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Number of Fully Credentialed Teachers Increases— Decrease Continues for New Teaching Credentials

SACRAMENTO – The number of fully-credentialed teachers inched up to 98.4 percent (from 98.3% in 2011) of all California public school teachers in 2011-12 according to the Commission on Teacher Credentialing’s annual [Teacher Supply in California](#) report. Over the last five years the number of fully-credentialed teachers has increased two percent.

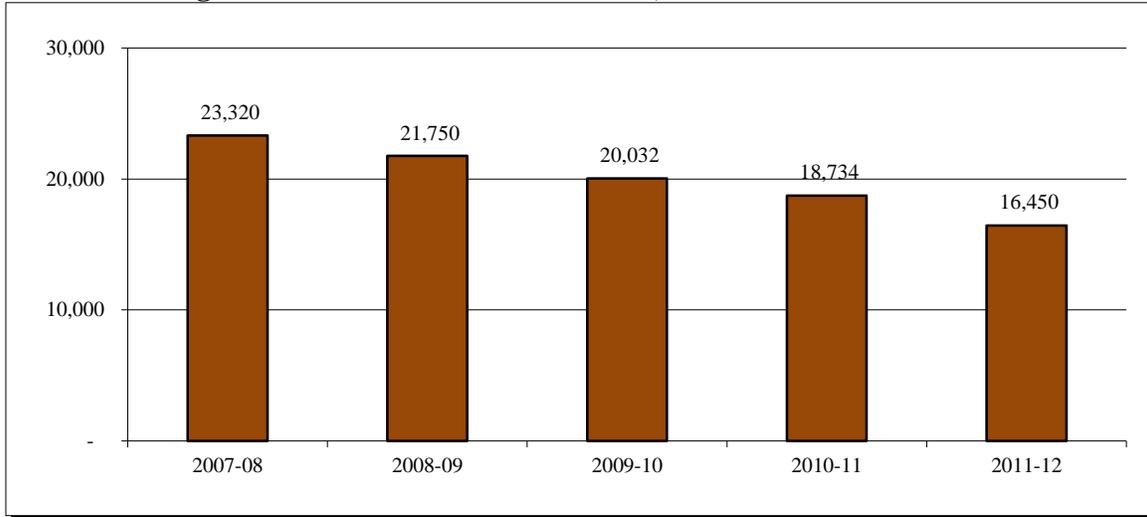
Additionally, there was a decrease in the number of emergency-type documents [Short-Term Staff Permits (STSP) and Provisional Internship Permits (PIP)] by 7.4 percent between 2010-11 and 2011-12; with a reduction of 3.9 percent in the STSP and about 20 percent in the PIP.

Number of STSP and PIP Permits Issued

	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	% Change from 10-11
Short-Term Staff Permit (STSP)	2,858	2,166	1,151	714	686	-3.9%
Provisional Internship Permit (PIP)	1,966	1,001	357	202	162	-19.8%
Total	4,824	3,167	1,508	916	848	-7.4%

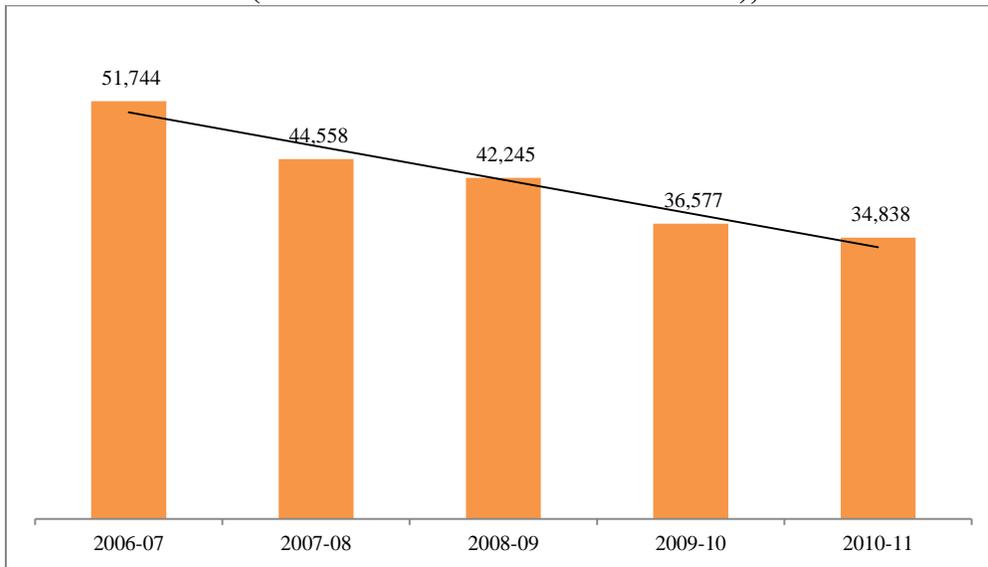
Marking the eighth consecutive year in which the total number of initial teaching credentials issued has dropped, California saw a 12 percent decrease in the number of newly issued credentials in 2011-12. This decrease is across all three types of preliminary teaching credentials (Multiple Subject, Single Subject and Education Specialist credentials) and represents a nearly 30 percent decline in the past five years in the number of initial and new type teaching credentials issued.

Total Teaching Credentials Issued in California, 2007-08 to 2011-12



Similarly, total teacher preparation enrollments reported under federal Title II regulations show that annual enrollments declined almost 17,000 over the past five years. This is a decrease of 33 percent between 2006-07 and 2010-11. Total teacher preparation enrollment was down by 4.8 percent between 2009-10 and 2010-11.

Total Enrollment (Traditional and Alternative Routes), 2006-07 to 2010-11



The *Teacher Supply in California* report is provided annually for the Legislature, Governor and policy makers. The full report can be accessed here: <http://www.ctc.ca.gov/commission/agendas/2013-04/2013-04-3E.pdf>. Prior year reports can be found at: <http://www.ctc.ca.gov/reports/default.html>.

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