Secondary Social Studies (Grades 6-12).
- (8) Secondary Social Studies, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (9) Social Studies: Grades 7-12.
- (10) Social Studies: Grades 8-12.

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§231.185. Government, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Government, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Government.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies, Composite.
- (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Government-Political Science.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Social Science, Composite.
- (6) Secondary Government (Grades 6-12).
- (7) Secondary Social Studies (Grades 6-12).
- (8) Secondary Social Studies, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (9) Social Studies: Grades 7-12.
- (10) Social Studies: Grades 8-12.

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§231.187. Psychology, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Psychology, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Psychology.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies, Composite.
- (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Psychology.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Social Science, Composite.
- (6) Secondary Psychology (Grades 6-12).
- (7) Secondary Social Studies (Grades 6-12).
- (8) Secondary Social Studies, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (9) Social Studies: Grades 7-12.
- (10) Social Studies: Grades 8-12.

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§231.189. Sociology, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Sociology, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Sociology.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies, Composite.
- (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Sociology.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Social Science, Composite.
- (6) Secondary Sociology (Grades 6-12).
- (7) Secondary Social Studies (Grades 6-12).
- (8) Secondary Social Studies, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (9) Social Studies: Grades 7-12.
- (10) Social Studies: Grades 8-12.

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§231.191. Special Topics in Social Studies, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Social Studies Advanced Studies, Special Topics in Social Studies, or Social Studies Research Methods, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Economics.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Geography.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Government.
- (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--History.
- (5) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Psychology.
- (6) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies.

- (7) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies, Composite.
- (8) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Sociology.
- (9) History: Grades 7-12.
- (10) History: Grades 8-12.
- (11) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Anthropology.
- (12) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Economics.
- (13) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Geography.
- (14) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Government-Political Science.
- (15) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--History.
- (16) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Psychology.
- (17) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Social Science, Composite.
- (18) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Sociology.
- (19) Secondary Economics (Grades 6-12).
- (20) Secondary Geography (Grades 6-12).
- (21) Secondary Government (Grades 6-12).
- (22) Secondary History (Grades 6-12).
- (23) Secondary Psychology (Grades 6-12).
- (24) Secondary Social Studies (Grades 6-12).
- (25) Secondary Social Studies, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (26) Secondary Sociology (Grades 6-12).
- (27) Social Studies: Grades 7-12.
- (28) Social Studies: Grades 8-12.

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§231.193. Economics and Personal Financial Literacy, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Economics with Emphasis on the Free Enterprise System and Its Benefits, Economics Advanced Studies, Personal Financial Literacy, or Personal Financial Literacy and Economics, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any business certificate.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Economics.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies.
- (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies, Composite.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Economics.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Social Science, Composite.
- (7) Secondary Economics (Grades 6-12).
- (8) Secondary Social Studies (Grades 6-12).
- (9) Secondary Social Studies, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (10) Social Studies: Grades 7-12.

- (11) Social Studies: Grades 8-12.

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§231.195. Ethnic Studies, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Ethnic Studies: Mexican American Studies or Ethnic Studies: African American Studies, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--History.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies, Composite.
- (4) History: Grades 7-12.
- (5) History: Grades 8-12.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--History.
- (7) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Social Science, Composite.
- (8) Secondary History (Grades 6-12).
- (9) Secondary Social Studies (Grades 6-12).
- (10) Secondary Social Studies, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (11) Social Studies: Grades 7-12.
- (12) Social Studies: Grades 8-12.

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Division 4. Mathematics, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.211. Mathematics, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Mathematics, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Mathematics.
- (2) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Mathematics.
- (3) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Mathematical Science, Composite.
- (4) Legacy Master Mathematics Teacher (Grades 8-12).
- (5) Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
- (6) Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
- (7) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (8) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (9) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
- (10) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
- (11) Secondary Mathematics (Grades 6-12).

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§231.213. Algebraic Reasoning, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Algebraic Reasoning, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Mathematics.

- (2) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Mathematics.
- (3) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Mathematical Science, Composite.
- (4) Legacy Master Mathematics Teacher (Grades 8-12).
- (5) Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
- (6) Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
- (7) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (8) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (9) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
- (10) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
- (11) Secondary Mathematics (Grades 6-12).

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§231.215. Statistics, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Statistics, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Mathematics.
- (2) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Mathematics.
- (3) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Mathematical Science, Composite.
- (4) Legacy Master Mathematics Teacher (Grades 8-12).
- (5) Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
- (6) Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
- (7) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (8) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (9) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
- (10) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
- (11) Secondary Mathematics (Grades 6-12).

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Division 5. Science, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.231. Biology, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Biology, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Biology.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science, Composite.
- (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Biology.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science, Composite.
- (7) Life Science: Grades 7-12.
- (8) Life Science: Grades 8-12.

- (9) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
- (10) Science: Grades 7-12.
- (11) Science: Grades 8-12.
- (12) Secondary Biology (Grades 6-12).
- (13) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
- (14) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).

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§231.233. Chemistry, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Chemistry, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Chemistry: Grades 7-12.
- (2) Chemistry: Grades 8-12.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Chemistry.
- (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science.
- (5) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science, Composite.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Chemistry.
- (7) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science.
- (8) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science, Composite.
- (9) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
- (10) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (11) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (12) Physical Science: Grades 6-12.
- (13) Physical Science: Grades 8-12.
- (14) Science: Grades 7-12.
- (15) Science: Grades 8-12.
- (16) Secondary Chemistry (Grades 6-12).
- (17) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
- (18) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).

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§231.235. Physics, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Physics, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Physics.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science, Composite.
- (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Physics.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science, Composite.

- (7) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
- (8) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (9) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (10) Physical Science: Grades 6-12.
- (11) Physical Science: Grades 8-12.
- (12) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
- (13) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
- (14) Science: Grades 7-12.
- (15) Science: Grades 8-12.
- (16) Secondary Physics (Grades 6-12).
- (17) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
- (18) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).

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§231.237. Integrated Physics and Chemistry, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Integrated Physics and Chemistry, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Physical Science.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science, Composite.
- (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Chemistry, if issued prior to September 1, 1976.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Physical Science.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Physics, if issued prior to September 1, 1976.
- (7) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science.
- (8) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science, Composite.
- (9) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
- (10) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (11) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (12) Physical Science: Grades 6-12.
- (13) Physical Science: Grades 8-12.
- (14) Science: Grades 7-12.
- (15) Science: Grades 8-12.
- (16) Secondary Physical Science (Grades 6-12).
- (17) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
- (18) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).

- (19) Secondary or All-Level classroom teaching certificate dated between September 1, 1966, and September 1, 1976, plus 24 semester credit hours in a combination of sciences completed prior to September 1, 1976.

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§231.239. Physics for Engineering, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Physics for Engineering, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Industrial Arts.
 - (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Industrial Technology.
 - (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Physics.
 - (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science.
 - (5) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science, Composite.
 - (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Industrial Arts.
 - (7) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Physics.
 - (8) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science, Composite.
 - (9) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (10) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (11) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (12) Physical Science: Grades 6-12.
 - (13) Physical Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (14) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (15) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (16) Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (17) Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (18) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (19) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (20) Secondary Physics (Grades 6-12).
 - (21) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
 - (22) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).
 - (23) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
- (b) An assignment for Physics for Engineering, Grades 9-12, may also be taught with a vocational agriculture certificate or a trades and industry certificate with verifiable physics applications experience in business and industry, if assigned prior to the 1998-1999 school year. Six semester credit hours of college physics, chemistry, or electricity/electronics may be substituted for the business and industry experience.

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§231.241. Astronomy, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Astronomy, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Earth Science.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science.

- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science, Composite.
- (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Earth Science.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science, Composite.
- (7) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
- (8) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (9) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (10) Physical Science: Grades 6-12.
- (11) Physical Science: Grades 8-12.
- (12) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
- (13) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
- (14) Science: Grades 7-12.
- (15) Science: Grades 8-12.
- (16) Secondary Earth Science (Grades 6-12).
- (17) Secondary Physics (Grades 6-12).
- (18) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
- (19) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).

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§231.243. Earth Systems Science, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Earth Systems Science, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Earth Science.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science, Composite.
- (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Earth Science.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science, Composite.
- (7) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
- (8) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (9) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (10) Physical Science: Grades 6-12.
- (11) Physical Science: Grades 8-12.
- (12) Science: Grades 7-12.
- (13) Science: Grades 8-12.
- (14) Secondary Earth Science (Grades 6-12).
- (15) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
- (16) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).

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§231.245. Environmental Systems, Environmental Science, and Aquatic Science, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Environmental Systems, Advanced Placement (AP) Environmental Science, International Baccalaureate (IB) Environmental Systems, or Aquatic Science, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Chemistry: Grades 7-12.
 - (2) Chemistry: Grades 8-12.
 - (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Biology.
 - (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Earth Science.
 - (5) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science.
 - (6) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science, Composite.
 - (7) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Biology.
 - (8) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Earth Science.
 - (9) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science.
 - (10) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science, Composite.
 - (11) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (12) Life Science: Grades 7-12 or Grades 8-12.
 - (13) Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (14) Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (15) Secondary Biology (Grades 6-12).
 - (16) Secondary Earth Science (Grades 6-12).
 - (17) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
 - (18) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (b) An assignment for Environmental Systems, AP Environmental Science, or IB Environmental Systems, Grades 9-12, is allowed with a valid secondary or all-level teacher certificate plus 24 semester credit hours in science, including at least 12 semester credit hours in environmental science and/or ecology if assigned prior to the 1989-1990 school year or any science teaching certificate with 12 semester credit hours in environmental science and/or ecology.

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§231.247. Anatomy and Physiology, Medical Microbiology, and Pathophysiology, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Anatomy and Physiology, Medical Microbiology, or Pathophysiology, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Biology.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science.
- (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Science, Composite.
- (4) Health Science: Grades 6-12.
- (5) Health Science Technology.
- (6) Health Science Technology Education: Grades 8-12.
- (7) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Biology.
- (8) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science.

- (9) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Science, Composite.
- (10) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
- (11) Life Science: Grades 7-12.
- (12) Life Science: Grades 8-12.
- (13) Science: Grades 7-12.
- (14) Science: Grades 8-12.
- (15) Secondary Biology (Grades 6-12).
- (16) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
- (17) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (18) Vocational Handicapped Health.
- (19) Vocational Health Occupations.
- (20) Vocational Health Occupations/Cooperative Training.
- (21) Vocational Health Occupations/Pre-employment Lab.

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§231.249. Scientific Research and Design, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Scientific Research and Design, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any science certificate valid for Grades 6-12, Grades 7-12, or Grades 8-12.
- (2) Any secondary science teaching field.
- (3) Any vocational or career and technical education certificate valid for the subject and grade level taught. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree and 18 semester credit hours in any combination of sciences.
- (4) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).

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§231.251. Specialized Topics in Science, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Specialized Topics in Science, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any science certificate valid for Grades 6-12, Grades 7-12, or Grades 8-12.
- (2) Any secondary science teaching field.
- (3) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).

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Division 6. Health and Physical Education, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.271. Health and Physical Education, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Health, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) All-Level Health and Physical Education.
 - (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Health.
 - (3) Health: Early Childhood-Grade 12.

- (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Health.
 - (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Health and Physical Education.
 - (6) Secondary Health (Grades 6-12).
- (b) An assignment for Physical Education, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) All-Level Health and Physical Education.
 - (2) All-Level Physical Education.
 - (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Physical Education.
 - (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Physical Education.
 - (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Health and Physical Education.
 - (6) Physical Education: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
 - (7) Secondary Physical Education (Grades 6-12).

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Division 7. Fine Arts, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.281. Art, Music, Theatre, and Dance, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Art, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) All-Level Art.
 - (2) Art: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
 - (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Art.
 - (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Art.
 - (5) Secondary Art (Grades 6-12).
- (b) An assignment for Music, including Music Studies, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) All-Level Music.
 - (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Music.
 - (3) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Music.
 - (4) Music: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
 - (5) Secondary Music (Grades 6-12).
- (c) An assignment for Theatre, including Musical Theatre and Technical Theatre, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) All-Level Speech/Drama.
 - (2) All-Level Speech Communications/Theatre Arts (Prekindergarten-Grade 12).
 - (3) All-Level Theatre Arts (Prekindergarten-Grade 12).
 - (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Theatre Arts.
 - (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Drama.
 - (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Speech and Drama.
 - (7) Secondary Theatre Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (8) Theatre: Early Childhood-Grade 12.

- (d) An assignment for Dance, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Dance: Grades 8-12.
 - (2) Dance: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Dance.
 - (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Dance.
 - (5) Secondary Dance (Grades 6-12).
- (e) An assignment for International Baccalaureate Film Standard Level and Higher Level, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) All-Level Speech/Drama.
 - (2) All-Level Speech Communications/Theatre Arts (Prekindergarten-Grade 12).
 - (3) All-Level Theatre Arts (Prekindergarten-Grade 12).
 - (4) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 7-12.
 - (5) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 8-12.
 - (6) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English.
 - (7) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English Language Arts, Composite.
 - (8) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Theatre Arts.
 - (9) Secondary English (Grades 6-12).
 - (10) Secondary English Language Arts, Composite (Grades 6-12).
 - (11) Secondary Theatre Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (12) Theatre: Early Childhood-Grade 12.

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Division 8. Career Development, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.291. Career Development, Grades 9-12.

- (a) Subject to the requirements in subsection (e) of this section, an assignment for Career Preparation General, Career Preparation for Programs of Study, or Extended Career Preparation, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Any special education certificate so long as, beginning with the 2020-2021 school year, the special education-certified teacher assigned to teach this course shall complete Texas Education Agency-approved training found at tea.texas.gov/cte prior to teaching this course.
 - (2) Any vocational or career and technical education (CTE) classroom teaching certificate valid for the subject and grade level taught.
 - (3) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (4) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (5) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
 - (6) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
- (b) An assignment for Project-Based Research, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Any vocational or CTE classroom teaching certificate valid for the subject and grade level taught.
 - (2) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.

- (3) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
- (c) An assignment for Applied Mathematics for Technical Professionals, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Any vocational or CTE classroom teaching certificate valid for the subject and grade level taught. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree .
 - (2) Computer Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (3) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Computer Information Systems.
 - (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12 Mathematics.
 - (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Computer Information Systems.
 - (6) Legacy Master Mathematics Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (7) Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (8) Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (9) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (10) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (11) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (12) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (13) Secondary Mathematics (Grades 6-12).
 - (14) Secondary Computer Information Systems (Grades 6-12).
 - (15) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
 - (16) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
- (d) All teachers assigned to Applied Mathematics for Technical Professionals shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching this course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.
- (e) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to Career Preparation I, Career Preparation II, or Extended Career Preparation, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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Division 9. Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.301. Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Advanced Energy and Natural Resource Technology, Agriculture Laboratory and Field Experience, Equine Science, Food Processing, Food Technology and Safety, Forestry and Woodland Ecosystems, Greenhouse Operation and Production, Horticultural Science, Landscape Design and Management, Livestock and Poultry Production, Principles of Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources, Professional Standards and Communication in Agribusiness, Range Ecology and Management, Small Animal Management, Turf Grass Management, Veterinary Science, Wildlife, Fisheries, and Ecology Management, Practicum in Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources, or Extended Practicum in Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.
 - (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Any vocational agriculture certificate.

- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

Source: The provisions of this §231.301 adopted to be effective March 9, 2026, 51 TexReg 1386.

§231.303. Sciences in Agriculture, Grades 9-12.

- (a) Subject to the requirements in subsection (b) of this section, an assignment for Advanced Animal Science or Advanced Plant and Soil Science, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.
 - (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Any vocational agriculture certificate.
 - (4) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (5) Life Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (6) Life Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (7) Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (8) Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (9) Secondary Biology (Grades 6-12).
 - (10) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (b) All teachers assigned to these courses shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching these courses effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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§231.305. Agribusiness Management and Marketing, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Agribusiness Management and Marketing, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.
- (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Any business or office education certificate.
- (4) Any marketing or distributive education certificate.
- (5) Any vocational agriculture certificate.
- (6) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.
- (7) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
- (8) Marketing: Grades 6-12.
- (9) Marketing Education: Grades 8-12.

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§231.307. Mathematics in Agriculture, Grades 9-12.

- (a) Subject to the requirements in subsection (b) of this section, an assignment for Mathematical Applications in Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.

- (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Any vocational agriculture certificate.
 - (4) Legacy Master Mathematics Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (5) Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (6) Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (7) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (8) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (9) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (10) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (11) Secondary Mathematics (Grades 6-12).
- (b) All teachers assigned to this course shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching this course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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§231.309. Agricultural Mechanics, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Agricultural Equipment Design and Fabrication, Agricultural Structures Design and Fabrication, Agricultural Mechanics and Metal Technologies, or Agricultural Power Systems, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.
- (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Any vocational agriculture certificate.
- (4) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (5) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (6) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (7) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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§231.311. Floral Design, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Floral Design or Advanced Floral Design, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.
- (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
- (3) All-Level Art.
- (4) Any vocational agriculture certificate.
- (5) Art: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
- (6) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Art.
- (7) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Art.
- (8) Secondary Art (Grades 6-12).

- (9) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (10) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (11) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (12) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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§231.313. Energy and Natural Resource Technology, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Energy and Natural Resource Technology, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.
- (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Any vocational agriculture certificate.
- (4) Life Science: Grades 7-12.
- (5) Life Science: Grades 8-12.
- (6) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (7) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (8) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
- (9) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
- (10) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
- (11) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (12) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (13) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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Division 10. Architecture and Construction, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.331. Architecture and Construction, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Principles of Architecture, Principles of Construction, Building Maintenance Technology I, or Building Maintenance Technology II, Construction Management I, Construction Management II, Construction Technology I, Construction Technology II, Practicum in Construction Management, Practicum in Construction Technology, Extended Practicum in Construction Management, or Extended Practicum in Construction Technology, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.
 - (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Any vocational agriculture certificate.
 - (4) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (5) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (6) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).

- (7) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (8) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (9) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (10) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (11) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (12) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.333. Interior Design, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Interior Design I, Interior Design II, Practicum in Interior Design, or Extended Practicum in Interior Design, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Any home economics or homemaking certificate.
 - (2) Family and Consumer Sciences, Composite: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (4) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (5) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (6) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.335. Architectural Design, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Architectural Design I, Architectural Design II, Practicum in Architectural Design, or Extended Practicum in Architectural Design, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (2) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (3) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (4) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (5) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (6) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (7) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (8) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (9) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.337. Mill and Cabinetmaking Technology, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Mill and Cabinetmaking Technology, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
- (2) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
- (3) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
- (4) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (5) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (6) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (7) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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§231.339. Construction Trades, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Electrical Technology I, Electrical Technology II, Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning (HVAC) and Refrigeration I, Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning (HVAC) and Refrigeration II, Masonry Technology I, Masonry Technology II, Plumbing Technology I, Plumbing Technology II, Practicum in Masonry Technology, or Extended Practicum in Masonry Technology, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (2) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (3) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (4) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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**Division 11. Arts, Audio Visual Technology, and Communications, Grades 9-12
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§231.351. Professional Communications, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Professional Communications, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) All-Level Speech and Drama.
- (2) All-Level Speech Communications/Theatre Arts (Prekindergarten-Grade 12).
- (3) Any vocational or career and technical education classroom teaching certificate valid for the subject and grade level taught. The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher

assigned to Professional Communications, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate education and/or training in effective communication strategies and demonstrates proficiency in oral and written communication.

- (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Speech Communications.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Speech.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Speech and Drama.
- (7) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English Language Arts, Composite.
- (8) Secondary English Language Arts, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (9) Secondary Speech (Grades 6-12).
- (10) Secondary Speech Communications (Grades 6-12).
- (11) Speech: Grades 7-12.
- (12) Speech: Grades 8-12.
- (13) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
- (14) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.

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§231.353. Principles of Arts, Audio Visual Technology, and Communications, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Principles of Arts, Audio Visual Technology, and Communications, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any business or office education certificate.
- (2) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
- (4) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
- (5) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
- (6) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
- (7) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
- (8) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
- (9) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (10) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (11) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (12) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

Source: The provisions of this §231.353 adopted to be effective March 9, 2026, 51 TexReg 1386.

§231.355. Animation, Production, and Graphic Design, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Animation I, Animation I Lab, Animation II, Animation II Lab, Digital Art and Animation, 3-D Modeling and Animation, Audio/Video Production I, Audio/Video Production I Lab, Audio/Video Production II, Audio/Video Production II Lab, Digital Audio Technology I, Digital Audio Technology II, Graphic Design and Illustration I, Graphic Design and Illustration I Lab, Graphic Design and Illustration II, Graphic Design and Illustration II Lab, Video Game Design, Web Game Development, Digital Design and Media Production, Digital Communications in the 21st Century, Practicum in Animation, Extended Practicum in Animation, Practicum in Audio/Video Production, Extended Practicum

in Audio/Video Production, Practicum in Graphic Design and Illustration, or Extended Practicum in Graphic Design and Illustration, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (2) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (3) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
 - (4) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
 - (5) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (6) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (7) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (8) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (9) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.357. Photography, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Commercial Photography I, Commercial Photography I Lab, Commercial Photography II, Commercial Photography II Lab, Practicum in Commercial Photography or Extended Practicum in Commercial Photography, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) All-Level Art.
 - (2) Art: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
 - (3) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Art.
 - (4) Secondary Art (Grades 6-12).
 - (5) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (6) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (7) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
 - (8) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
 - (9) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (10) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (11) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (12) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (13) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.359. Printing and Imaging Technology, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Printing and Imaging Technology I, Printing and Imaging Technology I Lab, Printing and Imaging Technology II, Printing and Imaging Technology II Lab, Practicum in Printing and Imaging Technology, or Extended Practicum in Printing and Imaging Technology, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 8-12).
 - (2) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (3) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
 - (4) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
 - (5) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (6) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (7) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (8) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (9) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.361. Fashion Design, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Fashion Design I, Fashion Design I Lab, Fashion Design II, Fashion Design II Lab, Practicum in Fashion Design, or Extended Practicum in Fashion Design, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Any home economics or homemaking certificate.
 - (2) Family and Consumer Sciences, Composite: Grades 6-12.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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Division 12. Business, Marketing, and Finance, Grades 9-12 Assignments**§231.381. Business Management, Grades 9-12.**

- (a) An assignment for Foundations of Business Communications and Technologies, Business Communications and Technologies, Business Law, Touch System Data Entry, Business Management, Business Lab, Global Business, Human Resources Management, Principles of Business, Marketing, and Finance, Virtual Business, Practicum in Business Management, or Extended Practicum in Business Management, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Any business or office education certificate.
 - (2) Any marketing or distributive education certificate.
 - (3) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.
 - (4) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (5) Marketing: Grades 6-12.

- (6) Marketing Education: Grades 8-12.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

Source: The provisions of this §231.381 adopted to be effective March 9, 2026, 51 TexReg 1386.

§231.383. Business English, Grades 9-12.

- (a) Subject to the requirements in subsection (b) of this section, an assignment for Business English, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Any business or office education certificate.
 - (2) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (4) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 7-12.
 - (5) English Language Arts and Reading: Grades 8-12.
 - (6) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English.
 - (7) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--English Language Arts, Composite.
 - (8) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English.
 - (9) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--English Language Arts, Composite.
 - (10) Marketing: Grades 6-12.
 - (11) Marketing Education: Grades 8-12.
 - (12) Secondary English (Grades 6-12).
 - (13) Secondary English Language Arts, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (b) All teachers assigned to this course shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching this course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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§231.385. Advertising and Marketing, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Advertising, Social Media Marketing, Sports and Entertainment Marketing, Advanced Marketing, Practicum in Marketing, or Extended Practicum in Marketing, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Any business or office education certificate.
 - (2) Any marketing or distributive education certificate.
 - (3) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.
 - (4) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (5) Marketing: Grades 6-12.
 - (6) Marketing Education: Grades 8-12.
 - (7) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (8) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (9) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

- (10) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.387. Fashion Marketing, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Fashion Marketing, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any business or office education certificate.
- (2) Any home economics or homemaking certificate.
- (3) Any marketing or distributive education certificate.
- (4) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.
- (5) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
- (6) Family and Consumer Sciences, Composite: Grades 6-12.
- (7) Marketing: Grades 6-12.
- (8) Marketing Education: Grades 8-12.

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§231.389. Entrepreneurship, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Entrepreneurship I, Entrepreneurship II, Practicum in Entrepreneurship, or Extended Practicum in Entrepreneurship, Grades 9-12, is allowed with any current vocational or career and technical education classroom teaching certificate specified in §233.13 of this title (relating to Career and Technical Education (Certificates not requiring experience and preparation in a skill area)) or §233.14 of this title (relating to Career and Technical Education (Certificates requiring experience and preparation in a skill area)).
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.391. Financial Services, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Banking and Financial Services, Accounting I, Financial Analysis, Insurance Operations, or Securities and Investments, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any business or office education certificate.
- (2) Any marketing or distributive education certificate.
- (3) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.
- (4) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
- (5) Marketing: Grades 6-12.
- (6) Marketing Education: Grades 8-12.

Source: The provisions of this §231.391 adopted to be effective March 9, 2026, 51 TexReg 1386.

§231.393. Money Matters, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Money Matters, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any business or office education certificate.
- (2) Any homemaking or home economics certificate.
- (3) Any marketing or distributive education certificate.
- (4) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.
- (5) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
- (6) Family and Consumer Sciences, Composite: Grades 6-12.
- (7) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Mathematics.
- (8) Legacy Master Mathematics Teacher.
- (9) Marketing: Grades 6-12.
- (10) Marketing Education: Grades 8-12.
- (11) Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
- (12) Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
- (13) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (14) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (15) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
- (16) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.

Source: The provisions of this §231.393 adopted to be effective March 9, 2026, 51 TexReg 1386.

§231.395. Business Mathematics, Grades 9-12.

- (a) Subject to the requirements in subsection (b) of this section, an assignment for Accounting II, Statistics and Business Decision Making or Financial Mathematics, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Any business or office education certificate.
 - (2) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (4) Legacy Master Mathematics Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (5) Marketing: Grades 6-12.
 - (6) Marketing Education: Grades 8-12.
 - (7) Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (8) Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (9) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (10) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (11) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (12) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (13) Secondary Mathematics (Grades 6-12).
- (b) All teachers assigned to this course shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching this course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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Division 13. Education and Training, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.421. Education and Training, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Instructional Practices, Principles of Education and Training, or Communication and Technology in Education, Grades 9-12, is allowed with any valid classroom teacher or administrator certificate.
- (b) Subject to the requirements in subsection (c) of this section, an assignment for Practicum in Education and Training, Extended Practicum in Education and Training, Practicum in Early Learning, or Extended Practicum in Early Learning, Grades 9-12, is allowed with any valid classroom teacher or administrator certificate.
- (c) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to Practicum in Education and Training, Extended Practicum in Education and Training, Practicum in Early Learning, or Extended Practicum in Early Learning, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.423. Human Growth and Development, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Human Growth and Development, Child Development, Child Guidance, or Child Development Associates Foundation, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any home economics or homemaking certificate.
- (2) Family and Consumer Sciences, Composite: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Health Science: Grades 6-12.
- (4) Health Science Technology.
- (5) Health Science Technology Education: Grades 8-12.
- (6) Human Development and Family Studies: Grades 8-12.
- (7) Vocational Health Occupations.
- (8) Vocational Health Science Technology.

Source: The provisions of this §231.423 adopted to be effective March 9, 2026, 51 TexReg 1386.

Division 14. Energy, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.441. Energy, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Oil and Gas Production I; Oil and Gas Production II; Oil and Gas Production III; Oil and Gas Production IV; Introduction to Process Technology; Foundations of Energy; or Petrochemical Safety, Health, and Environment, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.
- (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Any vocational agriculture certificate.
- (4) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (5) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (6) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (7) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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Division 15. Engineering, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.461. Principles of Applied Engineering, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Principles of Applied Engineering, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (2) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (3) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
- (4) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
- (5) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
- (6) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (7) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (8) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (9) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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§231.463. Principles of Biosciences, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Principles of Biosciences, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.
- (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Any vocational agriculture certificate.
- (4) Health Science: Grades 6-12.
- (5) Health Science Technology Education: Grades 8-12.
- (6) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
- (7) Life Science: Grades 7-12.
- (8) Life Science: Grades 8-12.
- (9) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (10) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (11) Science: Grades 7-12.
- (12) Science: Grades 8-12.
- (13) Secondary Biology (Grades 6-12).
- (14) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
- (15) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
- (16) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
- (17) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (18) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.

- (19) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (20) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (21) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (22) Vocational Health Occupations.
- (23) Vocational Health Science Technology.

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§231.465. Biotechnology I and Biotechnology II, Grades 9-12.

- (a) Subject to the requirements in subsection (b) of this section, an assignment for Biotechnology I or Biotechnology II, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.
 - (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Any vocational agriculture certificate.
 - (4) Health Science: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree.
 - (5) Health Science Technology Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree.
 - (6) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (7) Life Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (8) Life Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (9) Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (10) Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (11) Secondary Biology (Grades 6-12).
 - (12) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
 - (13) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).
 - (14) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (15) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (16) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (17) Vocational Health Occupations. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree.
 - (18) Vocational Health Science Technology. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree.
- (b) All teachers assigned to this course shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching this course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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§231.467. Electronics and Engineering Design and Presentation, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Engineering Design and Presentation, Advanced Engineering Design and Presentation, Electronics, AC/DC Electronics, or Solid State Electronics, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (2) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.

- (3) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
- (4) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
- (5) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
- (6) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (7) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (8) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (9) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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§231.469. Engineering Mathematics and Robotics II, Grades 9-12.

- (a) Subject to the requirements in subsection (b) of this section, an assignment for Engineering Mathematics or Robotics II, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Legacy Master Mathematics Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (2) Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (3) Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (4) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (5) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (6) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (7) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (8) Secondary Mathematics (Grades 6-12).
 - (9) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (10) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (11) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (12) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (13) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (14) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (15) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) All teachers assigned to this course shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching this course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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§231.471. Physics for Engineering, Grades 9-12.

- (a) Subject to the requirements in subsection (b) of this section, an assignment for Physics for Engineering, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (2) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.

- (4) Physical Science: Grades 6-12.
 - (5) Physical Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (6) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (7) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (8) Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (9) Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (10) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (11) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (12) Secondary Physics (Grades 6-12).
 - (13) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).
 - (14) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (15) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (16) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12: This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (17) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) An assignment for Physics for Engineering, Grades 9-12, may also be taught with a vocational agriculture certificate or a trades and industry certificate with verifiable physics applications experience in business and industry, if assigned prior to the 1998-1999 school year. Six semester credit hours of college physics, chemistry, or electricity/electronics may be substituted for the business and industry experience. All teachers assigned to these courses shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching these courses effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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§231.473. Engineering Design and Problem Solving and Engineering Science, Grades 9-12.

- (a) Subject to the requirements in subsection (b) of this section, an assignment for Engineering Design and Problem Solving or Engineering Science, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (2) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (4) Physical Science: Grades 6-12.
 - (5) Physical Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (6) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (7) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (8) Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (9) Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (10) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (11) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (12) Secondary Physics (Grades 6-12).
 - (13) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).

- (14) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).
 - (15) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (16) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (17) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (18) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) All teachers assigned to this course shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching this course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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§231.475. Scientific Research and Design, Grades 9-12.

- (a) Subject to the requirements in subsection (b) of this section, an assignment for Scientific Research and Design, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Any vocational or career and technical education classroom teaching certificate valid for the subject and grade level taught. The assignment requires a bachelor's degree and 18 semester credit hours in any combination of sciences.
 - (2) Any science certificate valid for the grade level of the assignment.
 - (3) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
- (b) All teachers assigned to this course shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching this course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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§231.477. Digital Electronics, Grades 9-12.

- (a) Subject to the requirements in subsection (b) of this section, an assignment for Digital Electronics, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Legacy Master Mathematics Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (2) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (4) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (5) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (6) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (7) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (8) Secondary Mathematics (Grades 6-12).
 - (9) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (10) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (11) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (12) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

- (b) All teachers assigned to this course shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching this course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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§231.479. Robotics I, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Robotics I, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (2) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (3) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
- (4) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
- (5) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
- (6) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
- (7) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
- (8) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
- (9) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
- (10) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (11) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (12) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (13) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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§231.481. Computer Science, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Computer Science I, II, and III, or Digital Forensics, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Computer Science: Grades 8-12.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Computer Information Systems.
- (3) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Computer Information Systems.
- (4) Secondary Computer Information Systems (Grades 6-12).

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§231.483. Fundamentals of Computer Science and Advanced Placement Computer Science Principles, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Fundamentals of Computer Science or Advanced Placement Computer Science Principles, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Computer Science: Grades 8-12.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Computer Information Systems.
- (3) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Computer Information Systems.
- (4) Secondary Computer Information Systems (Grades 6-12).
- (5) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.

- (6) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
- (7) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree and appropriate work approval.
- (8) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree and appropriate work approval.
- (9) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree and appropriate work approval.

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§231.485. Game Programming and Design, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Game Programming and Design, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Computer Science: Grades 8-12.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Computer Information Systems.
- (3) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Computer Information Systems.
- (4) Secondary Computer Information Systems (Grades 6-12).
- (5) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
- (6) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
- (7) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
- (8) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
- (9) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
- (10) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (11) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (12) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (13) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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§231.487. Mobile Applications Development, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Mobile Applications Development, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any business or office education certificate.
- (2) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.
- (4) Computer Science: Grades 8-12.
- (5) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Computer Information Systems.
- (6) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Computer Information Systems.
- (7) Marketing: Grades 6-12.
- (8) Marketing Education: Grades 8-12.
- (9) Secondary Computer Information Systems (Grades 6-12).

- (10) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
- (11) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
- (12) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree and appropriate work approval.
- (13) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree and appropriate work approval.
- (14) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree and appropriate work approval.

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§231.489. Cybersecurity, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Foundations of Cybersecurity, Grades 9-12, and Cybersecurity Capstone is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Computer Science: Grades 8-12.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Computer Information Systems.
- (3) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Computer Information Systems.
- (4) Secondary Computer Information Systems (Grades 6-12).
- (5) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
- (6) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
- (7) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
- (8) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (9) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (10) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (11) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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§231.491. Discrete Mathematics for Computer Science, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Discrete Mathematics for Computer Science, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Computer Science: Grades 8-12.
- (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Computer Information Systems.
- (3) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Computer Information Systems.
- (4) Legacy Master Mathematics Teacher (Grades 8-12).
- (5) Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
- (6) Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
- (7) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
- (8) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
- (9) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
- (10) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.

- (11) Secondary Computer Information Systems (Grades 6-12).

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Division 16. Health Science, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.511. Health Science, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Health Science Theory, Health Science Clinical, Pharmacology, Pharmacy I, Pharmacy II, Principles of Health Science, World Health Research, Medical Assistant, Health Informatics, Healthcare Administration and Management, Leadership and Management in Nursing, Practicum in Health Science, Extended Practicum in Health Science, or Practicum in Nursing, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Health Science: Grades 6-12.
 - (2) Health Science Technology Education: Grades 8-12.
 - (3) Vocational Health Occupations.
 - (4) Vocational Health Science Technology.
- (b) An assignment for Medical Terminology, Anatomy and Physiology, Medical Microbiology, Pathophysiology, Respiratory Therapy I, or Respiratory Therapy II, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Health Science: Grades 6-12.
 - (2) Health Science Technology Education: Grades 8-12.
 - (3) Life Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (4) Life Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (5) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (6) Secondary Biology (Grades 6-12).
 - (7) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
 - (8) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).
 - (9) Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (10) Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (11) Vocational Health Occupations.
 - (12) Vocational Health Science Technology.
- (c) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.
- (d) All teachers assigned to this course shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching this course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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§231.513. Mathematics for Medical Professionals; Medical Coding and Billing, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Mathematics for Medical Professionals or Medical Coding and Billing, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Health Science: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree.

- (2) Health Science Technology Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree.
 - (3) Legacy Master Mathematics Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (4) Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (5) Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (6) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (7) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (8) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (9) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (10) Secondary Mathematics.
 - (11) Vocational Health Occupations. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree.
 - (12) Vocational Health Science Technology. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree.
- (b) All teachers assigned to this course shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching this course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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Division 17. Hospitality and Tourism, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.531. Hospitality and Tourism, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Hospitality Services, Hotel Management, Principles of Hospitality and Tourism, Travel and Tourism Management, Practicum in Hospitality Services, or Extended Practicum in Hospitality Services, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Any home economics or homemaking certificate.
 - (2) Any marketing or distributive education certificate.
 - (3) Family and Consumer Sciences, Composite: Grades 6-12.
 - (4) Hospitality, Nutrition, and Food Sciences: Grades 8-12.
 - (5) Marketing: Grades 6-12.
 - (6) Marketing Education: Grades 8-12.
 - (7) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (8) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (9) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (10) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.533. Culinary Arts, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Introduction to Culinary Arts, Culinary Arts, Advanced Culinary Arts, Practicum in Culinary Arts, or Extended Practicum in Culinary Arts, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any home economics or homemaking certificate.
 - (2) Family and Consumer Sciences, Composite: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Hospitality, Nutrition, and Food Sciences: Grades 8-12.
 - (4) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (5) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (6) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (7) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.535. Food Science, Grades 9-12.

- (a) Subject to the requirements in subsection (b) of this section, an assignment for Food Science, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Any home economics or homemaking certificate.
 - (2) Chemistry: Grades 7-12.
 - (3) Chemistry: Grades 8-12.
 - (4) Family and Consumer Sciences, Composite: Grades 6-12.
 - (5) Hospitality, Nutrition, and Food Sciences: Grades 8-12.
 - (6) Life Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (7) Life Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (8) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (9) Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (10) Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (11) Secondary Biology (Grades 6-12).
 - (12) Secondary Chemistry (Grades 6-12).
 - (13) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
 - (14) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (b) All teachers assigned to this course shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching this course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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Division 18. Human Services, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.551. Human Services, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Child Development, Child Guidance, Family and Community Services, Interpersonal Studies, Principles of Human Services, Practicum in Human Services, or Extended Practicum in Human Services, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any home economics or homemaking certificate.
 - (2) Family and Consumer Sciences, Composite: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Human Development and Family Studies: Grades 8-12.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.553. Lifetime Nutrition and Wellness, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Lifetime Nutrition and Wellness, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any home economics or homemaking certificate.
- (2) Family and Consumer Sciences, Composite: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Health: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
- (4) Health Science: Grades 6-12.
- (5) Health Science Technology Education: Grades 8-12.
- (6) Hospitality, Nutrition, and Food Sciences: Grades 8-12.
- (7) Human Development and Family Studies: Grades 8-12.
- (8) Vocational Health Occupations.
- (9) Vocational Health Science Technology.

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§231.555. Counseling and Mental Health, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Counseling and Mental Health, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any home economics or homemaking certificate.
- (2) Family and Consumer Sciences, Composite: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Health Science: Grades 6-12.
- (4) Health Science Technology Education: Grades 8-12.
- (5) Human Development and Family Studies: Grades 8-12.
- (6) Vocational Health Occupations.
- (7) Vocational Health Science Technology.

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§231.557. Dollars and Sense, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Dollars and Sense, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any business or office education certificate.
- (2) Any home economics or homemaking certificate.
- (3) Any marketing or distributive education certificate.
- (4) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.

- (5) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
- (6) Family and Consumer Sciences, Composite: Grades 6-12.
- (7) Human Development and Family Studies: Grades 8-12.
- (8) Marketing: Grades 6-12.
- (9) Marketing Education: Grades 8-12.

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§231.559. Cosmetology, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Introduction to Cosmetology, Cosmetology I, Cosmetology II, or Principles of Cosmetology Design and Color Theory, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates plus a valid Cosmetology Operator license or Class A Barber Operator license.

- (1) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (2) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (3) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (4) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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Division 19. Information Technology, Grades 9-12 Assignments.

§231.571. Information Technology, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Principles of Information Technology, Networking, or Networking Lab, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any business or office education certificate.
- (2) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
- (4) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
- (5) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
- (6) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
- (7) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
- (8) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
- (9) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (10) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (11) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (12) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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§231.573. Digital Communications, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Digital Media, Web Communications, or Web Design, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any business or office education certificate.
- (2) Any marketing certificate.
- (3) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.
- (4) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
- (5) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
- (6) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
- (7) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
- (8) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
- (9) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
- (10) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (11) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (12) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (13) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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§231.575. Computer Maintenance and Technician, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Computer Maintenance or Computer Maintenance Lab, Computer Technician Practicum, Extended Computer Technician Practicum, Practicum in Information Technology, or Extended Practicum in Information Technology, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (2) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (3) Technology Applications: Early Childhood-Grade 12.
 - (4) Technology Applications: Grades 8-12.
 - (5) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (6) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (7) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (8) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (9) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.577. Independent Study in Evolving/Emerging Technologies and Independent Study in Technology Applications, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Independent Study in Evolving/Emerging Technologies or Independent Study in Technology Applications, Grades 9-12, is allowed with any vocational or Career and Technical Education classroom teaching certificate valid for the subject and grade level taught.

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Division 20. Law and Public Service, Grades 9-12 Assignments**§231.591. Law, Public Safety, Corrections, and Security, Grades 9-12.**

- (a) An assignment for Correctional Services, Court Systems and Practices, Criminal Investigations, Federal Law Enforcement and Protective Services, Firefighter I and II, Law Enforcement I and II, Principles of Law, Public Safety, Corrections, and Security, Practicum in Law, Public Safety, Corrections, and Security, or Extended Practicum in Law, Public Safety, Corrections, and Security, Grades 9-12, is allowed with a valid license appropriate for the assignment plus one of the following certificates.
- (1) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (2) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (3) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (4) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.593. Forensic Science, Grades 9-12.

- (a) Subject to the requirements in subsection (b) of this section, an assignment for Forensic Science, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Chemistry: Grades 7-12.
 - (2) Chemistry: Grades 8-12.
 - (3) Health Science: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree.
 - (4) Health Science Technology Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree.
 - (5) Legacy Master Science Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (6) Life Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (7) Life Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (8) Science: Grades 7-12.
 - (9) Science: Grades 8-12.
 - (10) Secondary Biology (Grades 6-12).
 - (11) Secondary Chemistry (Grades 6-12).
 - (12) Secondary Science (Grades 6-12).
 - (13) Secondary Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).
 - (14) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree and appropriate work approval.
 - (15) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree and appropriate work approval.
 - (16) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (17) Vocational Health Occupations. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree.
 - (18) Vocational Health Science Technology. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree.

- (19) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree and appropriate work approval.
- (b) All teachers assigned to this course shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching this course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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§231.595. Government and Public Administration, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Foreign Service and Diplomacy, Planning and Governance, Political Science I and II, Principles of Government and Public Administration, Public Management and Administration, Practicum in Local, State, and Federal Government, or Extended Practicum in Local, State, and Federal Government, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following.
 - (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Government.
 - (2) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies.
 - (3) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Government-Political Science.
 - (4) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Social Science, Composite.
 - (5) Secondary Government (Grades 6-12).
 - (6) Secondary Political Science (Grades 6-12).
 - (7) Secondary Social Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).
 - (8) Secondary Social Studies, Composite (Grades 6-12).
 - (9) Social Studies: Grades 7-12.
 - (10) Social Studies: Grades 8-12.
 - (11) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (12) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (13) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (14) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.597. Revenue, Taxation, and Regulation, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Revenue, Taxation, and Regulation, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Any business or office education certificate.
- (2) Business and Finance: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Business Education: Grades 6-12.
- (4) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Social Studies.
- (5) Junior High School (Grades 9-10 only) or High School--Social Science, Composite.
- (6) Secondary Social Science, Composite (Grades 6-12).
- (7) Secondary Social Studies, Composite (Grades 6-12).

- (8) Social Studies: Grades 7-12.
- (9) Social Studies: Grades 8-12.
- (10) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (11) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (12) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (13) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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§231.599. National Security, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for National Security, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (2) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (3) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (4) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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Division 21. Manufacturing, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.621. Manufacturing, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Diversified Manufacturing I, Diversified Manufacturing II, Manufacturing Engineering Technology I, Metal Fabrication and Machining I, Metal Fabrication and Machining II, Precision Metal Manufacturing I, Precision Metal Manufacturing II, Precision Metal Manufacturing II Lab, or Principles of Manufacturing, Grades 9-12, is allowed using one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (2) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (3) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (4) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (5) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (6) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (7) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (8) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (9) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) Subject to the requirements in subsection (c) of this section, an assignment for Practicum in Manufacturing or Extended Practicum in Manufacturing, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
 - (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.
 - (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
 - (3) Any vocational agriculture certificate.
 - (4) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.

- (5) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (6) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (7) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (8) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (9) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (10) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (11) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (12) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (c) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.623. Welding, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Introduction to Welding, Welding I, Welding II, or Welding II Lab, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.
- (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Any vocational agriculture certificate.
- (4) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
- (5) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
- (6) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
- (7) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (8) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (9) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (10) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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§231.625. Manufacturing Engineering Technology II, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Manufacturing Engineering Technology II, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Grades 6-12 or Grades 9-12--Mathematics.
 - (2) Legacy Master Mathematics Teacher (Grades 8-12).
 - (3) Mathematics: Grades 7-12.
 - (4) Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (5) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 6-12.
 - (6) Mathematics/Physical Science/Engineering: Grades 8-12.
 - (7) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 7-12.

- (8) Physics/Mathematics: Grades 8-12.
 - (9) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
 - (10) Secondary Industrial Arts Technology (Grades 6-12).
 - (11) Secondary Mathematics.
 - (12) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (13) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree and appropriate work approval.
 - (14) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree and appropriate work approval.
 - (15) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (16) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires a bachelor's degree and appropriate work approval.
- (b) All teachers assigned to this course shall participate in Texas Education Agency-approved training prior to teaching the course effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Specific details about the required training can be found at tea.texas.gov/cte.

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Division 22. Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics, Grades 9-12 Assignments

§231.641. Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics, Grades 9-12.

- (a) An assignment for Energy and Power of Transportation Systems, Aircraft Airframe Technology, Aircraft Powerplant Technology, Aircraft Maintenance Technology, Automotive Basics, Automotive Technology I, Maintenance and Light Repair, Automotive Technology II, Automotive Service, Advanced Transportation Systems Laboratory, Basic Collision Repair and Refinishing, Collision Repair, Paint and Refinishing, Diesel Equipment Technology I, Diesel Equipment Technology II, Distribution and Logistics, Introduction to Aircraft Technology, Principles of Distribution and Logistics, Principles of Transportation Systems, Introduction to Transportation Technology, or Management of Transportation Systems, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
 - (2) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (3) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (4) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (5) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (b) Subject to the requirements in subsection (c) of this section, an assignment for Practicum in Transportation Systems, Extended Practicum in Transportation Systems, Practicum in Distribution and Logistics, or Extended Practicum in Distribution and Logistics, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.
- (1) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (2) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (3) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
 - (4) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

- (c) The school district is responsible for ensuring that each teacher assigned to a Practicum or Extended Practicum course, Grades 9-12, has completed appropriate training in state and federal requirements regarding work-based learning and safety.

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§231.643. Small Engine Technology, Grades 9-12.

An assignment for Small Engine Technology I or Small Engine Technology II, Grades 9-12, is allowed with one of the following certificates.

- (1) Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Grades 6-12.
- (2) Agricultural Science and Technology: Grades 6-12.
- (3) Any vocational agriculture certificate.
- (4) Secondary Industrial Arts (Grades 6-12).
- (5) Secondary Industrial Technology (Grades 6-12).
- (6) Technology Education: Grades 6-12.
- (7) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (8) Trade and Industrial Education: Grades 8-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (9) Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.
- (10) Vocational Trades and Industry. This assignment requires appropriate work approval.

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