

**NC DHHS - Division of Child Development and Early Education ~ Early Education Unit ~ EESLPD Office Framework
Tracks to Teacher Licensure (BK SPII) and Professional Development (rev. September 2013)**

STEP 1 → **Enroll with EESLPD Office**

STEP 2 → **EESLPD Office confirms enrollment via email**

Not enrolled ~ Download Enrollment Form
From the EESLPD Office web site:
http://ncchildcare.nc.gov/pdf_forms/NCPre-K_EESLPD_EnrollmentForm.pdf -
General Information & Overview Section

Track A

Teacher does **not** have BS or BA degree

Teacher selects an [accredited BK program](#)

Teacher contacts T.E.A.C.H. for scholarship information
www.childcareservices.org

Teacher completes prescribed BK SPI licensure program through IHE

Teacher enters the EESLPD Office Beginning Teacher Support Program (BTSP) (mentor/evaluator services, PDP) 3 years

Teacher recommended for BK SPII licensure by EESLPD Office

Teacher begins 5-yr. renewal cycle

Track B

Teacher has BA/BS degree or higher **and** no license

Teacher selects accredited IHE BK **"licensure only"** teacher education program for admission requirements

Teacher contacts T.E.A.C.H. for scholarship information
www.childcareservices.org

Teacher obtains Plan of Study (POS) or Licensure Only Plan (LOP) from BK advisor

Teacher has AAS ECE degree (2-yr. degree)
*Select BK education program that accepts transfer credits

Teacher completes prescribed POS or LOP

Teacher completes BK SPI license through Institution of Higher Education (IHE)

Teacher enters the EESLPD Office Beginning Teacher Support Program (BTSP) (mentor/evaluator services, PDP) 3 years

Teacher recommended for BK SPII licensure by EESLPD Office

Teacher begins 5-yr. renewal cycle

Exception: Teacher may be eligible for lateral entry provisional license

Track C

Teacher has BK SPI, SPII or Preschool Add-On license

Teacher has BK SPI license

Teacher enters initial licensure program (BTSP-Mentor/Evaluator assigned up to 3 years, plus 10-day pre-service, PDP, and evaluations)

Teacher recommended for BK SPII or Preschool add-on license

Teacher begins 5-yr. renewal cycle

Teacher has BK SPII or Pre-school Add-On license

Teacher begins 5-yr. renewal cycle

STOP/ASK
Find out about the IHE's BK License Student Teaching requirements before you enroll.

KEY
BTSP ~ Beginning Teacher Support Program
PDP ~ Professional Development Plan
IHE ~ Institution of Higher Education
LOP ~ Licensure Only Plan
POS ~ Plan of Study
T.E.A.C.H. ~ Teacher Education and Compensation
EESLPD Office ~ Early Educator Support, Licensure & Professional Development Office