



## Short-Term Approvals for Teachers: Content Knowledge Pathway

Refer to [Educator Licensure Approvals](#)

### Requirements

- **ONE** of the following:
  - Bachelor's degree in a teaching content area **OR**;
  - Bachelor's degree in any area **and** 32 semester hours of content area coursework from a regionally accredited institution
- Pass the applicable [licensure content test](#)
  - You can register for the appropriate content area test at the Illinois Licensure Testing System (ILTS) website which can be accessed by visiting; <http://www.il.nesinc.com/>
- [Submit ISBE form 83-88](#)

### Years Valid

3

The district must also maintain a weekly mentoring and coaching log, and submit the log annually to its ROE/ISBE, using [ISBE Form 83-82](#)

**\*83-82 forms should be sent, annually, to [licensure@kaneroe.org](mailto:licensure@kaneroe.org) by June 30<sup>th</sup> of the current fiscal year.**

### Notes

- While working on approval, the educator **must** complete:
  - An approved educator preparation program
  - edTPA
  - Student teaching experience
    - 1 year of experience on the STA **plus** a proficient or higher evaluation rating will waive student teaching.

### Renewable?

NO, this Short-Term Approval is valid for 3 years and cannot be renewed.

**Applications will be available through June 20, 2023**

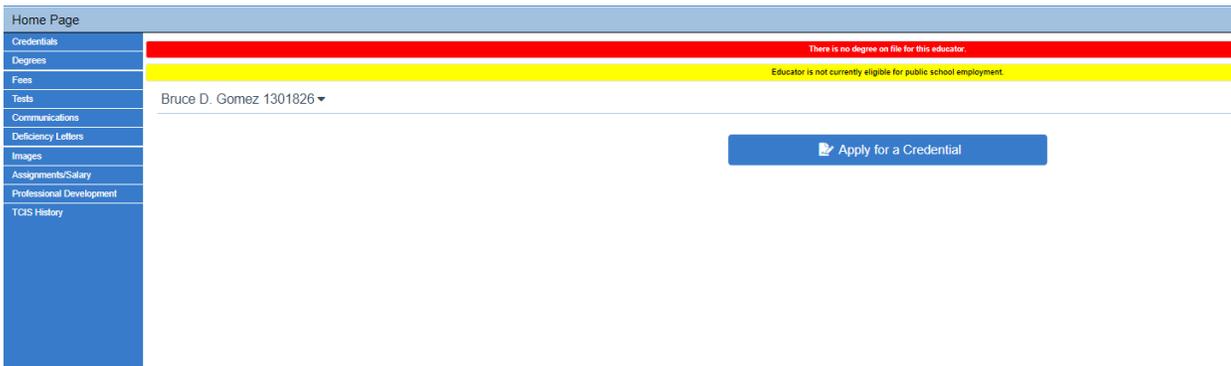
# STA – Content Knowledge Pathway Approval

- An educator does not need to hold a PEL endorsed in a teaching field to apply for this approval.

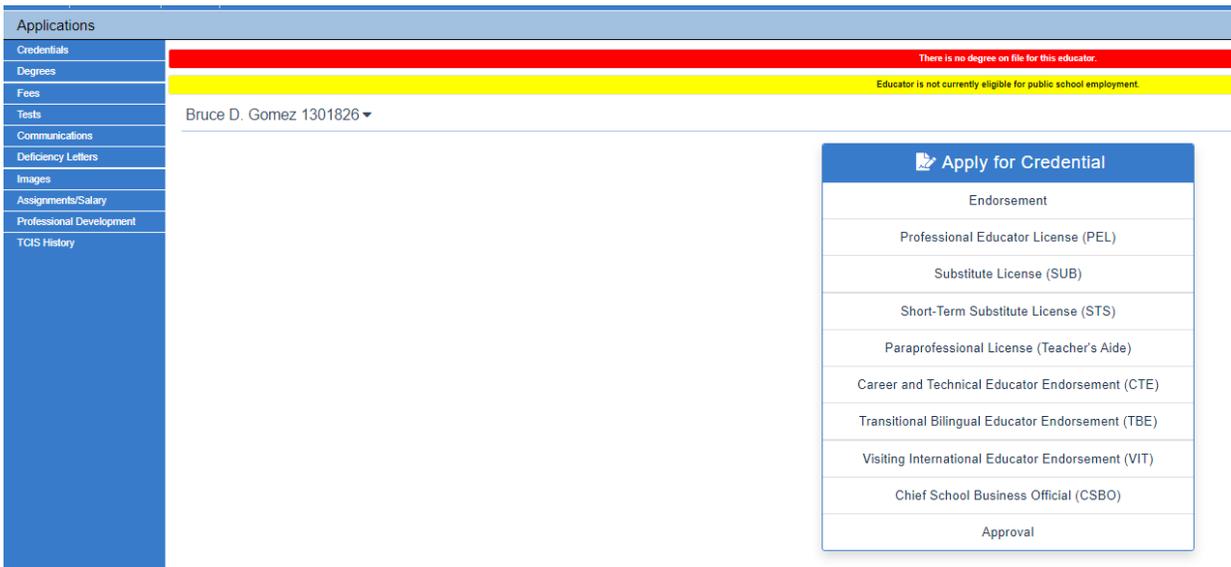
*Educators may use these steps and screenshots as reference when applying for this approval..*

## 1. Login to your ELIS account

- On the Home Screen - Click on Apply for a Credential



## 2. Click on Approval



3. Click on Short Term Approval for Teachers at all Grade Levels

- Click Next

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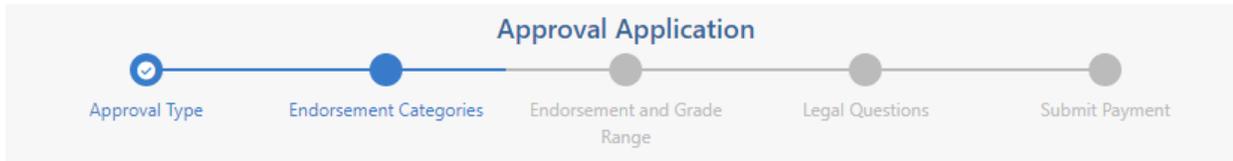
The first step to submitting your Illinois approval application is to determine your approval type. Please select your desired approval type from the list below.

- Adaptive PE *(No existing license found for this type of approval and educator)*
- Bilingual Special Education *(No existing license found for this type of approval and educator)*
- Early Childhood Special Education *(No existing license found for this type of approval and educator)*
- English as a Second Language Special Education *(No existing license found for this type of approval and educator)*
- Interim Speech-Language Pathologist Intern
- Interim School Counselor Intern
- Interpreters - Cued Speech
- Interpreters - Sign Language
- Short Term Approval for Teachers at all Grade Levels
- Short Term Emergency Approval for Special Education *(No existing license found for this type of approval and educator)*
- Teacher Coordinator *(No existing license found for this type of approval and educator)*
- Career and Technical Coordinator *(No existing license found for this type of approval and educator)*

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#### 4. Click Content Knowledge Pathway

- Click Next



Please select an endorsement category.

- School Support Personnel
- Content Knowledge Pathway
- Career and Technical Education *(No existing license found for this type of approval and educator)*
- All other areas of teaching *(No existing license found for this type of approval and educator)*

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5. Scroll or search for the area you wish to obtain

- Click the radio button next to the area
- Click Next

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**Select a Content Knowledge Pathway Endorsement and Grade Range.**

- CKAA - Content Knowledge Pathway: Agricultural Education  
Grade 5 through Grade 12 (5-12)
- CKAB - Content Knowledge Pathway: Bilingual Education Teacher - Albanian  
PreKindergarten through Grade 12
- CKAC - Content Knowledge Pathway: Bilingual Education Teacher - Amharic  
PreKindergarten through Grade 12
- CKAD - Content Knowledge Pathway: Bilingual Education Teacher - Arabic  
PreKindergarten through Grade 12
- CKAE - Content Knowledge Pathway: Bilingual Education Teacher - Assyrian  
PreKindergarten through Grade 12
- CKAF - Content Knowledge Pathway: Bilingual Education Teacher - Bengali  
PreKindergarten through Grade 12
- CKAG - Content Knowledge Pathway: Bilingual Education Teacher - Bulgarian  
PreKindergarten through Grade 12
- CKAH - Content Knowledge Pathway: Bilingual Education

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## 6. Complete the legal questions

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Please answer the following required questions of the Criminal History Disclosure Statement.

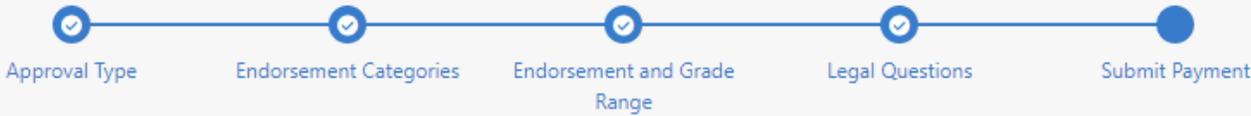
<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	Has your license or certificate (teaching, administrative, school support, etc.) ever been formally denied, suspended, or revoked in Illinois or any other state?
<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	Have you ever been convicted of a felony in Illinois or any other state, or are you subject to pending criminal charges for a felony in Illinois or any other state? <i>(You are not obligated to disclose sealed and expunged records of a conviction or an arrest. If unsure, you may seek legal counsel or contact ISBE for further information. Failure to accurately disclose this information may result in application denial or licensure sanction.)</i>
<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	Have you ever been convicted of any sex, narcotic, or drug offense in Illinois or any other state, or are you subject to pending criminal charges for any sex, narcotics, or drug offense (whether felony or misdemeanor) in Illinois or any other state? <i>(You are not obligated to disclose sealed and expunged records of a conviction or an arrest. If unsure, you may seek legal counsel or contact ISBE for further information. Failure to accurately disclose this information may result in application denial or licensure sanction.)</i>
<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	Have you failed to (a) file an Illinois tax return, (b) pay the interest, penalty, or tax shown on an Illinois filed return, or (c) pay any final assessment of interest, penalty, or tax as required by law and administered by the Illinois Department of Revenue which was not subsequently resolved to the Department's satisfaction?
<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	Have you ever been indicated as a perpetrator of child abuse or neglect by a state agency responsible for child welfare? <i>(Note: You must answer "Yes" to this question even if the report was removed from the State Central register due to expiration of the retention period, but you may answer "No" to this question if the finding was reversed on appeal.)</i>
<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	Are you currently more than 30 days delinquent in complying with a child support order? <i>No. I am not more than 30 days delinquent in complying with a child support order. I certify under penalty of perjury that this information is true and correct. I understand that failure to respond to this question may result in disciplinary action and that making a false statement with regard to this question may subject me to disciplinary action and contempt of court.</i> <i>Yes. I am currently more than 30 days delinquent in complying with a child support order.</i>
<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	<b>I certify, under penalty of loss of my right to teach or work in the schools of Illinois, the answers to these questions are true and correct in every respect.</b>

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7. Enter payment information when prompted.

- Click Next

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Please review the information below. Once you have reviewed the information, click "Submit Payment." By clicking "Submit Payment," you are electronically signing this application and authorizing the Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE) to charge your credit card for the listed application amount. **Once an application has been evaluated, a refund is no longer available.**

Name	Christian J Ortiz
Birth Date	8/15/1983
Amount	\$50.00
Approval	<b>Short Term Approval for Teachers at all Grade Levels</b> <small>CKAA - Content Knowledge Pathway: Agricultural Education Grade 5 through Grade 12 (5-12)</small>

Once you click "Submit Payment" you will be redirected to a payment processing page. Once your payment information has been entered, you will be redirected back to this page to complete the application process. Do NOT close this window until you receive your confirmation.

\*A non-refundable convenience fee will be added by NCR Corporation, a third party processing company, and will appear as a separate charge on your credit card statement.

8. Print the confirmation page and return Home.

Print this page for your records

You have successfully applied for the approval

Short Term Approval for Teachers at all Grade Levels

CKAA - Content Knowledge Pathway: Agricultural Education  
Grade 5 through Grade 12 (5-12)

Educator: Bruce D. Gomez  
IEIN: 1301826

All materials should be sent to:

Illinois State Board of Education  
Educator Licensure Department  
100 North First Street, E-240  
Springfield, Illinois 62777-0001

OR

Your local Region Office of Education (ROE).  
Find your local ROE [here](#).

Your application will not be evaluated until all required supplemental documents (e.g. transcripts, forms) have been received. Visit [www.isbe.net/Pages/Educator-Licensure-Requirements](http://www.isbe.net/Pages/Educator-Licensure-Requirements) to view requirements for your application.

To check the status of this application, please sign into your ELIS account and click *My Credentials*.

Once the review is complete, you will receive an e-mail indicating your status. All evaluations are valid for two fiscal years.

This is how the approval will display on the Credential page.

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There is no degree on file for this educator.

Educator is not currently eligible for public school employment.

Bruce D. Gomez 1301826

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Approvals

Approval Code	Approval	RCDT	Endorsement	Grade	Application Received	Status	Approval Granted Date	End Date
STA	Short Term Approval for Teachers at all Grade Levels		Content Knowledge Pathway: Agricultural Education	5-12	06/24/2021	Pending		