

# What are PIPs, STSPs and Interns?

PIP	STSP	Intern
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Has graduated college</li> <li>• Has passed the CBEST</li> <li>• Designed to allow the prospective teacher pass the CSETs</li> <li>• Shows some mastery subject               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– 18 units or 9 upper division units for Single Subject</li> <li>– Liberal Studies major or 40 units with 10 units each 3 of the subject areas for Multiple Subjects</li> <li>– Ed Specialist – all of the above plus 3 years of special education experience or 9 units of special education classes</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Can only hold the credential for 1 calendar year. It cannot be renewed. But, a PIP can become a STSP for one year.</li> <li>• All PIPs are issued with ELL authorizations</li> <li>• Only the hiring school district may issue a PIP credential</li> <li>• Restricted to teaching only in the hiring district</li> <li>• Requires mentor support from the hiring district at a minimum of one hour per week</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Has graduated college</li> <li>• Has passed the CBEST</li> <li>• Shows some mastery subject               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– 18 units or 9 upper division units for Single Subject</li> <li>– Liberal Studies major or 40 units with 10 units each 3 of the subject areas for Multiple Subjects</li> <li>– Ed Specialist – all of the above plus 3 years of special education experience or 9 units of special education classes</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Can only hold the credential for 1 calendar year. It cannot be renewed.</li> <li>• All STSPs are issued with ELL authorizations</li> <li>• Only the hiring school district may issue a STSP credential</li> <li>• Restricted to teaching only in the hiring district</li> <li>• Requires mentor support from the hiring district at a minimum of one hour per week</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Has graduated college</li> <li>• Has passed the CBEST</li> <li>• Is enrolled in a college/university Intern Teaching program               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Has started or will be starting Student Teaching</li> <li>– May have started and finished some of the TPA's</li> <li>– Shows mastery of subject</li> <li>– Has passed the subject matter competency exam(s)</li> <li>– Has passed a US Constitution class or examination</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Intern credentials are valid for 2 years but cannot be renewed. There is a waiver option for an additional year.</li> <li>• a minimum of 144 hours of support/mentoring and supervision</li> <li>• An additional 45 hours of support/mentoring for EL needs</li> <li>• A minimum of two hours of support/mentoring and supervision must be provided to an intern teacher every five instructional days.</li> <li>• Credential is issued through the University through partnership with the hiring district.</li> <li>• Requires mentor support from both the hiring district and the university</li> </ul>