

### Equivalent Activities Options

Options/Activity Types	Maximum Credit Per Year	Maximum Credit Per License Cycle	Verification/ Documentation	Criteria
<b>College Coursework</b>	Unlimited  Unlimited	Unlimited  Unlimited  60 contact hours per license cycle per supplemental contracts	Unofficial transcripts	<p>*Must be taken through accredited university</p> <p>*Coursework must be aligned with individuals' IPDP goals.</p> <p>*Coursework aligned with supplemental contracts cannot exceed 60 contact hours per license cycle.</p>
<b>Committee - District/Bldg</b>	10 contact hours per year per committee	50 contact hours per license cycle per committee	Certificate of attendance or Activity Log (if certificate is not provided)	*Must be service on formal committee.

<b>Committee-Professional</b>	10 contact hours per year	50 contact hours per license cycle	Certificate of attendance or Activity Log	*Must be service on formal committee organized by local, state, national, or international education agency or organization.
<b>Conference/Workshop (ongoing series of sessions or single session)</b>	Unlimited	Unlimited  60 contact hours per license cycle	Certificate of attendance	*Workshop must be aligned with individuals' IPDP goals.  *Workshop aligned with supplemental contracts cannot exceed 60 contact hours.
<b>District Sponsored Professional Development</b>	Unlimited	Unlimited	Certificate of attendance	*Any opportunity offered or required by NCSD.

<b>Educational Travel</b>		30 contact hours per license cycle	Activity log or agenda	<p>*Must enhance individual's work in the profession or contribute to teacher's area of specialization.</p> <p>*Educational travel must be academic in nature. This would <i>exclude</i> travel for competitions.</p> <p>*Travel must be aligned with individuals' IPDP goals.</p>
<b>Gifted Training (State Mandated)</b>	Minimum 15 contact hours per year	Minimum 30 contact hours per license cycle	Certificate of attendance or Activity Log (if certificate is not provided)	*Specifically designed opportunities offered or required by NCSD to fulfill state requirements.
<b>Grant Writing</b>		30 contact hours per license cycle	Activity log and copy of grant application	<p>*Contact hours not dependent on awarding of grant</p> <p>*Documented clock hours in planning and preparation</p>
<b>Mentoring RESA</b>	30 contact hours per year	Maximum 60 contact hours per license cycle	Certificate of completion	*Serving as an official mentor of RESA program for a two year term.
<b>Mentoring Student Teacher/Administrator</b>		Maximum 60 contact hours per license cycle	Activity log	*Serving as an official mentor teacher for a college or university student during a semester or full-year placement.

<b>Multiple - Approved by Previous Employer</b>	Unlimited	Unlimited	Approval Verification Form for Educators Leaving an Ohio Local Professional Development Committee (LPDC)	*Limited to new hires only.
<b>Multiple Graduate Degree Program</b>	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unofficial transcripts	*For your convenience, you may upload your entire graduate program instead of entering individual classes.
<b>National Board of Professional Teaching Standards Certification</b>		Maximum of 180 contact hours per license cycle	Copy of official National Board Certificate or Activity Log (if candidate does not complete certification).	*Must enhance individual's work in the profession or contribute to teacher's area of specialization.
<b>Professional Presentation</b>		Maximum 60 contact hours per license cycle	Activity log and provide a copy of the presentation, handouts, and evaluation instrument that will be used, if there is one	*Must contribute or add to the body of knowledge in the education profession.
<b>Professional Publication</b>		Maximum 60 contact hours per license cycle	Activity log and a copy of the publication.	*Must contribute or add to the body of knowledge in the education profession.
<b>Self-Directed Educational Development</b>  (Documentation form available on website)		Maximum 60 contact hours per license cycle	Activity log, outline, or plan of self-directed learning objectives	*Examples include: individual book studies, action research project, piloting new curriculum, and learning new technology to enhance the teaching and learning process.

<b>Teaching a college course/adult vocational or technical course</b>		60 contact hours per license cycle	Activity log Course syllabus	*May only be used for the <i>first</i> time teaching the course.
<b>Educational Affiliated Webinars</b>	Unlimited	Unlimited	Certificate of attendance or certificate of completion	*Must contribute or add to the body of knowledge in the education profession  *Program must be aligned with individuals' IPDP goals
<b>Teacher Academy Field Experience</b>	15 hours per year	30 hours per license cycle	Activity Log	
<b>Teacher Academy Portfolio</b>	Unlimited	Unlimited	Certificate of Completion  One (1) Portfolio graded equals one (1) contact hour	

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