

F. Interim Supervisor Certificate – grades PreK through 12

1. Except as noted, the administrative interim certificate is subject to the general certification provisions in R7-2-607.
2. The certificate is valid for one year from the date of initial issuance and may be extended yearly for no more than two consecutive years at no cost to the applicant if the provisions in subsection R7-2-616 (F)(6) are met.
3. The administrative interim certificate entitles the holder to perform the duties described in R7-2-616 B(1). The candidate shall be enrolled in an Arizona State Board approved alternative path to certification program, or an Arizona State Board authorized administrative preparation program.
4. An individual is not eligible to hold the administrative interim certificate more than once in a five year period.
5. The requirements for initial issuance of the administrative interim certificate are:
 - a. A valid Arizona early childhood, elementary, secondary, special education, CTE certificate, Pre-K12 Arts, or other professional certificate issued by the Department
 - b. A Bachelor's degree or higher in education from an accredited institution;
 - c. Three years of verified full-time teaching experience or related education services experience in a PreK through 12 setting;
 - d. Verification of enrollment in an Arizona State Board approved alternative path to administrator certification program, or an Arizona State Board approved administrator preparation program;
 - e. Verification the holder of the interim certificate shall be under the direct supervision of an Arizona certified district administrator or the appropriate County School Superintendent; and
 - f. A valid fingerprint clearance card issued by the Arizona Department of

Public Safety.

6. The requirements for the extension of the administrative interim certificate are:
 - a. Qualification for the initial issuance of the administrative interim certificate outlined in subsection R-7-2-616 (F)(5);
 - b. Official transcripts documenting the completion of required coursework;
 - c. Verification the holder of the interim certificate shall be under the direct supervision of an Arizona certified district administrator; and
 - d. A valid fingerprint clearance card issued by the Arizona Department of Public Safety.

7. The holder of the administrative interim certificate may apply for an Arizona Supervisor Certificate upon completion of the following:
 - a. Successful completion of an Arizona State Board approved alternative path to administrator certification program or an Arizona State Board approved administrator preparation program. This shall include satisfactory completion of a field experience or capstone experience of no less than one full academic year. The field experience or capstone experience shall include performance evaluations in a manner that is consistent with policies for the applicable alternative professional preparation program, as described pursuant to R7-2-604.04(B)(5);
 - b. A passing score on the Arizona Administrator Proficiency Assessment;
 - c. The submission of an application for the Supervisor certificate to the Arizona Department of Education; and
 - d. A valid fingerprint clearance card issued by the Arizona Department of Public Safety.

G. Interim Principal Certificate – grades PreK through 12

1. Except as noted, the administrative interim certificate is subject to the general certification provisions in R7-2-607.
2. The certificate is valid for one year from the date of initial issuance and may be extended yearly for no more than two consecutive years at no cost to the applicant if the provisions in subsection R7-2-616 (G)(6) are met.
3. The administrative interim certificate entitles the holder to perform the duties described in R7-2-616 (C)(1). The candidate shall be enrolled in an Arizona State Board approved alternative path to certification program, or an Arizona State Board authorized administrative preparation program.
4. An individual is not eligible to hold the administrative interim certificate more than once in a five year period.
5. The requirements for initial issuance of the administrative interim certificate are:
 - a. A Bachelor's degree or higher in education from an accredited institution;
 - b. Three years of verified full-time teaching experience in grades PreK through 12;
 - c. Verification of enrollment in an Arizona State Board approved alternative path to administrator certification program, or an Arizona State Board approved administrator preparation program;
 - d. Verification the holder of the interim certificate shall be under the direct supervision of an Arizona certified district principal or superintendent or the appropriate County School Superintendent; and
 - e. A valid fingerprint clearance card issued by the Arizona Department of Public Safety.
6. The requirements for the extension of the administrative interim certificate are:

- a. Qualification for the initial issuance of the administrative interim certificate outlined in subsection R-7-2-616 (G)(5);
- b. Official transcripts documenting the completion of required coursework;
- c. Verification the holder of the interim certificate shall be under the direct supervision of an Arizona certified district principal or superintendent; and
- d. A valid fingerprint clearance card issued by the Arizona Department of Public Safety.

7. The holder of the administrative interim certificate may apply for an Arizona Principal Certificate upon completion of the following:

- a. Successful completion of an Arizona State Board approved alternative path to administrator certification program or an Arizona State Board approved administrator preparation program. This shall include satisfactory completion of a field experience or capstone experience of no less than one full academic year. The field experience or capstone experience shall include performance evaluations in a manner that is consistent with policies for the applicable alternative professional preparation program, as described pursuant to R7-2-604.04(B)(5);
- b. A passing score on either the Principal or Superintendent portion of the Arizona Administrator Proficiency Assessment;
- c. The submission of an application for the Principal certificate to the Arizona Department of Education; and
- d. A valid fingerprint clearance card issued by the Arizona Department of Public Safety.

H. Interim Superintendent Certificate – grades PreK through 12

1. Except as noted, the administrative interim certificate is subject to the general certification provisions in R7-2-607.

2. The certificate is valid for one year from the date of initial issuance and may be extended yearly for no more than two consecutive years at no cost to the applicant if the provisions in subsection R7-2-616 (H)(6) are met.
3. The administrative interim certificate entitles the holder to perform the duties described in R7-2-616 D(1). The candidate shall be enrolled in an Arizona State Board approved alternative path to certification program, or an Arizona State Board authorized administrative preparation program.
4. An individual is not eligible to hold the administrative interim certificate more than once in a five year period.
5. The requirements for initial issuance of the administrative interim certificate are:
 - a. A Master's degree or higher from an accredited institution;
 - b. Three years of verified full-time teaching experience or related education services experience in a PreK through 12 setting;
 - c. Verification of enrollment in an Arizona State Board approved alternative path to administrator certification program, or an Arizona State Board approved administrator preparation program;
 - d. Verification the holder of the interim certificate shall be under the direct supervision of an Arizona certified district superintendent or the appropriate County School Superintendent; and
 - e. A valid fingerprint clearance card issued by the Arizona Department of Public Safety.
6. The requirements for the extension of the administrative interim certificate are:
 - a. Qualification for the initial issuance of the administrative interim certificate outlined in subsection R-7-2-616 (H)(5);
 - b. Official transcripts documenting the completion of required coursework;

- c. Verification the holder of the interim certificate shall be under the direct supervision of an Arizona certified district superintendent or the appropriate County School Superintendent; and
 - d. A valid fingerprint clearance card issued by the Arizona Department of Public Safety.
7. The holder of the administrative interim certificate may apply for an Arizona Superintendent Certificate upon completion of the following:
- a. Successful completion of an Arizona State Board approved alternative path to administrator certification program or an Arizona State Board approved administrator preparation program. This shall include satisfactory completion of a field experience or capstone experience of no less than one full academic year. The field experience or capstone experience shall include performance evaluations in a manner that is consistent with policies for the applicable alternative professional preparation program, as described pursuant to R7-2-604.04(B)(5);
 - b. A passing score on the Superintendent portion of the Arizona Administrator Proficiency Assessment;
 - c. The submission of an application for the Superintendent certificate to the Arizona Department of Education; and
 - d. A valid fingerprint clearance card issued by the Arizona Department of Public Safety.