CarolinaCAP is a non-degree pathway leading to full licensure for candidates in partner districts with the goal to create a high-quality alternative route into teaching that marries the expertise of local teachers, schools, and districts with an institution of higher education (UofSC) and a national non-profit (CTQ).

QUARTER THREE HIGHLIGHTS

- CarolinaCAP welcomes three new partner districts!
  - Charleston County School District
  - Clarendon School District Four
  - Richland School District One
- Voorhees College Center of Excellence for Educator Preparation and Innovation joined the partnership to provide additional support to districts, candidates, and coaches.
- Special Education: Multi-categorical certification was approved June 2021 as a CarolinaCAP certification area.

WHAT PARTNERS ARE SAYING...

"This has been the best first year. I have felt supported and appreciated, and that is all I can hope for in a career! ”

–CarolinaCAP Candidate

"I know [CarolinaCAP candidates] are getting great training because I have four, and I have never seen them move in so smoothly. The teachers just seem different. They move differently.”

–Building Level Administrator

“Many of my teachers have wanted to be a teacher for so long; but because of Praxis, they have been stuck as teachers' assistants. [CarolinaCAP] gives them a chance to provide for their families and prepare to teach.”

–CarolinaCAP Coach

263 Applicants from diverse backgrounds, locations, and life experiences

17 District Partners

46 Candidates launched and teaching in SC classrooms
98 APPLICANTS READY TO HIRE: CONTENT AREAS

- Early Childhood, Elementary
- Middle Level Math
- Middle Level Science, Secondary Biology
- Middle Level Science, Secondary Biology/Chemistry
- Middle Level Math, Secondary Math, Early Childhood, Elementary
- Middle Level Math, Secondary Math
- Middle Level Math, Secondary Math/Chemistry

48 TEACHING IN COHORT: CONTENT AREAS

- Early Childhood
- Elementary
- Middle Level Math
- Middle Level Science
- Secondary Math
- Secondary Biology

CANDIDATES WITH DIVERSE BACKGROUNDS AND LIFE EXPERIENCES

- 76% of candidates were previously employed by district partners
- 100% of candidates serve in schools where 71% to 92% of students are eligible for Free and Reduced Lunch
- 81% of candidates identify as Black
- 18% of candidates are male

For more info, contact CarolinaCAP@sc.edu or visit sc-outreach.org

120+ Micro-credentials aligned to SCTS 4.0 and content areas

UPCOMING EVENTS

CANDIDATE LAUNCHES
August 2, 2021
October 11, 2021

COACHING RETREAT
July 27 & 28, 2021

14 Trained CarolinaCAP coaches supporting candidates

BENEFITS OF CERTIFYING THROUGH CAROLINACAP

- Engage in six hours of graduate coursework developed by experts
- Receive individualized support from a trained CarolinaCAP coach
- Chart a personalized pathway through completion of micro-credentials
- University of South Carolina faculty
- Grow with a cohort of learners through virtual learning communities