## The University of the State of New York **THE STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT** Office of Teaching Initiatives 89 Washington Avenue Albany, New York 12234 <u>www.highered.nvsed.gov/tcert</u>

## Verification of Paid Experience and Evaluation Ratings for Initial Classroom Teaching Certificates under the Endorsement Pathway

All paid experience and evaluation ratings for Initial Classroom Teaching certificates must be verified by the Public School Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent for Human resources or the equivalent.

## Instructions for Certificate Holder:

Please complete Section I and submit the form to your employer(s) for completion of Section II. A separate form must be completed by each school district.

## Instructions for the Employer:

Please complete Section II and III. This form must be completed by the Superintendent of the school district or designee, Assistant Superintendent for Human resources or the equivalent, verifying that the certificate holder completed experience within the title of the certificate(s) held. The form must be submitted to the Office of Teaching Initiatives by the school District via email to: <u>otiexpverif@nysed.gov;</u> or by mail to the address listed above:

| Section I: To be completed by the certificate holder   |  |                  |  |
|--|--|------------------|--|
| First Name:  | Last Name:                                   | Middle Initial:  |  |
| Date of Birth: / /   | Last 4 Digits of the Social Security Number: |                  |  |
| Certificate title(s) you are requesting this form be completed for:  |  |                  |  |
| Section II: To be completed by the Public School District  |  |                  |  |
| Under Commissioners Regulation's for the Endorsement pathway, 80-5.8, a teacher must have at least three years of satisfactory experience in a public school (grades birth-12) in another state or territory of the United States or the District of Columbia in a position that would have required the equivalent of an Initial or Professional certificate in the certificate title sought as a teacher in the classroom teaching service for employment in New York State and have received evaluation ratings of effective or highly effective, or the substantial equivalent of such ratings, in each of his or her three most recent years of experience in a public school in another state or territory of the United States or the District of Columbia in the certificate title sought as a teacher in the classroom teaching service for employment in New York States or the District of Columbia in the certificate title sought as a teacher in the classroom teaching service for employment in New York States or the District of Columbia in the certificate title sought as a teacher in the classroom teaching service for employment in New York State. |  |                  |  |
| Street Address:  | City:  | State: Zip Code: |  |
| Employment year 1 (most recent school year) : Please list each school year separately  |  |                  |  |
| Title: Classroom Teacher Subject:  |  |                  |  |
| <ul> <li>Teaching Assistant</li> <li>Grade(s):</li> <li>Other</li> </ul>   |  |                  |  |
| Full-time:         from:         /         /         /         /         /         /         Number of days  |  |                  |  |
| Evaluation Rating:       Effective or Higher or the su         Below Effective         Not rated   | ubstantial equivalent                        |                  |  |

| Employment year 2: Please list each school year separately   |
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| Title:   Classroom Teacher   Subject:  |
| Teaching Assistant     Grade(s):     Grade(s):   |
| Other  |
| Full-time:         from:         /         /         /         /         /         /         Number of days           (mm)         (dd)         (yyyy)         (mm)         (dd)         (yyyy)         Number of days                                     |
| Evaluation Rating: Effective or Higher or the substantial equivalent   |
| Below Effective Not rated  |
| Employment year 3: Please list each school year separately   |
| Title:  Classroom Teacher Subject:   |
| Teaching Assistant     Grade(s):   |
| Other  |
| Full time:         from:         /         /         /         /         /         /         Number of days           (mm)         (dd)         (yyyy)         (mm)         (dd)         (yyyy)         Number of days                                     |
| Evaluation Rating:       Effective or Higher or the substantial equivalent         Below Effective       Not rated   |
| Employment year 4: Please list each school year separately   |
| Title:   Classroom Teacher   Subject:  |
| Teaching Assistant     Grade(s):   |
| Other  |
| Full time:         from:         /         /         /         /         /         /         Number of days  |
| Evaluation Rating:       Effective or Higher or the substantial equivalent         Below Effective       Not rated   |
| Employment year 5: Please list each school year separately   |
| Title:  Classroom Teacher Subject:   |
| <ul> <li>□ Teaching Assistant</li> <li>□ Other</li> </ul>  |
| Full time:         from:         /         /         /         /         /         /         /         /         /         Number of days  |
| Evaluation Rating:       Effective or Higher or the substantial equivalent         Below Effective   |
| Not rated  |
| Section III  |
| I verify that the individual listed above gained the paid experience and had evaluations as listed above at the public school of which I am the Superintendent, Superintendent's designee, Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources or the equivalent. |
| Print name of administrator:   |
| Signature of administrator:Date:   |
| Administrative title:  |
| Email:Phone #:   |