

# DELAWARE

## Institutional Authorization

Western Governors University is authorized to provide its educational programs in Delaware through a state authorization reciprocity agreement (NC-SARA). More information about NC-SARA is available on their [website](#).

## Licensure Pathway

Candidates applying for a teaching license in Delaware do so through the direct licensure pathway. Information on the different licensure pathways is available in the [licensure handbook](#). Complete details on licensure requirements in the state of Delaware as well as information on applying using the direct licensure pathway can also be found in the [licensure handbook](#).

## Educational Prerequisites

WGU's education preparation programs satisfy the applicable educational prerequisites for professional licensure in Delaware for the following licenses:

WGU Program	License
BA Elementary Education MAT Elementary Education	Elementary Education, K-6
BA Special Education and Elementary Education (Dual Licensure)	Elementary Education K-6 and Special Education Teacher of Students with Disabilities K-12
MAT Special Education**	Special Education Teacher of Students with Disabilities K-12
BS Mathematics Education (Middle Grades) MAT Mathematics Education (Middle Grades) MA Mathematics Education (Middle Grades)*	Middle Level Mathematics, 6-8
BS Science Education (Middle Grades) MA Science Education (Middle Grades)*	Middle Level Science, 6-8
BS Mathematics Education (Secondary) MAT Mathematics Education (Secondary) MA Mathematics Education (Secondary)*	Secondary Mathematics, 6-12
BS Science Education (Secondary Biological Science) MA Science Education (Secondary Biological Science)*	Secondary Biology, 6-12
BS Science Education (Secondary Chemistry) MA Science Education (Secondary Chemistry)*	Secondary Chemistry, 6-12
BS Science Education (Secondary Earth Science) MA Science Education (Secondary Earth Science)*	Secondary Earth Science, 6-12
BS Science Education (Secondary Physics) MA Science Education (Secondary Physics)*	Secondary Physics, 6-12
MAT Science Education (Secondary)	Secondary Biology, 6-12 <i>or</i> Secondary Chemistry, 6-12 <i>or</i> Secondary Earth Science, 6-12 <i>or</i> Secondary Physics, 6-12
MAT English Education (Secondary)	Secondary English Language Arts, 6-12
Endorsement English Language Learning (PreK-12)* MA English Language Learning (PreK-12)*	Teachers of English Learners K-12
MS Educational Leadership*^	School Principal

\*Advanced programs are for already licensed teachers who want to add an additional teaching area or field to their licenses (or a separate license for Educational Leadership). These programs are not intended for aspiring teachers seeking initial licensure.

^Students interested in the MS Educational Leadership program should contact [licensure@wgu.edu](mailto:licensure@wgu.edu) prior to enrollment.

Prior to enrollment, students interested in the MA Mathematics Education program or MA Science Education program should request an evaluation through the Delaware Educator Data System (DEEDS) of coursework and/or testing needed to be eligible for certification in an additional area.

Candidates seeking to add an endorsement in mathematics, science, and special education should contact [licensure@wgu.edu](mailto:licensure@wgu.edu) prior to enrollment.

**\*\*WGU has not made a determination as to whether this program will meet the educational prerequisites for professional licensure in Delaware as it has recently been introduced in the state. Delaware requires special education candidates to apply for licensure in another content area at the same time.**

**The following program is not available in Delaware:**

- *BA Special Education (Mild to Moderate)* – Delaware requires dual endorsement for Special Education certification. Therefore, students in Delaware may not enroll in this program, as they will not receive a teaching certificate.

**Consumer Complaint Information**

Students can refer to [this information](#) regarding the complaint process for those attending WGU in Delaware.

**Military Information**

Delaware supports the “Troops to Teachers” program. More information about this program may be found at [this link](#). Delaware does not offer other licensure considerations for military members, veterans, and spouses of military members.