



Theoria Technical College Office of the President

Date: March 24, 2026

Subject: Official Institutional Candidacy Verification and Applicability of Coursework

To Whom It May Concern,

This letter serves as official verification of the institutional status of Theoria Technical College and the consideration of its coursework in relation to early childhood education requirements within the State of California.

This letter further confirms that Theoria Technical College has been granted Candidacy status (pre-accreditation) by the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC), **effective February 3, 2026.**

For institutional, academic, and regulatory reference purposes, Theoria Technical College affirms that coursework completed on or after **February 3, 2026**, represents coursework delivered by an institution actively engaged in the ACCJC accreditation pathway and operating under degree granting authority approved by the State of California.

In alignment with **Assembly Bill 320 (AB 320)**, coursework completed during a period in which an institution holds recognized pre-accreditation status may be submitted for consideration toward certification requirements.

Accordingly, coursework completed at Theoria Technical College on or after **February 3, 2026**, may be submitted for consideration and evaluation in connection with permits and credentials issued by the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC).

Students and graduates may present official transcripts and institutional verification confirming coursework completed during this candidacy period when seeking evaluation



for permits, credentials, or authorizations administered by the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing.

The California Commission on Teacher Credentialing maintains sole authority and responsibility for reviewing academic coursework and determining applicability toward permit, credential, or authorization eligibility.

Credit by Examination (CBE) – Prior Theoria Coursework

For students who completed coursework at Theoria Technical College prior to **February 3, 2026**, the institution offers a Credit by Examination (CBE) pathway.

This process allows eligible students to demonstrate competency aligned with current course learning outcomes and, upon successful completion, be awarded equivalent credit within Theoria Technical College's approved academic programs.

Credit awarded through CBE is recorded as institutional credit and may then be submitted for consideration in connection with certification, employment, or further academic evaluation, subject to the policies of the receiving agency or institution.

California Universal Pre-Kindergarten and Universal Transitional Kindergarten Educational Unit Consideration

Coursework completed at Theoria Technical College on or after **February 3, 2026**, may be considered toward academic unit requirements associated with California Universal Pre-Kindergarten programs, including Universal Transitional Kindergarten.

This includes commonly referenced educational preparation benchmarks such as twenty-four (24) semester units in Early Childhood Education or Child Development.

Final determination of applicability toward employment qualification requirements is made by the employing educational agency or governing authority.



Transferability Consideration

Coursework completed at Theoria Technical College may be considered for transfer to other colleges or universities. Transferability is not guaranteed and is determined solely by the receiving institution in accordance with its policies and evaluation procedures.

Institutional Academic Standing and Accreditation Progression

Theoria Technical College remains legally authorized by the State of California to award academic degrees and continues to operate in alignment with ACCJC candidacy requirements.

The institution is currently in Candidacy status and is actively progressing toward Initial Accreditation, with its Follow Up Report serving as the application for Initial Accreditation due **October 1, 2027**.

This letter is issued upon official institutional authority.

Sincerely,

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President and Co-Founder

Theoria Technical College