Utah State University Alternative Teacher Preparation Program (Mild-Moderate Special Education Licensures) A Cooperative Program between Utah State University – Local Utah School Districts/Charters – Utah State Office of Education

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Thank you for your interest in the Utah State University Alternative Teacher Preparation (ATP) Program. This program is for individuals who have a bachelors degree or above who would like to earn a teaching license with a special education endorsement. The ATP teacher certification program is a cooperative program whereby accepted candidates must be employed in a special education setting with a participating school district while taking coursework toward your special education licensure. School districts that participate in the Utah State University ATP program are Nebo, Provo, Alpine, Granite, Jordan, Canyons, Murray, Salt Lake City, Davis, Weber, Ogden, Box Elder, and Tooele and selected charter schools. We have several scheduled district-sponsored information meetings for all interested candidates. At that time we will describe the ATP programs and course requirements, minimum requirements to apply, the district hiring process in each of the participating school districts, and answer any questions you might have.

<u>Please plan to attend ANY of the following meetings to receive this information.</u> All locations will provide the same information.

May 5, 2014	April 16, 2014
<mark>3:30 –5:00 p.m.</mark>	<mark>4:00 – 5:30 p.m.</mark>
Jordan School District Auxiliary	Davis School District
Services Building	Special Education Conference
Room PDC102	Room
7905 So. Redwood Road	<mark>97 So. 200 East</mark>
<mark>West Jordan, Utah</mark>	Farmington, UT
May 12, 2014	<mark>April 24, 2014</mark>
<mark>3:30 – 5:00 p.m.</mark>	<mark>3:30 – 5:00 p.m.</mark>
Weber School District	Salt Lake City School District
<mark>5320 So. Adams Parkway</mark>	440 East 100 South
Ogden UT	Salt Lake City, UT

If you are unable to attend one of the above information meetings, a frequently asked questions document can be downloaded from the following Utah State University website: <u>http://sped.usu.edu</u> (click on the button Alternative Teacher Prep button under Programs). However, if you do not attend an informational meeting, please understand that you are still responsible for following ALL procedures outlined.

We look forward to meeting with you at one of the above information meetings and answering any questions that you may have at that time.