

Figure: 19 TAC §230.11(b)(5)(C)

Countries in which English is the Official Language

The countries listed below have been approved by the State Board for Educator Certification (SBEC) to satisfy the English language proficiency requirement specified in 19 TAC §230.11(b)(5)(C). To be exempted from the Test of English as a Foreign Language internet-Based Test (TOEFL iBT) testing requirement specified in 19 TAC §230.11(b)(5)(B), a certification candidate must have earned an undergraduate or graduate degree from an institution of higher education on the SBEC-approved list of countries.

American Samoa

Anguilla

Antigua and Barbuda

Australia

Bahamas

Barbados

Belize

Bermuda

British Virgin Islands

Cayman Islands

Canada (except Quebec)

Dominica

Gambia

Ghana

Gibraltar

Grand Cayman

Grenada

Guyana

Jamaica

Liberia

Nigeria

Saint Kitts and Nevis

Saint Lucia

Trinidad/Tobago

Turks and Caicos

United Kingdom

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