

Proposed Equivalency Policies for AA AS Degrees

The candidate making the claim of equivalent qualifications must provide conclusive evidence in regard to A and B below (minimum qualifications include A1 AND B1, plus some combination of A2 and B2): A. Degree Requirements

1. GE Requirements

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1. Additional Degree Requirements

Additional education to include a combination of college semester units and/or industry training in the discipline or a related discipline, equivalent to 24 semester units (each unit of credit is equal to 54 hours of training).

B. Occupational Proficiency

1. Shall have occupational proficiency in the vocational subject assigned commensurate with the grade of difficulty level of instruction. Evidence of occupational proficiency will be based upon at least two years of recent work experience, calculated either consecutively or cumulatively, which is directly related to the occupation to be taught or upon evidence of equivalent proficiency. (California State Plan for Vocational Education)

2. The equivalent of four years of documented experience that demonstrates possession of thorough and broad skill and knowledge for each of the following as separate and District criteria:

a. Mastery of the skills of the vocation thorough enough for the proposed specific assignment and broad enough to serve as a basis for teaching the other courses in the discipline.

PLUS b. Extensive and diverse knowledge of the working environment of the vocation.

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3. AND 9 additional (non-repeatable) elective units

4. 2 recent years of full time industry work experience in the field.

60+ College academic non-repeatable, transferable units to include,

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3. 17-21 non-repeatable, transferable elective college units.