

Table 2. Numbers of Teaching Certificates Issued to Persons Who Completed an Alternative Route, by State: 1985-2005

STATE	1985-86	1986-87	1987-88	1988-89	1989-90	1990-91	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1995-96	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Alabama				74	222	309	460	559	522	609	854	885	880	1,159	1,596	1,751	2,087	2,225	2,069	2,318
Alaska						0				2	0	0								0
Arizona					3	11	5	32										0	0	0
Arkansas					11	10	6	50		100				400			164	147	260	179
California						962	1,188	1,139	1,201	735	1,010	1,194		2,042	2,503	4,455	4,492	4,998	5,490	8,341
Colorado	50	50	50	50	50	50		41	44	65	48	60	88	155	171	238	462	723	695	517
Connecticut			100	100	100	100	38	59		70	90	108		159	219	199	213	300	249	888
Delaware													29	33	33	39	44	47	48	42
District of Columbia							46												82	N/A
Florida																	79	147	650	847
Georgia															1,311	1,152	766	1,303	1,330	2,281*
Hawaii	25	14	16	9	8	2	90	55	68	96	59	48	51	209						
Idaho							4	8	7	10				8	5	3	3	6	7	784
Illinois						6								24	21	157	274	491	302	369
Indiana																		2	137	0
Iowa																			0	
Kansas																				
Kentucky						20							14	40	33	380	282	1,386	821	961
Louisiana								355	441	389	432	414	484	478	438	728	612			992
Maine																				1,250
Maryland	8	23	25	45	57		109		149	78	71	45		55	80	17	15	140	91	125
Massachusetts																1,891	3,280	4,669	3,091	8,083
Michigan															40		40			
Minnesota						0	18	22	22	32	25	26	28	29	9			6		70
Mississippi		40	160	201	199	229											354	402	516	821
Missouri						25	25	23				4				28	29	151	184	194
Montana																			11	
Nebraska						14	45			50								8	35	
Nevada													21							
New Hampshire			508	595	488	187	301	312	338	392	308	288	298	210	123					357
New Jersey	110	294	460	746	985	975		458	702		701	627		1,223	1,832	1,981	1,826	2,395	2,908	2,546
New Mexico				9		80		77	115	89	85	78	65	73			60	71	102	110
New York																	1,165	1,428	2,072	1,546
North Carolina		177	297	243	318	432	325	223										246	282	508
North Dakota																				0
Ohio																31	35			
Oklahoma			3	2	1	0		54	241	413	342	468	595	661	533	255	599	657		
Oregon		0	0	2	1	4										291	271			
Pennsylvania					265	178	321	351	259	201	310	197	231	308	296					14
Rhode Island																				
South Carolina	62	135	60	35	38	48	32	42		65	68	77	139	191	434				407	
South Dakota						0	1	3					26	80	76			39	8	15
Tennessee																611	680	1,223	2,132	2,613
Texas		575	793	1,032	1,278			1,649	2,186	2,494	2,610	2,426	2,663	2,660	2,505	3,528	4,628	7,117	9,962	
Utah								75	9	35	29	16		92	108	104	120	26	102	87
Vermont	20	20	20	20	20	20	20			50										
Virginia			314	458	650	750			390	458				1,980	2,746			6,142	5,206	4,324
Washington																		165	88	159
West Virginia							0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin						0		0	0		0	0	19		0	0	0	0	0	0
Wyoming													6	11	20	10		14	10	14

Blanks indicate "no data".

* Georgia reported that 11,697 new teachers were hired in 2005 and that 19.5% of them came through alternate routes.

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