

SLP Comparison from AOE Licensure to OPR Licensure
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Statutory definitions -

16 V.S.A. 1691a - Definitions

(3) "Educator" means any teacher or administrator requiring a license under this chapter.

(10) "Teacher" means an individual licensed under this chapter the majority of whose employed time in a public school district or supervisory union is assigned to furnish to students direct instructional or other educational services, as defined by rule of the Standards Board, or who is otherwise subject to licensing as determined by the Standards Board.

§ 1692. Requirement as to license

Except for a substitute teacher in accordance with rules adopted by the Standards Board, a person shall not be employed as a teacher or administrator in a public school without having a license then in force.

§ 1697. Fees

(a) Each individual applicant and licensee shall be subject to the following fees:

SLPs under AOE – until last year

Licensed under Title 26

(Not subject to licensing under Title 16)

Paid fees under Title 26 to AOE

(Not subject to fees under Title 16)

Issued an endorsement at no cost to work in the schools

(Endorsement 84)

SLPs under OPR – now

Licensed under Title 26

(AOE says they are also subject to licensing under Title 16)

Pay fees under Title 26 to AOE

(AOE says they are also subject to fees under Title 16)

Issued an endorsement to work in the schools (Endorsement 84) – presumably at no cost – nowhere does it say that endorsements have a fee.