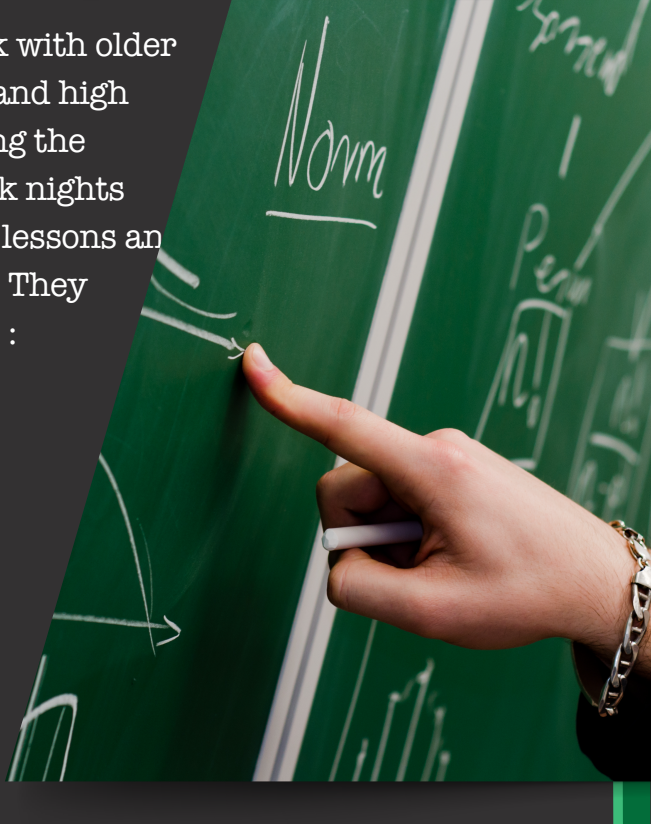


SECONDARY EDUCATION

Secondary teachers work with older students middle schools and high schools. They teach during the school day and often work nights and weekends preparing lessons and evaluating student work. They specialize in subjects like :

- calculus
- psychology
- world History
- english

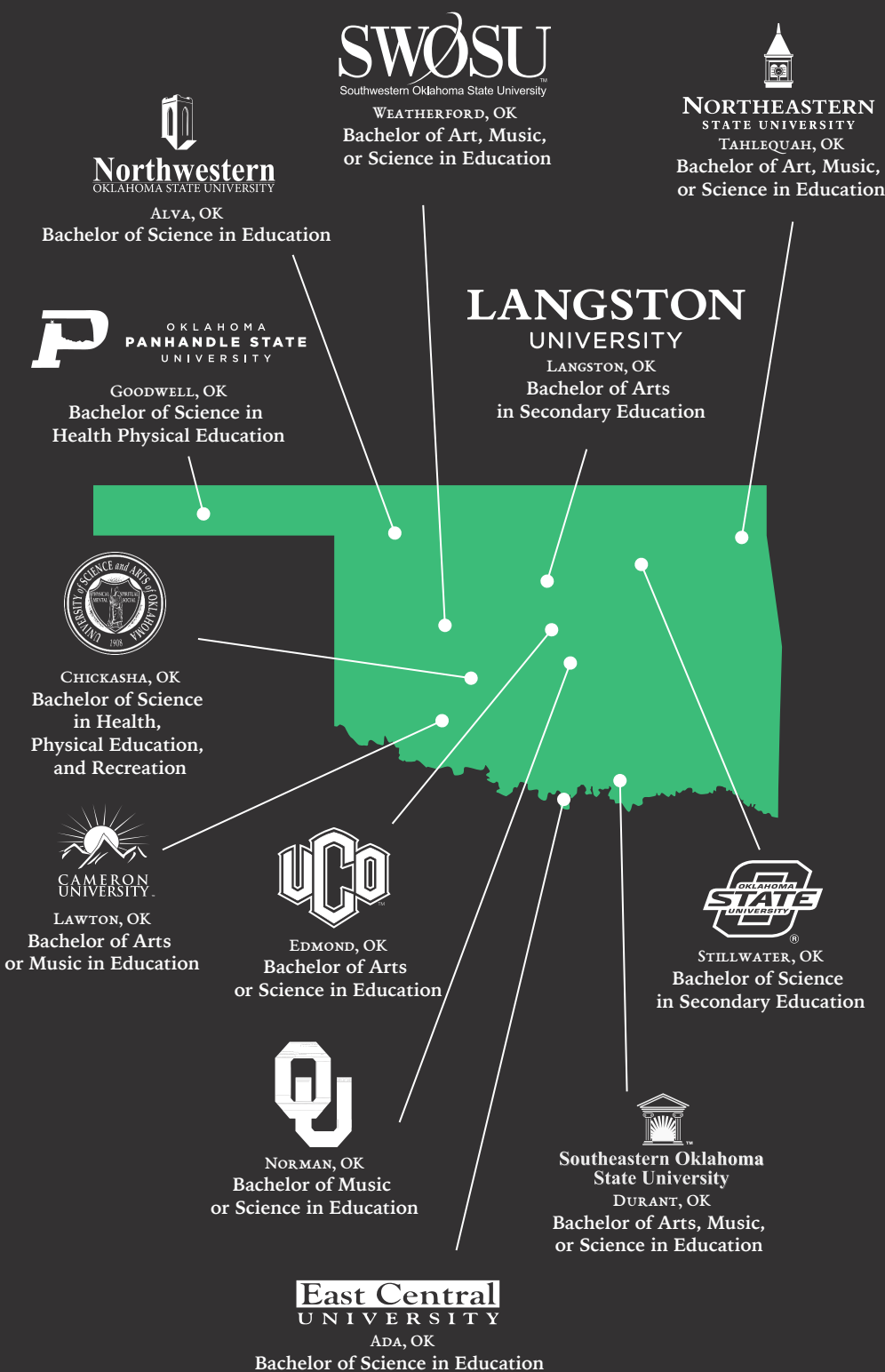


How do you become a SECONDARY TEACHER?

To become a secondary teacher, students typically pursue a bachelor's degree in the subject they intend to teach and a minor or double major in education. Some pursue an alternative certification pathway. After college graduation, students must pass a series of certification exams.

According to U.S. News & World Report, high school teacher ranked number 1 on the list of Best Jobs in Education.

EDUCATION



Earn credits toward an associate's degree in APPLIED SCIENCE CHILD DEVELOPMENT

- Caddo Kiowa Technology Center | Fort Cobb
- Canadian Valley Technology Center | Chickasha
- Eastern Oklahoma Technology Center | Choctaw
- Gordon Cooper Technology Center | Shawnee
- Mid-Del Technology Center | Midwest City
- Metro Technology Center | Oklahoma City
- Green Country Technology Center | Okmulgee



SIMILAR OCCUPATIONS

SCHOOL & CAREER COUNSELOR:
School counselors help students develop the academic and social skills needed to succeed in school and in their postsecondary pursuits. Career counselors help people choose careers and follow a path to employment.

VS

PRIMARY & SECONDARY SCHOOL PRINCIPAL:
Elementary, middle, and high school principals manage all school operations, including daily school activities. They coordinate curricula, oversee teachers and other school staff, and provide a safe and productive learning environment for students.

VS

ADULT LITERACY & G.E.D. TEACHER:
Adult literacy and high school equivalency diploma teachers instruct adults in basic skills, such as reading, writing, and speaking English. They also help students earn their high school equivalent diploma.

VS

FOREIGN LANGUAGE TEACHER:
Language teachers aid students in learning a foreign language from the conversational level through fluency. To be successful, a teacher of foreign languages must be fluent in the language to be taught and earn a bachelor's degree that includes a combination of a foreign language and education courses.

VS

SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHER:
Special education teachers work with students who have a wide range of learning, mental, emotional, and physical disabilities. They adapt general education lessons and teach various subjects, such as reading and math, to students with disabilities.

VS

LIBRARIAN:
Librarians help people find information and conduct research for personal and professional use. Their job duties may change based on the type of library they work in, such as public, academic, and medical libraries.

The minimum salaries required by Oklahoma state law for teachers are as follows:

A TEACHER WITH A PH.D. AND 25+ YEARS OF EXPERIENCE - **\$54,395**

A TEACHER WITH A MASTER'S DEGREE - **\$43,568**

A BRAND NEW TEACHER WITH A BACHELOR'S DEGREE - **\$36,601**

OK Works, <https://bit.ly/2C1qfh4>

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OK College Start, <https://bit.ly/1V8bdbo>

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