

DUBLIN ISD
Board Summary
Teacher Certification Delay Waiver Request

Summary Information

- **Teacher Name:** Lynzee Bennett
 - **Campus:** Intermediate School
 - **Educator Preparation Program (EPP):** iTeach
 - **Legislative Alignment:** House Bill 2 – Teacher Certification Requirements
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Current Status

- Holds active TEAL account
 - Not yet certified for current grade level/subject assignment
 - Enrolled in approved EPP (iTeach)
 - TExES Exams Passed:
 - EC–6 – Passed
 - Science of Teaching Reading (STR) – Passed
 - Pedagogy and Professional Responsibilities (PPR) Exam: **Not yet passed** (plans to register this summer)
 - Coursework/training modules: **In progress**; expected completion by June 13, 2026
 - Field observations: **In progress**; started January, scheduled to conclude December 2026
 - Anticipated full certification: **By start of 2026–2027 school year**
 - Plans to teach in Dublin ISD: 2026–2027, 2027–2028, 2028–2029
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Purpose of Waiver

- To allow Ms. Bennett to continue serving as teacher of record while completing remaining coursework, PPR exam, and field observations
 - To maintain alignment with House Bill 2 certification requirements
 - To ensure instructional continuity for Intermediate students
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Three-Year Certification Plan

- **2025–2026:**
 - Complete remaining coursework/training modules by June 13, 2026
 - Register for and pass PPR exam

- Complete required program advisor field observations (January–December 2026)
 - **By Start of 2026–2027 School Year:**
 - Obtain full standard certification in assigned subject area
 - **2026–2029:**
 - Continue teaching in Dublin ISD
 - Maintain certification and meet professional responsibilities
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District Supports and Accountability

- Monitoring of PPR registration and testing completion
 - Coordination with iTeach regarding coursework and observation requirements
 - Administrative progress check-ins
 - Documentation maintained for HB 2 compliance
 - Campus-level mentoring and instructional support
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Superintendent Recommendation

I recommend approval of the Teacher Certification Delay Waiver for Lynzee Bennett. She is actively completing coursework, field observations, and the remaining PPR requirement, with a clear timeline to achieve full certification by the start of the 2026–2027 school year. Approval of this waiver ensures compliance with HB 2 while maintaining instructional stability for students at the Intermediate campus.