GUIDE *for* Out-of-State Certified Educators seeking Oklahoma Certification

STEP 2a - Determine Highly Qualified Status

(Comparable content area exam or build High Objective Uniform State Standard of Evaluation (HOUSSE)

(Continue to Step 3)

STEP 1 - Apply for Teacher Certification with the Oklahoma State Department of Education

STEP 2 - Request a test review by Office of Educational Quality & Accountability (if fewer than 5 years teaching experience in an out of state accredited school)

Receive a Two Year Provisional Certificate (issued upon application)

STEP 3 –Complete a minimum of one year successful teaching experience in Oklahoma. If fewer than 5 years teaching experience in an out of state accredited school, educator must also meet Oklahoma competency exam requirements

STEP 4 - Apply for Standard Oklahoma Teaching Certificate