National Board Certified Teachers (NBCT)	Nationally Certified School Counselor (NCSC)
Educational Requirements:	Educational Requirements:
BA/BS Degree	BA/BS Degree
	MA Degree
	• 51-57 hours of Graduate Work
	• 300 hour practicum/600 hour internship
Teaching Requirement:	Teaching Requirement:
3 years successful teaching	3 academic years of full-time, postgraduate work
	experience as a school counselor which includes weekly
	supervision with a master level or higher certified school
	counselor
License Requirement:	License Requirement:
Valid Teaching Certificate	School counselor credential issued by your state's
	department of education
Costs:	Costs:
Application fee- \$2300	Exam fee- \$426 with a \$50 discount if you graduated from
Renewal fee- \$1150 every 10 years	a CACREP accredited school (If you already hold the NCC certification, it is \$267 to add the
	NCSC certification.)
	Renewal fee- \$90 per year.
	Must hold NCC Credential
	-Must take NCE Examination (Content Areas Covered:
	Human Growth and Development, Social and Cultural
	Foundations, Helping Relationships, Group Work, Career
	and Lifestyle Development, Appraisal, Research and
	Program Evaluation, and Professional Orientation &
	Ethics)
	3 years of post-graduate counseling supervision
NTC Examination	NSCS Examination
Demonstrate your content knowledge in response to	SIMULATION TEST WITH SITUATIONS IN WHICH
six exercises	THE RESPONDENT
	WOULD PROVIDE RESPONSES AND EXAMPLES
	I. School Counseling Program Delivery
	II. Assessment and Career Development
	III. Program Administration and Professional Development
	IV. Counseling Process, Concepts, and Applications
	V. Family-School Involvements
Portfolio	Professional Practice Statement
	Colleague Statement of Endorsement
	Supervisor Endorsement
	100 clock hours of NBCC approved continuing education is required every 5 years
	Adherence to Code of Ethics