

ACE credit for NBPTS Certification – Information

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 - Information can be obtained on the S.Dak. “Every Teacher” website – the URL is <http://www.sdbor.edu/grants/everyteacher/index.htm>
 - Additional information can be obtained at <http://www.nbpts.org/highered/ace.cfm>
1. The student will submit an official transcript from the ACE Transcript Service to be sent to the university (BHSU, DSU, NSU, SDSU, or USD) where they wish to obtain credit.
 - a. <http://www.acenet.edu/cill/corporate/transcript.cfm> is the URL for ACE Transcript Services. It gives transcript request instructions and displays the format of an ACE Transcript.
 - b. The university will only record the ACE credit if the student has an existing transcript record at that university:
 - (1) The student has a previous graduate transcript at the university; OR
 - (2) The student has been admitted to a graduate program at the university.
 2. On the ACE transcript for the **NBCT 0001** National Board Certification Candidacy: Demonstrating Accomplished Teaching--the five universities will grant 3 credit hours, with an S grade, for the equivalent course EDFN 500 National Board Certification Candidacy. Refer to procedure 7:13 Entering Noncourse Work and Defining Noncourse Equivalencies – Carla Reihe, 7/13/04
 3. On the ACE transcript for the **NBCT 0002** National Board Certification: Demonstrating Accomplished Teaching--the five universities will grant 3 credit hours, with an S grade, for the equivalent course EDFN 501 National Board Certification. Refer to procedure 7:13 Entering Noncourse Work and Defining Noncourse Equivalencies – Carla Reihe 7/13/04.
 4. The non courses (AC.NBCT1 and AC.NBCT2) and the equivalent courses (EDFN 500 and EDFN 501) have been created.