Self-Evaluation Form

For Internationally Educated Teachers

This self-evaluation form will help you learn about the requirements to obtain a teaching certification in Manitoba and decide whether you wish to proceed with an assessment of your academic credentials by World Education Services (WES).

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:

☐ I am a Canadian Citizen, or landed immigrant (permanent Resident in Canada) or hold a valid work visa

☐ I have attended five years of post-secondary education (150 credit hours of coursework)*

☐ I hold an approved university degree or equivalent

☐ I have completed an approved teacher education program

☐ I hold a teaching certificate from the jurisdiction where I completed my teacher education program

☐ My teaching certificate has never been suspended or revoked

☐ I have never been convicted of, nor am I presently charged with a criminal offence of a sexual nature

☐ I have never been convicted of, nor am I presently charged with a criminal offence involving a minor

☐ I am fluent in English and/or French

SPECIFIC COURSE REQUIREMENTS:

Teachable Subjects:
One of the academic requirements for teacher certification is that you must have one (1) major and one (1) minor teachable subject. Your major teachable subject must be different from your minor teachable subject. Consult the Professional Certification and Student Records Unit website for a list of teachable subjects.

* credit hour means the basic unit used by a Manitoba university or other approved post-secondary institution for recognition of academic work that applies towards a degree, a diploma or a certificate. In Manitoba 3 credit hours equals to approximately 13 weeks at 3 hours per week.
I am an elementary or middle years teacher (Kindergarten to Grade 8) and have completed 18 credit hours in a major teachable subject and 12 credit hours in a minor teachable subject; or

I am a secondary level teacher (Grade 9 to Grade 12) and I have completed 30 credit hours in a major teachable subject and 18 credit hours in a minor teachable subject

Professional Teacher Education:

☐ I have completed 90 credit hours of an undergraduate degree and at least 60 credit hours of education coursework, including 24 weeks (30 credit hours) of student teaching (practicum) in a Kindergarten to Grade 12 setting.

☐ I am an elementary or middle year teacher and I have completed academic courses in the following subject areas with the following credit hours:
   - 6 credit hours in Math
   - 6 credit hours in a Physical or Biological Science
   - 6 credit hours in English or French
   - 6 credit hours in History, Geography or a combination of History and Geography

To apply for a teaching certificate in Manitoba, you must first obtain an assessment of your academic credentials from World Education Services (WES).

Once the Professional Certification and Student Records Unit (PCSRU) has received your WES Assessment Report and you have submitted all the required documents, PCSRU will complete an evaluation of your academic credentials and advise you of one of the following three possible outcomes:

✓ You qualify for a Permanent Teaching Certificate
✓ You qualify for a Provisional Professional Teaching Certificate (valid for three [3] years)
✓ You do not meet the qualifications for a Manitoba Teaching Certificate

For more specific information, please contact the Professional Certification and Student Records Unit.