



ACCOMPLISHED TEACHING FOR STUDENT IMPACT

*Graduate Certificate Program
supporting National Board Certification*

The Accomplished Teaching for Student Impact Graduate Certificate Program prepares P-12 teachers to submit for **National Board Certification**.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Offered by the Department of Secondary and Middle School Education, the 12-unit certificate provides students with support and feedback on critical aspects and requirements of the National Board Certification process. Over a two-year period, students will engage in relevant National Board aligned courses within a cohort model.

REQUIRED COURSES

- SCED 647 Advanced Processes of Teaching and Learning - *aligned with foundational competencies of NBC and Component 1*
- ELED 648 Differentiating Instruction for Advanced Learning - *aligned with Component 2*
- EDUC 660 Matters of Diversity, Equity and Empowerment in Learning Communities - *aligned with Component 3*
- SPED 632 Assessment Issues for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Students - *aligned with Component 4*

CAREER ENHANCEMENT

Teachers who attain National Board Certification advance in their careers, earn higher salaries and gain stature within the profession.

NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFIED FACULTY

Our instructors have achieved National Board Certification and have been recognized for their expertise supporting National Board candidates through the process.

INFORMATION SESSIONS FOR AACPS STAFF

Please select a link below to register to attend a **Virtual Information Session**. Registrants will receive a Zoom link to join the selected session:

Thurs., March 7th 4:00PM-4:30PM

Wed., April 3rd 5:00PM-5:30PM

Thurs., April 25th 5:30PM-6:00PM

DISCOUNTED TUITION RATES

Through the Towson Learning Network, AACPS employees receive a no-fee application link and discounted tuition.

PROGRAM RELEVANCE

Each course in this 12-unit certificate is aligned with one of the four components of National Board Certification.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- No GRE required
- Completion of Bachelor's degree or equivalent
- Overall GPA of 3.0 or permission of the graduate program director
- Current teaching certificate
- Concurrent National Board candidacy

CONTACT

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