



MICRO-CREDENTIALING FOR ALTERNATIVE TEACHER CERTIFICATION: A PROJECT OF THE CHS FOUNDATION

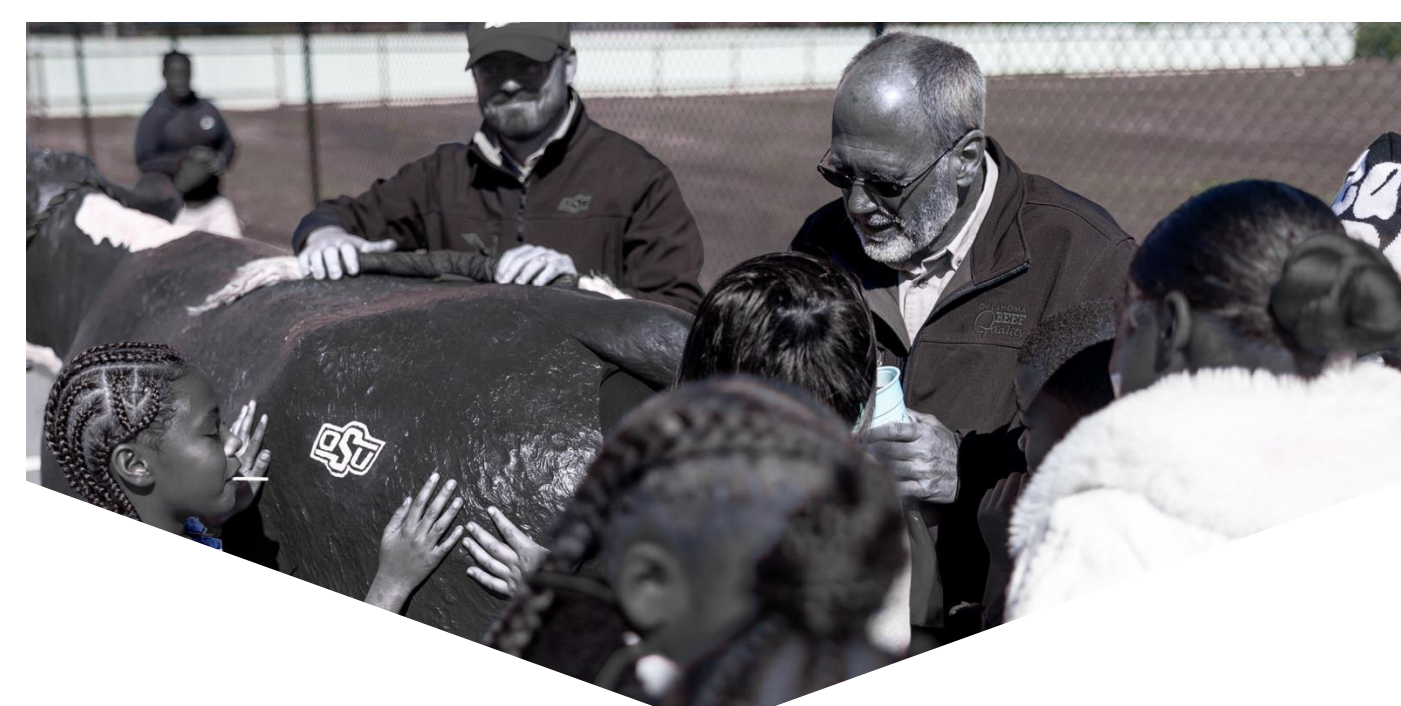


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Introduction

- Not yet certified individuals entering SBAE has nearly tripled (Smith et al., 2025).
- Alternative teacher certification refers to approaches to earning credentials for teaching other than going through a program at a college level (National Research Council, 2010).



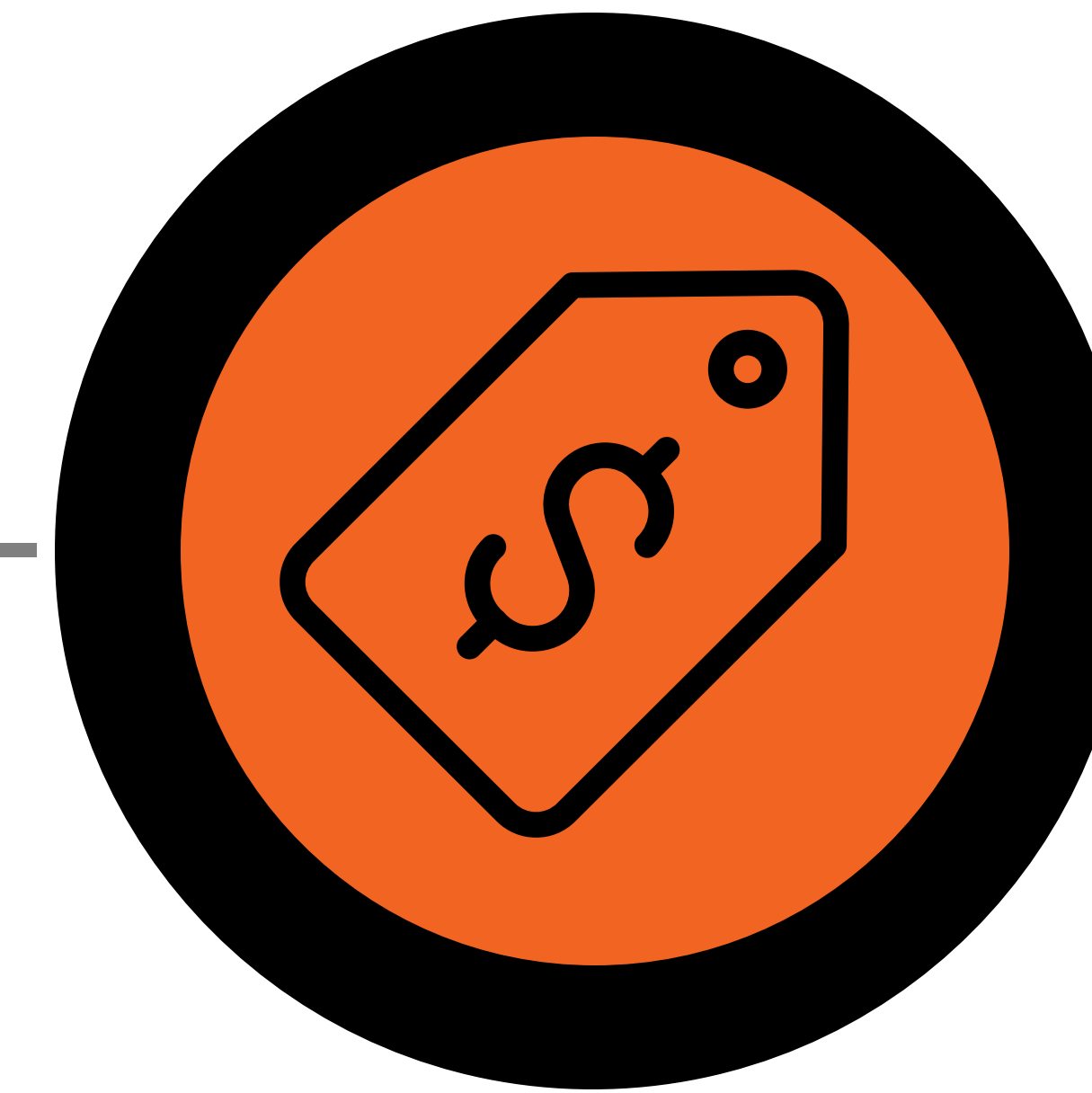
How it Works

- A series of micro-credential courses focused on alternative certification aspirant teacher's (ACATs) encompassing the teaching and management of SBAE programs.



Topics of Courses

- Foundations of Teaching SBAE
- Instructional Planning in SBAE
- Advising an FFA Chapter
- Supervising Experiential Learning Projects
- SBAE Program Management



Costs and Resources

- Total cost is nearly \$150,000, funded by the CHS Foundation.
- The university's Institute for Teaching and Learning Excellence (ITLE) is a valuable resource and partner for this project.



Current and Future Plans

- The first course is near completion.
- Next steps
 - Review and evaluate the first course by selected individuals.
 - Pilot testing
 - Make updates and changes based on reviews and pilot testing
- Within the next 24 months, have all five courses available.

