

PRESCHOOL TEACHER QUALIFICATIONS¹

Preschool General Education Teacher	Dual License Teacher for Preschool Integrated ² Class	Preschool Special Education Teacher
<i>The lead teacher of the general education class cannot serve as the intervention specialist of record or individualized education program (IEP) case manager for any children with disabilities (children with IEPs), even if the individual holds appropriate licensure for those roles.</i>	<i>Taught by a general education teacher or dual-licensed teacher who meets the lead teacher qualifications for a preschool special education class. Fifty percent of the students in the class are children with disabilities</i>	<i>A class in which the lead teacher is responsible for specially designed instruction for one or more children with IEPs enrolled in the class. and at least 51 percent of the students enrolled in the class are children with disabilities.</i>
Prekindergarten License	Prekindergarten License Alone or With Prekindergarten Special Needs 196097 Or Early Education of the Handicapped (Ages 3-6) 196095	Prekindergarten License With Prekindergarten Special Needs 196097 Or Early Education of the Handicapped (Ages 3-6) 196095
Early Childhood License (P-3)	Early Childhood License (P-3) Alone or With Prekindergarten Special Needs 196097 Or Early Education of the Handicapped (Ages 3-6) 196095	Early Childhood License (P-3) With Prekindergarten Special Needs 196097 Or Early Education of the Handicapped (Ages 3-6) 196095
Primary License (P-5)	Primary License (P-5) Alone or with Prekindergarten Special Needs 196097 Or Early Education of the Handicapped (Ages 3-6) 196095	Early Childhood Intervention Specialist License (P-3)
Early Childhood License (P-3) with 4-5 General Endorsement 185000	Early Childhood License (P-3) with 4-5 General Endorsement 185000 Alone or With Prekindergarten Special Needs 196097 Or Early Education of the Handicapped (Ages 3-6) 196095	• Intervention Specialist License (K-12) • Education of the Handicapped License (K-12) With Prekindergarten Special Needs 196097 Or Early Education of the Handicapped (Ages 3-6) 196095
Prekindergarten Associate	• Kindergarten – Elementary License (K-8) • Elementary License (1-8) • Kindergarten – Primary License (K-3) • Kindergarten – Primary License (K-3) Elementary 180100 • License with Family Consumer Science 090104 • High School License with Home Economics 230000 • Education of the Handicapped License (K-12) • Intervention Specialist License (K-12) • Career Technical License (4-12) With Prekindergarten 180108 Alone or With Prekindergarten Special Needs 196097 Or Early Education of the Handicapped (Ages 3-6) 196095	Primary Intervention Specialist License (P-5)
• Kindergarten – Elementary License (K-8) • Elementary License (1-8) • Kindergarten – Primary License (K-3) • Kindergarten – Primary License (K-3) Elementary 180100 • Vocational License with Family Consumer Science 090104 • High School License with Home Economics 230000 • Education of the Handicapped License (K-12) • Intervention Specialist License (K-12) • Career Technical License (4-12) With Prekindergarten 180108		
A bachelor's degree in child development or early childhood education from an accredited college or university with a minimum of 30 quarter or 20 semester hours in child development/preschool program planning and methods, including a supervised practicum with preschool children.	Meets one qualification of a general education preschool lead teacher Alone or With Early Childhood Intervention Specialist License (P-3) Or Primary Intervention Specialist License (P-5)	A valid K-12 intervention specialist license and meets one qualification of a general education preschool lead teacher.

*Teaching field or endorsement is represented with a six-digit code. A teaching license with no Teaching Field Code or Endorsement would indicate the licenses itself allows them to teach the area and grade level. (i.e. Early Child can teach P-3 General Education or a Kindergarten-8 (K-8) with 180108 Pre-Kindergarten can teach P-8 General Education)

¹ This document represents only State Board of Education educator licenses for the specific classroom designations as defined in Ohio Administrative Code 3301-37-04. Please refer to licensing requirements for additional credential information that also may be applicable to lead teacher credential requirements.

² Ohio Revised Code 3323.10 Licensure qualifications for teaching public school preschool integrated class.