



**2009 – 2010**  
**ARIZONA HIGHLY QUALIFIED ATTESTATION FORM**  
**MIDDLE, JUNIOR HIGH, HIGH SCHOOL, VISUAL ARTS, MUSIC**

*(Pursuant to requirements mandated by P.L. 107-110 No Child Left Behind Legislation)*

To be completed by Visual Arts, Music, and Departmentalized Teachers in Grades 7-12 in the following Core Academic Areas: Middle Grades Language Arts/Reading; Middle Grades Social Studies; English; Mathematics; Science (including General Science, Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, Physical Science and Physics); Foreign Language; Economics; Political Science; History; Geography; Visual Arts and Music

Name:		District:	
SSN (last 4 digits):		School:	

**Complete Separate Teacher Attestation for each core academic subject area assigned to teach.**

**Please check where applicable:**

1. Hold a bachelor's degree
- and**
2. Hold a valid Arizona teaching certificate (A.R.S. §15-502.B)– intern, provisional, reciprocal or standard (charter school teachers are exempt from this requirement).
- a.  Elementary Certificate
- b.  Secondary Certificate
- c.  Foreign Teacher Certificate
- d.  Special Education Certificate (List Disability Area(s): \_\_\_\_\_)
- e.  Teaching Intern Certificate

**and**

3. Teaching Assignment: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Grade(s)*

\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_  
*Core Academic Area* *Periods taught*

**Please check only ONE option below:**

- a.  Passed the AEPA Subject Knowledge Test (first available in 1999) in the core academic subject area; **OR**
- b.  Hold an advanced degree in the core academic subject area; **OR**
- c.  Hold National Board Certification in the core academic subject area (Generalist Certificates are not acceptable); **OR**
- d.  A major or 24 credit hours in the core academic subject area; **OR**
- e.  Earned a minimum of 100 points on the AZ HOUSSE for Middle, Junior High, High School, Visual Arts or Music Teachers prior to June 30, 2007 (documentation required). You may continue to use the same rubric if you **do not** change content areas; **OR**
- f.  Earned a minimum of 100 points on the AZ HOUSSE for Veteran Teachers Returning to the Profession – Middle, Junior High, High School, Visual Arts, Music (documentation required); **OR**
- g.  Highly Qualified Teacher Reciprocity (must provide copy of comparable out-of-state test or out-of-state HOUSSE rubric with documentation)

If you checked 1, 2 **and** 3 (including 3a, 3b, 3c, 3d, 3e, 3f or 3g), under federal guidelines, you are considered **highly qualified**.

**Highly Qualified Teacher**

**Non-Highly Qualified Teacher**  
 (Individual Teacher Plan required)

I attest to the factual completion of this evaluation.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of Teacher*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Printed Name of Principal*

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*Signature of Principal*

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*Date*