

| State | Compensation for Board Certification ^{1,2} | Connection to State Licensure | Support for Board Certification Fees ^{3,4} |
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| AK | | Toward obtaining and renewing a Master Teacher Certificate (top tier) | |
| AL | \$5,000 annual stipend | Toward obtaining and/or renewing a Professional Educator Certificate | |
| AR | \$5,000 annually for NBCTs who certify before 2018. NBCTs who certify after 2018 receive: \$2500 annually if they do not teach in a high-poverty school (for five years); \$5000 annually if they teach in a high-poverty school not located in a high-poverty district (five years); \$10,000 annually if they teach in a high-poverty school in a high-poverty district (10 years) | Toward professional development requirements (renewal) | First-time candidates subsidized initial fee but must repay if certification not achieved. Candidates receive 3 days release |
| AZ | | Toward obtaining and/or renewing a standard (professional) certificate | |
| CA | | Toward obtaining a Clear Single Subject Teaching Credential (top tier) | |
| CO | \$1,600 annual stipend; additional \$3,200 annually for NBCTs in high need schools | Toward obtaining a Professional Teacher License or Master Teacher Certificate (top tier) | |
| CT | | Toward continuing education requirements (renewal) | |
| DC | | | |
| DE | | Toward obtaining and renewing an Advanced License (top tier) | |
| FL | | Toward obtaining and/or renewing a Professional Certification | |
| GA | | Toward obtaining and renewing an Advanced Professional Certificate (top-tier) or obtaining and renewing a Professional Certificate | |
| HI | \$5,000 annual stipend; additional \$5000 for NBCTs in high-need schools | Toward obtaining an Advanced Certificate (top tier) | Scholarship funding available statewide |
| IA | \$2,500 annual stipend (term of 10 years) | Toward renewal credits of either a Standard (professional) or Master (top tier) license. | First-time candidates subsidized for up to one-half the fee |
| ID | \$2000 annually (for 5 years) | | |
| IL | | Toward a National Board endorsement on a professional license and toward license renewal | Up to 750 first-time candidates in high-need schools and 250 teachers in other schools can be subsidized the application fee. Renewal candidates may receive a \$1,000 subsidy |
| IN | | Toward professionalizing a license (converts to a 10-year license) or renewing a practitioner (professional) or accomplished (top-tier) license | |
| KS | Districts are responsible for \$1,000 annual stipend | Toward obtaining and renewing an Accomplished Teaching License (top tier) | First-time candidates subsidized up to \$950. Renewal candidates subsidized \$500 |
| KY | \$2,000 annual stipend | One path to Rank 1 Professional Certificate | |
| LA | | Toward a National Board endorsement | |
| MA | | Toward obtaining/renewing a Professional License | |
| MD | State will match \$1,000 from districts annually, and will match an additional \$1,000 annually to NBCTs in high need schools | Toward obtaining Advanced Professional Certificate (top tier) | First-time candidates subsidized 2/3 of fee and the district pays the remaining 1/3. Candidates must repay if don't complete process |
| ME | \$3,000 annual stipend | Toward obtaining a Professional Certificate and toward obtaining and renewing a Master Certificate (top tier) | First-time candidates subsidized the application fee on a first-come first-serve basis |
| MI | | Toward obtaining a Professional or Advanced (top tier) license and toward license renewal | |
| MN | | Toward renewal requirements | |
| MO | | Toward obtaining a Career Continuous Professional Certificate and toward renewal | |

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| MS | \$6,000 annual stipend; additional \$4000 for NBCTs in 13 counties | Toward renewal requirements | First time candidates are reimbursed the assessment fee upon completion of each component |
| MT | \$2500 annual stipend for NBCTs in high-need schools and \$1500 annual stipend for other NBCTs; both stipends are contingent on a district contribution of \$500. | Toward obtaining a license and toward renewing a Standard or Professional license | |
| NC | NBCTs placed on salary schedule 12% above base pay | Toward renewing a Standard Professional License 2 (professional) | First time candidates receive a \$1,900 loan to be repaid over three years |
| ND | \$1,000 annual stipend | | First time candidates subsidized half the application fee for up to 7 candidates |
| NE | \$5,000 annual stipend | NBCTs are eligible for a 10-year Professional Teaching Certificate (top tier) | Candidates reimbursed one-half the fee. The remainder is reimbursed upon certification |
| NH | | Toward obtaining a Master Teacher Certificate (top tier) | |
| NJ | | | |
| NM | Annual 1.5 program unit stipend ~\$5,800 | Toward obtaining a Level III license (top tier) | |
| NV | 5% annual salary increase | Toward renewal requirements | |
| NY | | Toward renewing a professional certificate. | First-time candidates subsidized for three components. Upon completion, candidates will be reimbursed the cost of the first component |
| OH | | Toward obtaining a Lead Professional Educator License (top tier) | |
| OK | NBCTs may earn up to an additional \$1,000/year | Toward obtaining a traditional state teaching credential (professional) | Candidates receive scholarships of \$1,300 and additional \$500 to cover other expenses |
| OR | | Toward obtaining/renewing a professional teaching license or a distinguished teaching license (top tier) | At least 150 teachers will be reimbursed for the costs of each component and for the costs related to participating in a cohort |
| PA | | Toward obtaining a Level II certification (top tier) and toward professional development credits | |
| RI | | | |
| SC | \$5,000 stipend (up to 10 years) | Toward obtaining a professional certificate and toward renewal | |
| SD | \$2000 annual stipend for at least 5 years | Toward obtaining or renewing a 10-year license and toward renewal | Upon obtaining National Board Certification, the state will reimburse fees paid by the teacher |
| TN | | Toward obtaining/renewing a professional license | |
| TX | | | |
| UT | \$1500 annually for NBCTs in Title I schools; \$750 annually for NBCTs in other schools | Toward obtaining and renewing a Level 3 license (top tier) | |
| VA | Initial \$5,000 award; subsequent \$2,500 annually | | |
| VT | | Toward obtaining and renewing a Level I (initial) or level II (professional) license | |
| WA | \$5,090 annual stipend. Additional \$5,000 annually to NBCTs in high need schools | Toward obtaining and renewing a professional certificate | First-time candidates receive interest free conditional loan for three components |
| WI | \$2,500 annual stipend after first year. Additional \$2,500 annually to NBCTs in high need schools | Toward obtaining a Master Educator license (top tier) and toward license renewal | Those who certify may apply for reimbursement of up to \$2,000 expenses |
| WV | \$3,500 annual stipend; additional \$2,000 to NBCTs in low-performing schools | Toward obtaining a permanent professional license | First-time candidates reimbursed one half the fee at enrollment, and the remainder at completion. Those who achieve are reimbursed up to \$600 for additional expenses |
| WY | \$4,000 annual stipend | Toward obtaining and renewing a professional license. | Up to \$950 available through the WY National Board Certification Initiative (WNBCI) |

1 State funds for stipends are typically subject to annual appropriations and stipends may be prorated if there is a defined funding pool

2 Stipend is for the life of the certificate unless otherwise indicated

3 The structure of fee support may change as states transition to the new format of the National Board assessment

4 State funds for fee support are typically subject to annual appropriations and there may be a cap on recipients or subsidies may be prorated if there is a defined funding pool

5 Based on total teachers from U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data (CCD), "State Nonfiscal Public Elementary/Secondary Education Survey", SY 2013-14 v.1a.