

ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND OCC GATE COLLABORATIVE

GATE CERTIFICATION , RECERTIFICATION AND CONTINUING EDUCATION

GATE CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

- OCDE and OC Collaborative: Minimum Standards for GATE Certification
 - A minimum of 15 hours of seat time on GATE characteristics, academic, social-emotional and behavioral needs and GATE strategies for differentiation
 - Lesson planning & implementation, portfolio or equivalent

Certified teachers will receive a District or County Certificate with the OC Collaborative seal. Educators should save the certificate, scope and sequence and/ or agenda of program for their records.

RECERTIFICATION & CONTINUING EDUCATION

- GATE Conference Attendance (NAGC, SENG, CAG, OCC GATE, etc)
- Other conference attendance if sessions are relevant to gifted education (Equity & diversity, CUE, MTSS, etc)
- Providing professional development / presentation at school, district or conference
- Coaching or mentoring teachers who teach gifted students
- Learning walks in GATE Teachers classrooms (with discussion time)
- Collaborative lesson planning with GATE Teachers
- Developing shared resources for teachers at school or district
- Book study with 2 or more colleagues (relevant to gifted ed)
- In person, on-line or asynchronous courses (relevant to gifted ed)
- Design and present a model lesson for OCC GATE, district or school (PLC)
- Other options with district approval



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