

# GRADUATE INITIAL TEACHER CERTIFICATION

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**Web Site:** <https://twu.edu/teacher-education/graduate-programs/post-bachelors-initial-teacher-certification-only/>

The Department of Teacher Education offers a post-baccalaureate certification-only program for candidates who wish to pursue teacher certification and hold at least a bachelor's degree. This program (a) consists of a minimum of 21 semester credit hours, (b) leads to initial teacher certification, and (c) is offered online except for the clinical practice components required by the Texas Education Agency. Courses from the certification-only route may be applied to a master's degree program if students are interested in a graduate degree.

Students who wish to obtain a graduate degree concurrently with initial teaching certification can find information at the Master of Arts in Teaching (<https://twu.edu/teacher-education/graduate-programs/master-of-arts-in-teaching/>).