

## Industry Certifications and State Articulation Agreements

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## Industry Certification

- Benefits
  - Recognized technical credential
  - Validation of student technical skill mastery
  - Provides direction for instruction
  - School Grade points
  - Articulated Postsecondary credit



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## The State Effort

“These agreements (59 to date, another 27 in process) are intended to be a minimum guarantee of articulated credit and do not preclude institutions from granting additional credit based on local agreements”



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### Making Industry Certifications Happen

- Teacher Certification
- Funding Student Exam Fees
- Providing testing in the school



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### Certiport

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### Certiport

- Unlimited Exam Practice
- Exam
- Database collection of practice and exam performance
- All practice and exams done on the school campus



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### Osceola Example

- Between January and June 2010
  - 3065 teacher and student certification exam attempts
  - 1,521 certifications earned



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### State Articulation



- Accepted at ANY State University and Community College
- Provides a minimum of credit
- Local partnership can increase the credit available as the wish

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### Questions



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Thank You

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