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NEW JERSEY SUBSTITUTE CREDENTIAL PROCESS

If you are applying for a NJ Substitute Teaching Certificate please create an account and apply online through New Jersey Educator Certification (NJEdCert) Portal:

<https://njdoe.my.site.com/manage/s/>

You will need the following completed before you begin the application process:

- **Copy of Fingerprint and Background Check Applicant Approval Employment History**

Applicants must go onto the NJ Office of Student Protection Status website <https://www.nj.gov/education/crimhist> to retrieve the Applicant Approval History document. You will have to upload it as a PDF to your application. The applicant is not going to be notified when the document is available. It is up to you to check the website. If it is a new Applicant it could take up to 14 days, an archive takes 5 days and a transfer usually takes 2 days to become available.

- **Official Transcripts**

College/University transcripts can be emailed directly to the DOE certapplication@doe.nj.gov **OR**

sealed hard copies can be mailed directly to the Cape May County DOE **OR**

hand delivered in a sealed official envelope from your institution to Cape May County DOE:

Cape May County DOE
Superintendent of Schools DN701
4 Moore Rd
Cape May Court House, NJ 08210

Once you have a NJEdCert account you can log-in and review your application status and also submit customer service questions.

Once your Substitute Credential has been issued, please print approval to include in the Substitute application packet.

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