**LICENSE RENEWAL AND REINSTATEMENT GUIDELINES** (Subject to change based on NC State Board of Education policy updates)

All licensed personnel (Teachers, Support staff and Administrators) up for licensure renewal are required to have 2 CEUs (20 hours) of Digital Learning Competencies (DLC) along with the other required CEUs:

**CEU Requirements for Licensure Renewal as of 4/5/2018**.

 Teacher, Student Services and School Administrators must earn at least 8.0 continuing education units (CEUs) during each five-year renewal cycle that meet the following requirements:

**Teachers Grades K-5**

 3 CEUs in Content Area – Aligned to NC Professional Teaching Standards 3 and 4

 3 CEUs of Literacy - As defined in GS 115C-296 as “evidence-based assessment, diagnosis, and intervention strategies for students not demonstrating reading proficiency. Oral language, phonemic and phonological awareness, phonics, vocabulary, fluency, and comprehension shall be addressed in literacy-related activities leading to license renewal.”

 2 CEUs of Digital Learning Competencies

**Teachers Grades 6-12**

 3 CEUs in Content Area - Aligned to NC Professional Teaching Standard 3 and 4

 2 CEUs Digital Learning Competencies

 3 CEUs General Credits

**Student Services Personnel**

 3 CEUs that align with the expectations of the North Carolina Standards for their professional discipline area.

 2 CEUs Digital Learning Competencies

 3 CEUs General Credits

**School Administrators**

 3 CEUs that align with the expectations of the North Carolina School Executive Standards 2, 4, and 5, focused on the school executive’s role as instructional, human resources, and managerial leader.

 2 CEUs Digital Learning Competencies

 3 CEUs General Credits

**National Boards Certification**

 Educators completing the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards certification process may earn all 8 CEUs for completion of the process and certification. Those who are in the national board renewal cycle may earn 2 CEUs (1 CEU-Content and 1 CEU-Digital Learning Competencies).

**Additionally, licensed staff must receive a rating of at least “Proficient” on the most recent final summative evaluation of the renewal year as specified in the NCSBE policy LICN-001.**

For the purposes of this policy, “proficient” shall be defined as achieving a rating of proficient, or higher, on all of the five standards of the NC Educator Evaluation System (NCEES), provided that the standard related to pedagogy (Standard IV in NCEES) is rated at the level of proficient, or higher. Teachers on an abbreviated evaluation plan must achieve a rating of proficient, or higher, on the standard related to pedagogy in order to be deemed “proficient”.

**NOTE: You may view your CEUs through Timekeeper under Employee profile > CEUs. Please refer to Workshops & CEUs for submission information.** <https://www.issnc.org/departments/human-resources/workshops-ceus>