

**Alternative Teacher Certification - A State-by-State Analysis 2010:  
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**Table 6. Age of Alternative Teacher Certification Candidates: 2009**

	Question: What do you estimate is the average age of students currently enrolled in your state's alternative teacher certification program(s) ?		Question; What percent of your alternative teacher certification candidates are represented by the following age groups?					
	State does not have data	Average age	18-24 years	25-29 years	30-39 years	40-49 years	50+ years	Not sure
		In years	%	%	%	%	%	%
Alabama	x							
Alaska	x							
Arizona								
Arkansas		34	9	14	44	25	8	
California		Not available	47.6		27.4	15.1	8.7	1
Colorado		Not available	11	30	30	24	6	0
Connecticut		39	4	15	27	38	16	0
Delaware		35	0	40	38	16	6	
District of Columbia	x							
Florida		> 30	30		33	23	12	2
Georgia			1.5	19.2	32	17	10	20
Hawaii	x							
Idaho			Data not collected					
Illinois	x							
Indiana			Data not collected					
Iowa			Data not collected					
Kansas		35.7	1	57	81	36	24	
Kentucky	x							
Louisiana	x							
Maine								
Maryland		35		18	65	15	2	
Massachusetts	x							
Michigan		39	0	35	30	25	10	
Minnesota	x							
Mississippi		26	10	35	35	15	5	
Missouri		36	4	31	35	18	12	
Montana		35						
Nebraska	x							
Nevada								
New Hampshire		30						
New Jersey	x							
New Mexico	x							
New York		29	42	27	18	8	5	
North Carolina			0.5	32.6	35.4	19.5	11.3	0.7
North Dakota								
Ohio	x	38.4	2.5	22.7	33.3	22	19	0.5
Oklahoma		25-55						x
Oregon			No Alternative Certification Program					
Pennsylvania	x	N/A						
Rhode Island	x							
South Carolina		35	3.5	36.6	41	10	8.8	
South Dakota	x							
Tennessee	x							
Texas		32.1	20.5	30.6	28.7	13.5	6.2	0.5
Utah		38	7.3	23	32	23	15	
Vermont			Data not collected					
Virginia	x							
Washington		34						
West Virginia								
Wisconsin	x							
Wyoming		32	7	29	50	70	0	

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