



# SACE

South African Council for Educators

*Towards Excellence in Education*

# SACE

# REGISTRATION



[www.sace.org.za](http://www.sace.org.za)

## Professionally Qualified Teachers

### 1. First time applicants must apply using the Online registration portal

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- **All documents to be uploaded must be saved individually and in PDF format**

### 2. ID Document

- ID Copy (Both side if it is a smart ID card)
- **Non-SA Citizens**
- A valid Passport and Permit
- Permit valid for six months or more at the time of submission to SACE
- Conditions of the permit allows the applicant to teach in SA

### 3. SAQA Evaluation report for all qualification received outside of the Republic of South Africa including the matric certificate. Only qualifications with 360 credits or more are recognised for registration purposes.

### 4. Matric Certificate **OR** A & O Level if received outside the republic of SA.

### 5. Police clearance certificate (Not a name clearance)

- Note that the police clearance is only valid for a period of six months from the date of issue.
- The police clearance certificate must not be older than six months at the time of submission to SACE.
- The Police Clearance Certificate must be verifiable.

### 6. Professional Teaching Qualifications:

- For example, B.Ed., PGCE, NPDE, Diploma in grade R teaching, etc.
- A complete Academic record for the professional teacher's qualification on the University letter head and Signed.
- Indicate that the qualification has been completed and indicate the date of completion.

### 7. Those who studied for a PGCE, the following documents must also be submitted:

- Academic Qualifications (qualification certificate).
- A complete Academic record for the academic qualification on the University letter head and signed and indicating that the qualification has been completed including the date of completion.

### 8. Proof of payment: Proof of payment to be attached even if payment was made online.

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## Student Teachers

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### 2. SA Citizens

- SA ID (Both side if it is a smart ID card)

### Non-SA Citizens

- Passport attached and valid
- Permit valid for six months or more at the time of submission to SACE
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- **SAQA Evaluation report** for all qualification received outside of the Republic of South Africa including the matric certificate.
- Only qualifications with 360 credits or more are recognised for registration purposes.

3. **Matric Certificate** **OR** A & O Level if matric received outside the republic of SA.

4. **Police clearance certificate (Not a name clearance)**

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5. **Proof of enrolment**

- Proof of enrolment for the current academic year for a professional teaching qualification. The proof must be on the university letter head and indicate that the student is registered.
- Indicate that the qualification has been completed and indicate the date of completion.

6. **Those who are studying towards a PGCE, the following documents must also be attached:**

- Academic Qualifications (Graduation Certificate for the junior Degree or Diploma) together with:
- A complete Academic record for the academic qualification on the University letter head and signed.
- Indicate that the qualification has been completed and indicate the date of completion.

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## Professionally Unqualified

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4. **Matric Certificate** **OR** A & O Level if studied outside the republic of SA.

5. **Police clearance certificate (Not a name clearance)**

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- The police clearance certificate must not be older than six months at the time of submission to SACE.
- The Police Clearance Certificate must be verifiable.

6. **Academic Qualifications: Qualification certificate: For example, BSc BCom, etc.**
7. **A complete Academic record for the academic qualification.**
  - Be on the University letter head and Signed.
  - Indicate that the qualification has been completed and indicate the date of completion.
8. **Those who are studied towards a PGCE, the following documents must also be attacheed:**
  - Proof of registration for PGCE for the current academic year on the University letter head.
  - Academic Qualifications (Junior Degree or Diploma) together with:  
A complete Academic record for the academic qualification on the University letter head and signed and indicate that the qualification has been completed and indicate the date of completion.
9. **Proof of payment:** Proof of payment to be attached even if payment was made online.
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## TVET Lectures, ECD and AET Practitioners

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4. **Matric Certificate OR A & O Level** if received outside the republic of SA.
5. **Police clearance certificate (Not a name clearance)**
  - Note that the police clearance is only valid for a period of six months from the date of issue.
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  - The Police Clearance Certificate must be verifiable.
6. **ECD Practitioners:**
  - **(ECD Level 4 (120 credits)** certificate and a complete academic record indicating that the qualification has been completed and indicating the number of credits obtained **OR**
  - **ECD Level 5 (240 credits)** certificate and a complete academic record indicating that the qualification has been completed and indicating the number of credits obtained.
7. **AET Practitioners**
  - Higher certificate in Adult Education (certificate) and
  - A complete Academic record indicating that the qualification has been completed and indicating the credits obtained.

## 8. TVET Lecturers

- N3 Certificate plus a trade test; OR
- National diploma/Degree in technical subjects (360 Or 480 credits)
- A complete Academic record indicating that the qualification has been completed and indicating credits.

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## Therapist/ Psychologist/ Social Workers

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- Only qualifications with 360 credits or more are recognised for registration purposes.

### 4. Matric Certificate (including A & O Levels for those who studies outside SA)

### 5. Proof of current registration with the professional body, e.g. HPSCA

### 6. Police clearance certificate (Not a name clearance)

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- The Police Clearance Certificate must be verifiable.

### 7. Academic Qualifications:

- Qualification certificate, for example, BSc BCom, etc.
- A complete Academic record for the academic qualification indicates that the qualification has been completed and indicates the date of completion.

### 8. Proof of payment: to be attached even if payment was made online.

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## Update/ renewals including request for duplicate SACE certificate

### 1. Relevant Application Form:

- Update form for Updates/Renewals
- Request for duplicate certificate for re-print
- Downloaded from [www.sace.org.za](http://www.sace.org.za) under registration.
- Completed on both side.
- Signed and Dated.

### 2. Request for a duplicate registration certificate

- Relevant form (Request for duplicate certificate for re-print).
- ID copy (Both side if it is a smart ID card)
- Reprint of fee of R50.00

### 3. For update: Completed update form together with the following documents:

- ID copy (both side if it is a smart ID card) for SA citizens.
- Valid passport and permit for Non-SA citizens.
- A valid police clearance certificate (name clearance and proof of application from SAPS will not be accepted).
- **For Newly qualified teachers:** Qualification certificate together with an academic record indicating that the qualification has been completed (for those who are provisionally registered).
- **For students' teachers:** Proof of registration with the University for the current year.

### 4. Proof of payment:

- R50.00 update fee/reprint fee
- go to [www.sace.org.za](http://www.sace.org.za) and click on pay here to make a payment.
- The email received from SACE must be attached as proof of payment.
- Alternatively, you can pay at the bank or via EFT and attach proof of payment with your request.
- SACE banking details can be found on the SACE website under pay here.
- **NB: Proof of payment must be attached to the application even if you have emailed it.**

### 5. All documents must be emailed to one of the below email addresses:

- [update.freestate@sace.org.za](mailto:update.freestate@sace.org.za)
- [update.limpopo@sace.org.za](mailto:update.limpopo@sace.org.za)
- [update.centurion@sace.org.za](mailto:update.centurion@sace.org.za)
- [update.kzn@sace.org.za](mailto:update.kzn@sace.org.za)

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## Request for a letter of Good Standing

**1. Update form (downloaded from [www.sace.org.za](http://www.sace.org.za) under registration)**

- Completed on both side
- Signed and Dated.

**2. A formal request, indicating the reasons for requesting a letter of good standing**

**3. Identity Copy**

- (Both side if it is a smart ID card)
- Non-SA Citizens
- A valid Passport

**4. Proof of payment:**

- R400.00
- SACE annual fees must be up to date.
- The letter will not be issued if there are any outstanding annual fees. Go to [www.sace.org.za](http://www.sace.org.za), and click on pay here to make a payment.
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**5. A certified copy of a valid South African Police clearance certificate from SAPS.**

- The PCC must not be older than six months or less at the time of request.

**NB: Only Police Clearance Certificate from SAPS will be accepted (Not from Afiswitch or any other service provider).**

**6. A current testimonial letter from a school in South Africa**

- The letter must not be older than three months at the time of submission to SACE.
- The letter must be on the school's letter head, dated, signed and stamped.
- The letter of Good Standing will not be issued to teachers who never taught in South Africa or did not teach in SA for a period of one year or more.

**7. The letter will be issued within 30 days of request.**

**8. The request must be emailed to [update.centurion@sace.org.za](mailto:update.centurion@sace.org.za)**

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# CONTACT US

## GAUTENG

### **PHYSICAL ADDRESS:**

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**TEL:** 086 1007 223 | **FAX:** 012 663 9238 OR 012 679 972 | **EMAIL:** info@sace.org.za

## FREE STATE

### **PHYSICAL ADDRESS:**

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**TEL:** 012 663 9517 | **EMAIL:** info@sace.org.za

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### **PHYSICAL ADDRESS:**

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Eduanpark,  
Polokwane,  
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(Entrance on Dap Naude street)



### **OFFICE HOURS:**

Mon - Fri (08:00 - 16:30)

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