License Renewal – Continuing Licenses

- Credits must be earned during the 5-year Renewal cycle and must be completed by June 30th of the license expiration date.
- 1 CEU = 10 contact hours per workshop (credits less than 1 CEU will not count)
- Requirements are based on your license area(s) and current assignment.
- Credit for educator experience is no longer included.

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REQUIREMENTS effective 7/1/2018, for those expiring 6/30/2019 and beyond G.S. 115C-296 (b) (1) c. iii

Expiring 6/30/2019 and Beyond: 8.0 CEUs TOTAL per 5-year renewal cycle including specific requirements as stated below:				
Educator Category	2 – NC Digital Learning Competencies	3 – Literacy	3 – Content	3 – Sch Admin
Pre-K Teachers	YES	No	YES	No
ALL Elementary Teachers & School Based licensed personnel including Student Services	YES	YES	YES	No
Middle School & School Based licensed personnel including Student Services	YES	No	YES	No
ALL 9-12 Teachers & School Based licensed personnel	YES	No	YES	No
Student Support Personnel (not school based)	YES	No	YES	No
Speech-Language with NCBOE based license must meet NCBOE yearly requirements	No	No	No	No
SLP + other license areas have 2 sets of renewal requirements: NCBOESLP yearly renewal requirements plus DPI renewal requirements for the other areas on the license	YES	YES if Elem	YES	No
SLP without NCBOE license	YES	YES if Elem	YES	No
School Based Principals/APs and AP Provisional 012 license	YES	No	No	YES
Central Office Educators	YES	No	No	YES
Retiree may use the Retiree Renewal Option: GS 115C-296(b) upon retirement IF the license has not expired	Retiree Option (no "banking")	Retiree Option (no "banking")	Retiree Option (no "banking")	Retiree Option (no "banking")

- <u>Content</u> academic content related to subject on license or student service area currently employed in: EC (all grades), AIG (all grades) and Elementary: Content = Language Arts/Writing, Math, Science, or Social Studies
 - Media, Counselors, Psychologists, Social Workers, etc. (school based): Content = your Dept. system-wide annual training Coaching clinics do not count as academic Content for PE teachers
- <u>Literacy</u>: shall include evidence-based assessment, diagnosis, and intervention strategies for students not demonstrating reading proficiency. Oral language, phonemic and phonological awareness, phonics, vocabulary, fluency, and comprehension shall be addressed in literacy-related activities leading to license renewal for elementary teachers.
- NC Digital Learning Competencies (technology): Online and face-to-face professional development

NOTE: It is recommended that K-12 positions (to include Media, Counselors, Psychologist and Social Workers) obtain 3 literacy CEU's in case they are moved to an elementary school during their renewal year.

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