



CERTIFICATION PROGRAMS FOR TEACHERS & ADMINISTRATORS

Norda

Education Programs

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Project Teaching is an alternative certification program approved by the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction. We work with Saint Mary's University of Minnesota which provides credit.

Under PI 34, the DPI approves two types of alternative certification programs. Our web site provides details <http://norda.us/projectteaching.aspx>

In areas of high need (including art, computer science, foreign languages, mathematics, music, sciences and technology) those who successfully complete the first part of our program can teach with a two-year DPI permit while being supervised by personnel in the district and visited regularly by a representative from Project Teaching. In other areas a certification by equivalency is available for a person with a degree in a secondary school subject area. In either case, participants can be certified by successfully completing our program including a full semester of fulltime student teaching.

Participants are evaluated at three points in the program. They complete professional portfolios evaluated based on Wisconsin's Ten Standards and statutory requirements before and after required teaching. During required teaching they are evaluated based on the Ten Standards at least four times by one of our supervising teachers and twice by their cooperating teacher or other school personnel.

Sincerely,

Mark Stensvold