

## Preconditions for Specialist Credentials and Certificates

### California Teachers of English Learners (CTEL)

- (1) Per Title 5, Section 80015 (a)(3), each program for the California Teachers of English Learners shall require completion of 24 semester units (or 36 quarter units) or 12 upper-division/graduate semester units (or 18 quarter upper division/graduate quarter units) in the approved course work for the certificate.

#### Program Response:

Alliant International University requires candidates to complete 12 graduate-level, semester units while enrolled in the [CTEL Program leading to CLAD Certification](#). The CTEL Program consists of four, 8-week courses designed to meet the required standards. The course titles and semester units are as follows:

- CTE 70400: Culture and Development of Cross-Cultural Competencies (3 units)
- CTE 74100: Theory and Method of Second Language Teaching (3 units)
- CTE 74160: Assessment and Instruction of English Learners (3 units)
- CTE 74210: Principles of Linguistics (3 units)

#### Source:

This requirement is presented within the Alliant Catalog under [Alliant Programs > California School of Education > Certificate in California Teachers of English Learners \(CTEL\) Leading to CLAD Certification](#)

- (2) Per Title 5, Section 80015.2(a), applicants recommended for a Crosscultural, Language, and Academic Development Certificate (CLAD) must possess a valid California teaching credential, services credential, children's center instructional permit, or children's center supervision permit which authorized the holder to provide instruction to pupils in preschool, kindergarten, any of grades 1 to 12 inclusive, or classes primarily organized for adults except the following:

- (a) Emergency credentials or permit,
- (b) Exchange credentials as specified in [Education Code Section 44333](#),
- (c) District intern certificates as specified in [Education Code Section 44325](#),
- (d) Sojourn certificated employee credentials as specified in [Education Code Section 44856](#);
- (e) Teacher education internship credentials as specified in Article 3 (commencing with [Education Code Section 44450](#)) of Chapter 3.

#### Program Response:

Alliant International University requires all applicants to provide the following information at the point of admissions:

- Candidates must **possess a valid California teaching credential, Clinical Rehabilitative Services Credential with a Special Class Authorization, School Nurse Services Credential with a Special Teaching Authorization in Health, Children's Center Permit (excluding emergency), or Child Development Permit (excluding Assistant and Associate Permit)** that authorizes the holder to provide instruction to pupils in preschool, grades K-12, or classes primarily organized for adults. Candidates who hold an out of state (non-California)

teaching credential must provide proof of teaching credential/certificate/license with either an official transcript or official copy of credential/certificate/license.

**Source:**

This requirement is presented within the Alliant Catalog under [Admissions & Registration > CSOE Admissions Requirements](#) > *Certificate in CLAD/CTEL*