Qualifications of Superintendent

In order to be eligible for the position of Superintendent of Schools, an individual must possess a valid Superintendent’s Certificate issued by the Commissioner of Education. In order to be eligible for such certificate, the person must comply with the graduate course and teaching requirements as established by the Commissioner.

The Commissioner, at the request of the Board of Education, may provide for the issuance of a certificate as Superintendent to an exceptionally qualified person who does not meet all of the requirements, but whose exceptional training and experience are substantially equivalent to the Commissioner’s requirements and qualify such person for the duties of a Superintendent.

Ref:   Education Law Section 3003
       8 NYCRR Section 80.4

Note:  Policy added