

# ALASKA LEGISLATURE

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## HB 102, Limited Teacher Certificates — Comparison to Current Law

Topic	Current Law	HB 102
Limited certificates valid for:	Limited teacher certificates can be issued for teaching: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Alaska Native culture</li><li>Alaska Native language</li><li>military science</li><li>vocational or technical education</li></ul>	Limited teacher certificates can be issued for teaching: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Alaska Native culture</li><li>military science</li><li>vocational or technical education</li><li>courses taught in an indigenous or foreign language</li></ul>
Limited certificates can only be issued if requested by:	A school board of a district or REAA	A school board of a district or REAA
Limited certificates valid in:	School district whose board requested it	School district whose board requested it
Requirements for limited certificate holder:	Must demonstrate instructional skills and subject matter expertise sufficient to assure the public that the person is competent as a teacher	Must demonstrate instructional skills and subject matter expertise sufficient to assure the public that the person is competent as a teacher
Term for limited certificates:	Set in regulation	One year initially; renewal period will be set in regulation

Testing limitations:	None	State board of education may not require a person to pass an English-language exam if person is requesting a certificate for teaching in a non-English language. School districts are not subject to this limitation.
Additional training:	The state board of education may require additional academic training	The state board of education may require additional academic training

Number of Type M and Type I certificates  
currently valid in Alaska

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**Type M Alaska Culture/Language****2016-2017 School year**

District	Endorsement Count
Type M endorsements	
Annette Island School District	2
Tsimshian Language/Culture	2
Craig City School District	2
Alaska Native Culture	1
Tlingit Language/Culture	1
Juneau Borough School District	3
Tlingit Language/Culture	3
Kenai Peninsula Borough School District	1
Aleut Language/Culture	1
Ketchikan Gateway Borough School District	1
Automotive	1
Lower Yukon School District	3
Yupik Language/Culture	3
Nome Public Schools	1
Yupik Language/Culture	1
North Slope Borough School District	9
Inupiaq Language/Culture	8
Native Language/Culture	1
Northwest Arctic Borough School District	1
Inupiaq Language/Culture	1
Saint Mary's School District	2
Yupik Language/Culture	2
Sitka School District	2
Tlingit Language/Culture	2
Wrangell Public School District	1
Tlingit Language/Culture	1
Yakutat School District	1
Tlingit Language/Culture	1
Yukon-Koyukuk School District	1
Athabascan Language/Culture	1
Yupiit School District	3
Yupik Language/Culture	3
<b>State-wide Total</b>	<b>34</b>

**Type I Instructional Aide****2016-2017 School year**

District	Endorsement Count
Type I endorsements	
Lower Kuskokwim School District	37
Associate Teachers / Bilingual Instructor	37

**Type M Career & Technical Education****2016-2017 School year**

District	Endorsement Count
<b>Type M endorsements</b>	
<b>Aleutians East Borough School District</b>	<b>3</b>
Carpentry	1
Construction	1
Welding	1
<b>Anchorage School District</b>	<b>24</b>
Automotive	4
Aviation	1
Culinary Arts	2
Electronics	1
Emergency Medical Technician	1
Fire Management	1
Graphic Arts	1
Handcrafts	1
Health Services	2
Nurses Aide Trainer	1
Small Engines	1
Veterinary Science	1
Video Production	1
Vocational Education	6
<b>Bering Strait School District</b>	<b>7</b>
Automotive	1
Carpentry	1
Construction	1
Machinist	1
Mechanics	1
Small Engines	1
Welding	1
<b>Craig City School District</b>	<b>2</b>
Carpentry	1
Construction	1
<b>Delta/Greely School District</b>	<b>1</b>
Vocational Education	1
<b>Denali Borough School District</b>	<b>3</b>
Computer Education	1
Construction	1
Welding	1

District	Type M endorsements	Endorsement Count
<b>Fairbanks North Star Borough School District</b>		<b>13</b>
Automotive	1	
Carpentry	2	
Construction	2	
Electronics	1	
Emergency Medical Technician	1	
Health Services	2	
Nurse's Aide Trainer	1	
Small Engines	1	
Trades	1	
Vocational Education	1	
<b>Galena City School District</b>		<b>1</b>
Automotive	1	
<b>Juneau Borough School District</b>		<b>1</b>
Carpentry	1	
<b>Kashunamiat School District</b>		<b>5</b>
Carpentry	1	
Small Engines	2	
Welding	2	
<b>Kenai Peninsula Borough School District</b>		<b>1</b>
Vocational Education	1	
<b>Ketchikan Gateway Borough School District</b>		<b>2</b>
Culinary Arts	1	
Technology Education	1	
<b>Kodiak Island Borough School District</b>		<b>5</b>
Business Education	1	
Computer Education	1	
Culinary Arts	1	
Vocational Education	1	
Welding	1	
<b>Lower Kuskokwim School District</b>		<b>2</b>
Carpentry	1	
Construction	1	
<b>Matanuska-Susitna Borough School District</b>		<b>18</b>
Automotive	1	
Computer Education	2	
Construction	6	
Emergency Medical Technician	2	
Fire Management	1	
Vocational Education	4	
Vocational/Health Occupations Education	1	
Welding	1	

District	Type M endorsements	Endorsement Count
<b>Nenana City School District</b>		<b>3</b>
Small Engines		1
Welding		1
Wood Shop		1
<b>North Slope Borough School District</b>		<b>10</b>
Automotive		1
Carpentry		1
Construction		1
Electronics		1
Inupiaq Language/Culture		1
Machinist		1
Mechanics		1
Small Engines		1
Vocational Education		1
Welding		1
<b>Northwest Arctic Borough School District</b>		<b>3</b>
Carpentry		1
Construction		1
Vocational Education		1
<b>Yupiit School District</b>		<b>4</b>
Automotive		1
Carpentry		1
Construction		1
Welding		1
<b>State-wide total</b>		<b>108</b>

#### Type M Military Science

2016 – 2017 school year

District	Type M endorsements	Endorsement Count
<b>Anchorage School District</b>		<b>2</b>
JROTC		2
<b>Fairbanks North Star Borough School District</b>		<b>11</b>
JROTC		11
<b>Matanuska-Susitna Borough School District</b>		<b>4</b>
JROTC		3
Military Science		1
<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>17</b>