

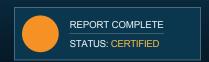
2021 TITLE II REPORTS

National Teacher Preparation Data



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Northwestern State University Alternative, IHE-based Report AY 2019-20 Louisiana



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SECTION I: PROGRAM INFORMATION

List of Programs

List each program for an initial teaching credential below and indicate whether it is offered at the Undergraduate level (UG), Institution Information Postgraduate level (PG), or both. (§205(a)(C))

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>> List of Programs

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• Teacher Preparation Program

List of Programs

CIP Code	Teacher Preparation Programs	UG, PG, or Both	Update
13.121	Early Childhood Education	PG	
13.1202	Elementary Education	PG	
13.1203	Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education and Teaching	PG	
13.1	Special Education	PG	
13.1322	Teacher Education - Biology	PG	
13.1303	Teacher Education - Business	PG	
13.1323	Teacher Education - Chemistry	PG	
13.1305	Teacher Education - English/Language Arts	PG	
13.1308	Teacher Education - Family and Consumer Sciences/Home Economics	PG	
13.1306	Teacher Education - Foreign Language	PG	
13.1316	Teacher Education - General Science	PG	
13.1311	Teacher Education - Mathematics	PG	
13.1312	Teacher Education - Music	PG	
13.1329	Teacher Education - Physics	PG	
13.1318	Teacher Education - Social Studies	PG	
13.1331	Teacher Education - Speech	PG	

Total number of teacher preparation programs:

SECTION I: PROGRAM INFORMATION

Program Requirements

Check the elements required for admission (entry) into and completion (exit) from the program. If programs are offered at the undergraduate level and postgraduate level, complete the table for both types of programs. (§205(a)(1)(C)(i))

Key terms in this section are listed below. Click on the link to view the definition(s) in the glossary.

- Full-time equivalent faculty supervising clinical experience
- Adjunct faculty supervising clinical experience
- Cooperating Teachers/PreK-12 Staff Supervising Clinical Experience
- Supervised clinical experience

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

- >> <u>Undergraduate Requirements</u>
- >> Postgraduate Requirements
- >> Supervised Clinical Experience

Undergraduate Requirements

1. Are there initial teacher certification programs at the undergraduate level?

Yes

No

If yes, for each element listed below, indicate if it is required for admission into or exit from any of your teacher preparation program(s) at the undergraduate level. If no, leave the table below blank (or <u>clear responses already entered</u>) then click save at the bottom of the page.

Element	Admission	Completion
Transcript	Yes No	Yes No
Fingerprint check	Yes No	Yes No
Background check	Yes No	Yes No
Minimum number of courses/credits/semester hours completed	Yes No	Yes No
Minimum GPA	Yes No	Yes No
Minimum GPA in content area coursework	Yes No	Yes No
Minimum GPA in professional education coursework	Yes No	Yes No
Minimum ACT score	Yes No	Yes No
Minimum SAT score	Yes No	Yes No
Minimum basic skills test score	Yes No	Yes No
Subject area/academic content test or other subject matter verification	Yes No	Yes No
Recommendation(s)	Yes No	Yes No
Essay or personal statement	Yes No	○ Yes ○ No

Element	Admission	Completion			
Interview	Yes No	Yes No			
Other Specify:	Yes No	Yes No			
What is the minimum GPA required for admission into the program? (Leave blank if above.)	you indicated that a minimum GP	A is not required in the table			
. What is the minimum GPA required for completing the program? (Leave blank if you indicated that a minimum GPA is not required in the table above.)					
Please provide any additional information about the information provided above: This information is about our undergraduate Teacher Education Program, which is not Alt Cert.					
Postgraduate Requirements . Are there initial teacher certification programs at the postgraduate level? • Yes					
If yes, for each element listed below, indicate if it is required for admission into or exit from any of your teacher preparation program(s) at the postgraduate level. If no, leave the table below blank (or <u>clear responses already entered</u>) then click save at the bottom of the page.					
Element	Admission	Completion			
Transcript	Yes No	Yes No			
Fingerprint check	Yes No	Yes No			
Background check	Yes No	Yes No			
Minimum number of courses/credits/semester hours completed	Yes No	• Yes No			
Minimum GPA	Yes No	Yes No			
Minimum GPA in content area coursework	Yes No	Yes No			
Minimum GPA in professional education coursework	Yes No	• Yes No			

Yes

No

No

No

No

No

Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

No

No

No

No

Minimum ACT score

Minimum SAT score

Recommendation(s)

Minimum basic skills test score

Subject area/academic content test or other subject matter verification

	Essay or personal statement		Yes	•	No	Yes	No
	Interview		Yes	•	No	Yes	No
	Other Specify: Bachelor's degree or Higher		Yes		No	Yes	○ No
	What is the minimum GPA required for admission into the program? (Leave above.)	blank if you	ı indica	ted t	hat a minimum GP	A is not re	quired in the table
	2.5						
	What is the minimum GPA required for completing the program? (Leave bla	ank if you in	dicated	that	a minimum GPA is	not requi	red in the table
	2.5						
4.	Please provide any additional information about the information provided	above:					
Supervised Clinical Experience Provide the following information about supervised clinical experience in 2019-20. (§205(a)(1)(C)(iii), §205(a)(1)(C)(iv)) Are there programs with student teaching models? Yes No							
P	rograms with student teaching models (most traditional programs)						
	umber of clock hours of supervised clinical experience required prior o student teaching	80					
N	umber of clock hours required for student teaching	1260					
Are there programs in which candidates are the teacher of record? Yes No If yes, provide the next two responses. If no, leave them blank.							
P	rograms in which candidates are the teacher of record in a classroom dur	ing the prog	ram (ma	any a	alternative prograr	ns)	
	umber of clock hours of supervised clinical experience required prior teaching as the teacher of record in a classroom	80					
	umber of years required for teaching as the teacher of record in a assroom	1					

Admission

Completion

Element

All Programs	
Number of full-time equivalent faculty supervising clinical experience during this academic year (IHE staff)	7
Optional tool for automatically calculating full-time equivalent faculty in the system	
Number of adjunct faculty supervising clinical experience during this academic year (IHE staff)	23
Number of cooperating teachers/K-12 staff supervising clinical experience during this academic year	10
Number of students in supervised clinical experience during this academic year	112

Please provide any additional information about or descriptions of the supervised clinical experiences:

Northwestern State University offers two options for alternative certification: a practitioner program and a Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT) program. In both options, the plan of study requires that candidates complete a two semester internship rather than student teaching or residency. Therefore, the first question regarding student teaching is not applicable to the majority of our programs. However, NSU is currently participating in a Teacher Quality Program (TQP) with the Orchard Foundation where candidates complete a MAT. Rather than completing a two semester internship, candidates are completing a residency with a master teacher. For this grant program (2019-2023), candidates are completing two-semester residency. NSU meets all state requirements for field hours for alternative certification candidates. As per the Louisiana Guide to Complete the Westat Title II Institution and Program Review Card, the university has counted all adjuncts as 1 FTE, regardless of how many students they supervise.

Enrollment and Program Completers

In each of the following categories, provide the total number of individuals enrolled in teacher preparation programs for an initial teaching credential and the subset of individuals enrolled who also completed the program during the academic year.

(§205(a)(1)(C)(ii))

Key terms in this section are listed below.	Click on the link to view t	he definition(s) in
the glossary.		

- Enrolled Student
- Program Completer

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

>> Enrollment and Program Completers

Enrollment and	l Program	Completers
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2019-20 Total			
Total Number of Individuals Enrolled	190		
Subset of Program Completers	52		

Gender	Total Enrolled	Subset of Program Completers
Male	41	11
Female	149	41
Non-Binary/Other	0	0
No Gender Reported	0	0
Race/Ethnicity	Total Enrolled	Subset of Program Completers
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	1
Asian	0	0
Black or African American	27	10
Hispanic/Latino of any race	9	2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0
White	144	38

Race/Ethnicity	Total Enrolled	Subset of Program Completers
Two or more races	3	0
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	6	1

SECTION I: PROGRAM INFORMATION

Teachers Prepared

On this page, enter the number of program completers by the subject area in which they were prepared to teach, and by their academic majors. Note that an individual can be counted in more than one academic major and subject area. For example, if an individual is prepared to teach Elementary Education and Mathematics, that individual should be counted in both subject areas. If no individuals were prepared in a particular academic major or subject area, you may leave the cell blank. Please use the "Other" category sparingly, if there is no similar subject area or academic major listed. In these cases, you should use the text box to describe the subject area(s) and/or the academic major(s) counted in the "Other" category.

If your IHE offers both traditional and alternative programs, be sure to enter the program completers in the appropriate reports. For the traditional report, provide only the program completers in traditional programs within the IHE. For the alternative report, provide only the program completers for the alternative programs within the IHE.

After entering the teachers prepared data, save the page using the floating save box at the bottom of the page.

Key terms in this section are listed below. Click on the link to view the definition(s) in the glossary.

Academic Major

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

- >> Teachers Prepared by Subject Area
- >> Teachers Prepared by Academic Major

Teachers Prepared by Subject Area

Please provide the number of teachers prepared by subject area for academic year 2019-20.

For the purposes of this section, number prepared means the number of program completers. "Subject area" refers to the subject area(s) an individual has been prepared to teach. An individual can be counted in more than one subject area. If no individuals were prepared in a particular subject area, please leave that cell blank. (§205(b)(1)(H))

What are CIP Codes?

No teachers prepared in academic year 2019-20

If your program has no teachers prepared, check the box above and leave the table below blank (or clear responses already entered).

What are CIP codes? The Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) provides a taxonomic scheme that supports the accurate tracking and reporting of fields of study and program completions activity. CIP was originally developed by the U.S. Department of Education's National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) in 1980, with revisions occurring in 1985, 1990, and 2000 (https://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/cipcode/Default.aspx?y=55).

CIP Code	Subject Area	Number Prepared
13.10	Teacher Education - Special Education	11
13.1202	Teacher Education - Elementary Education	13

CIP Code	Subject Area	Number Prepared
13.1203	Teacher Education - Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education	13
13.1210	Teacher Education - Early Childhood Education	9
13.1301	Teacher Education - Agriculture	
13.1302	Teacher Education - Art	
13.1303	Teacher Education - Business	4
13.1305	Teacher Education - English/Language Arts	9
13.1306	Teacher Education - Foreign Language	
13.1307	Teacher Education - Health	
13.1308	Teacher Education - Family and Consumer Sciences/Home Economics	
13.1309	Teacher Education - Technology Teacher Education/Industrial Arts	
13.1311	Teacher Education - Mathematics	8
13.1312	Teacher Education - Music	
13.1314	Teacher Education - Physical Education and Coaching	
13.1315	Teacher Education - Reading	
13.1316	Teacher Education - Science Teacher Education/General Science	5
13.1317	Teacher Education - Social Science	
13.1318	Teacher Education - Social Studies	1
13.1320	Teacher Education - Trade and Industrial	
13.1321	Teacher Education - Computer Science	
13.1322	Teacher Education - Biology	4
13.1323	Teacher Education - Chemistry	
13.1324	Teacher Education - Drama and Dance	
13.1328	Teacher Education - History	
13.1329	Teacher Education - Physics	
13.1331	Teacher Education - Speech	

CIP Code	Subject Area	Number Prepared
13.1337	Teacher Education - Earth Science	
13.14	Teacher Education - English as a Second Language	
13.99	Education - Other Specify:	

Teachers Prepared by Academic Major

Please provide the number of teachers prepared by academic major for academic year 2019-20. For the purposes of this section, number prepared means the number of program completers. "Academic major" refers to the actual major(s) declared by the program completer. An individual can be counted in more than one academic major. If no individuals were prepared in a particular academic major, please leave that cell blank. (§205(b)(1)(H))

Please note that the list of majors includes several "Teacher Education" majors, as well as several noneducation majors. Please use care in entering your majors to ensure education-specific majors and non-education majors are counted correctly. For example, if an individual majored in Chemistry, that individual should be counted in the "Chemistry" academic major category rather than the "Teacher Education—Chemistry" category.

What are CIP Codes?

Do	participants	earn a	degree	upon	completion	of the	program?

• Yes

No teachers prepared in academic year 2019-20

If your program does not grant participants a degree upon completion, or has no teachers prepared, leave the table below blank (or **clear responses already entered**).

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
13.10	Teacher Education - Special Education	11
13.1202	Teacher Education - Elementary Education	12
13.1203	Teacher Education - Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education	
13.1210	Teacher Education - Early Childhood Education	9
13.1301	Teacher Education - Agriculture	
13.1302	Teacher Education - Art	
13.1303	Teacher Education - Business	4
13.1305	Teacher Education - English/Language Arts	8
13.1306	Teacher Education - Foreign Language	
13.1307	Teacher Education - Health	

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
13.1308	Teacher Education - Family and Consumer Sciences/Home Economics	
13.1309	Teacher Education - Technology Teacher Education/Industrial Arts	
13.1311	Teacher Education - Mathematics	8
13.1312	Teacher Education - Music	
13.1314	Teacher Education - Physical Education and Coaching	
13.1315	Teacher Education - Reading	
13.1316	Teacher Education - General Science	5
13.1317	Teacher Education - Social Science	1
13.1318	Teacher Education - Social Studies	
13.1320	Teacher Education - Trade and Industrial	
13.1321	Teacher Education - Computer Science	
13.1322	Teacher Education - Biology	4
13.1323	Teacher Education - Chemistry	
13.1324	Teacher Education - Drama and Dance	
13.1328	Teacher Education - History	
13.1329	Teacher Education - Physics	
13.1331	Teacher Education - Speech	
13.1337	Teacher Education - Earth Science	
13.14	Teacher Education - English as a Second Language	
13.99	Education - Other Specify:	
01	Agriculture	
03	Natural Resources and Conservation	
05	Area, Ethnic, Cultural, and Gender Studies	
09	Communication or Journalism	

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
11	Computer and Information Sciences	
12	Personal and Culinary Services	
14	Engineering	
16	Foreign Languages, Literatures, and Linguistics	
19	Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Sciences	
21	Technology Education/Industrial Arts	
22	Legal Professions and Studies	
23	English Language/Literature	
24	Liberal Arts/Humanities	
25	Library Science	
26	Biological and Biomedical Sciences	
27	Mathematics and Statistics	
30	Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies	
38	Philosophy and Religious Studies	
40	Physical Sciences	
41	Science Technologies/Technicians	
42	Psychology	
44	Public Administration and Social Service Professions	
45	Social Sciences	
46	Construction	
47	Mechanic and Repair Technologies	
50	Visual and Performing Arts	
51	Health Professions and Related Clinical Sciences	
52	Business/Management/Marketing	
54	History	

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
99	Other Specify:	

Program Assurances

Respond to the following assurances. Note: Teacher preparation programs should be prepared to provide documentation and evidence, when requested, to support the following assurances. (§205(a)(1)(A)(iii); §206(b))

TH	IIS PAGE INCLUDES:
>>	Program Assurances

Program Assurances
1. Program preparation responds to the identified needs of the local educational agencies or States where the program completers are likely to tea based on past hiring and recruitment trends.
• Yes No
2. Preparation is closely linked with the needs of schools and the instructional decisions new teachers face in the classroom.
• Yes No
3. Prospective special education teachers are prepared in core academic subjects and to instruct in core academic subjects.
Yes No Program does not prepare special education teachers
4. Deconative general education technical are prepared to provide instruction to students with dischilities
Prospective general education teachers are prepared to provide instruction to students with disabilities. Yes No
5. Prospective general education teachers are prepared to provide instruction to limited English proficient students.
• Yes No
6. Prospective general education teachers are prepared to provide instruction to students from low-income families.
• Yes No
7. Prospective teachers are prepared to effectively teach in urban and rural schools, as applicable.
• Yes No

8. Describe your institution's most successful strategies in meeting the assurances listed above:

Continued collaboration with LEAs and State DoE. Candidates enrolled in alternative certification programs complete field and clinical experiences in K-12 schools and must show that they have worked with diverse populations of students.

Annual Goals: Mathematics

Each institution of higher education (IHE) that conducts a traditional teacher preparation program (including programs that offer any ongoing professional development programs) or alternative route teacher preparation program, and that enrolls students receiving Federal assistance under this Act, shall set annual quantifiable goals for increasing the number of prospective teachers trained in teacher shortage areas designated by the Secretary or by the state educational agency, including mathematics, science, special education, and instruction of limited English proficient students.

(§205(a)(1) (A)(i), §205(a)(1)(A)(ii), §206(a))

Key terms in this section are listed below. Click on the link to view the definition(s) in the glossary.

Quantifiable Goals

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

- >> Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2019-20)
- >> Review Current Year's Goal (2020-21)
- >> Set Next Year's Goal (2021-22)

Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2019-20)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in mathematics in 2019-20?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2019-20 blank (or clear responses already entered).

Yes

No

2. Describe your goal.

Our goal was to add 6 prospective teachers in 2019-20.

- 3. Did your program meet the goal?
 - Yes
 - No
- 4. Description of strategies used to achieve goal, if applicable:
- 5. Description of steps to improve performance in meeting goal or lessons learned in meeting goal, if applicable:

Targeted recruitment, including efforts on the part of CLIP.

6. Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Review Current Year's Goal (2020-21)



Yes
 No

8. Describe your goal.

We would like to add an additional 6 prospective teachers of mathematics in 20-21.

Set Next Year's Goal (2021-22)

- 9. Will your program prepare teachers in mathematics in 2021-22? If no, leave the next question blank.
 - Yes

10. Describe your goal.

We would like to add an additional 6 prospective teachers.

Annual Goals: Science

Each institution of higher education (IHE) that conducts a traditional teacher preparation program (including programs that offer any ongoing professional development programs) or alternative route teacher preparation program, and that enrolls students receiving Federal assistance under this Act, shall set annual quantifiable goals for increasing the number of prospective teachers trained in teacher shortage areas designated by the Secretary or by the state educational agency, including mathematics, science, special education, and instruction of limited English proficient students.

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Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2019-20)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in science in 2019-20?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2019-20 blank (or clear responses already entered).

Yes

No

2. Describe your goal.

We plan to add 5 prospective science teachers to our program for the 2019-20 academic year.

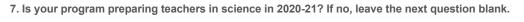
- 3. Did your program meet the goal?
 - Yes
 - No

4. Description of strategies used to achieve goal, if applicable:

Targeted recruitment.

- 5. Description of steps to improve performance in meeting goal or lessons learned in meeting goal, if applicable:
- 6. Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Review Current Year's Goal (2020-21)



Yes
 No

8. Describe your goal.

We plan to add an additional 5 potential science teachers to the program in 20-21.

Set Next Year's Goal (2021-22)

- 9. Will your program prepare teachers in science in 2021-22? If no, leave the next question blank.
 - Yes

10. Describe your goal.

We plan to add an additional 5 potential science teachers.

Annual Goals: Special Education

Each institution of higher education (IHE) that conducts a traditional teacher preparation program (including programs that offer any ongoing professional development programs) or alternative route teacher preparation program, and that enrolls students receiving Federal assistance under this Act, shall set annual quantifiable goals for increasing the number of prospective teachers trained in teacher shortage areas designated by the Secretary or by the state educational agency, including mathematics, science, special education, and instruction of limited English proficient students.

(§205(a)(1) (A)(i), §205(a)(1)(A)(ii), §206(a))

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Quantifiable Goals

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- >> Set Next Year's Goal (2021-22)

Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2019-20)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in special education in 2019-20?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2019-20 blank (or clear responses already entered).

Yes

No

2. Describe your goal.

We planned to add 6 SPED teachers to the program.

- 3. Did your program meet the goal?
 - Yes
 - No
- 4. Description of strategies used to achieve goal, if applicable:

Targeted recruitment.

- 5. Description of steps to improve performance in meeting goal or lessons learned in meeting goal, if applicable:
- 6. Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Review Current Year's Goal (2020-21)





8. Describe your goal.

In 2020-21 we plan to add an additional 6 prospective science teachers to the program.

Set Next Year's Goal (2021-22)

- 9. Will your program prepare teachers in special education in 2021-22? If no, leave the next question blank.
 - Yes

10. Describe your goal.

We plan to add an additional 6 prospective science teachers to the program.

SECTION II: ANNUAL GOALS

Annual Goals: Instruction of Limited English Proficient Students

Each institution of higher education (IHE) that conducts a traditional teacher preparation program (including programs that offer any ongoing professional development programs) or alternative route teacher preparation program, and that enrolls students receiving Federal assistance under this Act, shall set annual quantifiable goals for increasing the number of prospective teachers trained in teacher shortage areas designated by the Secretary or by the state educational agency, including mathematics, science, special education, and instruction of limited English proficient students.

(§205(a)(1) (A)(i), §205(a)(1)(A)(ii), §206(a))

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• Quantifiable Goals

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- >> Set Next Year's Goal (2021-22)

Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2019-20)

1.	Did your program prepare teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2019-20?
	If no, leave remaining questions for 2019-20 blank (or <u>clear responses already entered</u>).
	Yes

- No
- 2. Describe your goal.
- 3. Did your program meet the goal?
 - Yes No
- 4. Description of strategies used to achieve goal, if applicable:
- 5. Description of steps to improve performance in meeting goal or lessons learned in meeting goal, if applicable:
- 6. Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Review Current Year's Goal (2020-21)

7. Is your program preparing teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2020-21? If no, leave the next question blank.

Yes
No

8. Describe your goal.

Set Next Year's Goal (2021-22)

9. Will your program prepare teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2021-22? If no, leave the next question blank.



10. Describe your goal.

Assessment Pass Rates

The pass rates table is populated from files provided by the testing company or state. The table provides information on the performance of the students in your teacher preparation program on each teacher credential assessment used by your state. In cases where a student has taken a given assessment more than once, the highest score on that test is used. In the case of a teacher preparation program with fewer than 10 scores reported on any single initial teacher credential assessment during an academic year, the program shall collect and publish information with respect to an average pass rate and scaled score on each state credential assessment taken over a three-year period. (§205(a)(1)(B))

Please note that this page does not have an edit feature as the pass rates have already been through several rounds of verification. If you identify an error, please contact Westat's Title II Support Center and your testing company representative.

Key terms in this section are listed below. Click on the link to view the definition(s) in the glossary.

- Pass rate
- Scaled score
- Teacher credential assessment

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>> Assessment Pass Rates

Assessment Pass Rates

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS0235 -BIOLOGY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	7			
ETS0235 -BIOLOGY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	4			
ETS0235 -BIOLOGY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	2			
ETS0235 -BIOLOGY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	3			
ETS5101 -BUSINESS ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	4			
ETS5101 -BUSINESS ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	3			

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5101 -BUSINESS ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	2			
ETS0245 -CHEMISTRY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	1			
ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	3			
ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	37	160	37	100
ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	7			
ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	8			
ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	8			
ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	3			
ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	43	178	43	100
ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	9			
ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	10	180	10	100
ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	10	179	10	100
ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	3			
ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	42	168	42	100
ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	9			

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	11	171	11	100
ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	10	167	10	100
ETS5733 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR EDUCATORS: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	3			
ETS5018 -ELEM ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	1			
ETS5018 -ELEM ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	9			
ETS5018 -ELEM ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	7			
ETS5018 -ELEM ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	13	173	13	100
ETS5018 -ELEM ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	4			
ETS5014 -ELEM ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	2			
ETS5014 -ELEM ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	5			
ETS5014 -ELEM ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	9			
ETS5014 -ELEM ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	26	166	26	100
ETS5003 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	2			
ETS5003 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	46	173	46	100
ETS5003 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	5			

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5003 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	2			
ETS5003 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS5002 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ READING LANG ARTS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	2			
ETS5002 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ READING LANG ARTS Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	46	168	46	100
ETS5002 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ READING LANG ARTS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	5			
ETS5002 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ READING LANG ARTS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	2			
ETS5002 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ READING LANG ARTS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS5005 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SCIENCES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	2			
ETS5005 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SCIENCES Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	46	171	46	100
ETS5005 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SCIENCES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	5			
ETS5005 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SCIENCES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	2			
ETS5005 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SCIENCES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS5004 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	2			
ETS5004 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	47	166	47	100
ETS5004 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	5			

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5004 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	2			
ETS5004 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS0041 -ENG LANG LIT COMP CONTENT KNOWLEDGE (DISC) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	1			
ETS0041 -ENG LANG LIT COMP CONTENT KNOWLEDGE (DISC) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	1			
ETS0041 -ENG LANG LIT COMP CONTENT KNOWLEDGE (DISC) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	3			
ETS0043 -ENG LANG LIT COMP PEDAGOGY (DISCONTINUED Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	1			
ETS0043 -ENG LANG LIT COMP PEDAGOGY (DISCONTINUED Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS5039 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CONTENT AND ANALYSIS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	2			
ETS5039 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CONTENT AND ANALYSIS Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	6			
ETS5039 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CONTENT AND ANALYSIS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	6			
ETS5039 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CONTENT AND ANALYSIS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	8			
ETS5039 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CONTENT AND ANALYSIS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	6			
ETS5122 -FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	1			
ETS0435 -GENERAL SCI CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	2			
ETS0435 -GENERAL SCI CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5161 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	1			
ETS5161 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	2			
ETS5161 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	1			
ETS5161 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS0061 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE (DISC) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	1			
ETS5047 -MIDDLE SCHOOL ENG LANG ARTS Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	4			
ETS5047 -MIDDLE SCHOOL ENG LANG ARTS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	2			
ETS5047 -MIDDLE SCHOOL ENG LANG ARTS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	4			
ETS5049 -MIDDLE SCHOOL ENG LANG ARTS (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS5169 -MIDDLE SCHOOL MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	21	175	21	100
ETS5169 -MIDDLE SCHOOL MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	6			
ETS5169 -MIDDLE SCHOOL MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	6			
ETS5169 -MIDDLE SCHOOL MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS0069 -MIDDLE SCHOOL MATHEMATICS (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS5440 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SCIENCE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	4			

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5440 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SCIENCE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	5			
ETS5440 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SCIENCE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	3			
ETS5440 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SCIENCE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS5089 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	2			
ETS5089 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	6			
ETS5089 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	1			
ETS5089 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	2			
ETS5089 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	3			
ETS0113 -MUSIC CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	1			
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	2			
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	2			
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	1			
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	8			
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	15	179	15	100
ETS0710 -PRAXIS I READING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	2			

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS0710 -PRAXIS I READING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	2			
ETS0710 -PRAXIS I READING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	1			
ETS0710 -PRAXIS I READING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	5			
ETS0710 -PRAXIS I READING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	13	179	13	100
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	2			
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	2			
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	1			
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	5			
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	12	177	12	100
ETS5623 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING 5-9 Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	1			
ETS5623 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING 5-9 Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	10	172	10	100
ETS5623 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING 5-9 Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	13	180	13	100
ETS5623 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING 5-9 Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	17	175	17	100
ETS5623 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING 5-9 Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	6			
ETS5624 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING 7-12 Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	3			

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5624 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING 7-12 Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	14	171	14	100
ETS5624 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING 7-12 Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	17	181	17	100
ETS5624 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING 7-12 Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	16	178	16	100
ETS5624 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING 7-12 Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	18	177	18	100
ETS5621 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING EARLY CHILD Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	5			
ETS5621 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING EARLY CHILD Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	9			
ETS5621 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING EARLY CHILD Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	10	171	10	100
ETS5621 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING EARLY CHILD Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	8			
ETS5622 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING K-6 Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	4			
ETS5622 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING K-6 Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	11	174	11	100
ETS5622 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING K-6 Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	13	179	13	100
ETS5622 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING K-6 Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	14	175	14	100
ETS5622 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING K-6 Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	23	177	23	100
ETS5543 -SE CK AND MILD TO MODERATE APPL Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	3			
ETS5543 -SE CK AND MILD TO MODERATE APPL Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	7			

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5543 -SE CK AND MILD TO MODERATE APPL Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2019-20	11	176	11	100
ETS5543 -SE CK AND MILD TO MODERATE APPL Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	11	170	11	100
ETS5543 -SE CK AND MILD TO MODERATE APPL Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	13	174	13	100
ETS5086 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT & INTERPRETATION Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	6			
ETS5086 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT & INTERPRETATION Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	2			
ETS5086 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT & INTERPRETATION Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	3			
ETS5195 -SPANISH WORLD LANGUAGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	1			
ETS5841 -WORLD LANGUAGE PEDAGOGY Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	1			

Summary Pass Rates

The pass rates table is populated from files provided by the testing company or state. The table provides information on the performance of the students in your teacher preparation program on each teacher credential assessment used by your state. In cases where a student has taken a given assessment more than once, the highest score on that test is used. In the case of a teacher preparation program with fewer than 10 scores reported on any single initial teacher credential assessment during an academic year, the program shall collect and publish information with respect to an average pass rate and scaled score on each state credential assessment taken over a three-year period. (§205(a)(1)(B))

Please note that this page does not have an edit feature as the pass rates have already been through several rounds of verification. If you identify an error, please contact Westat's Title II Support Center and your testing company representative.

Key terms in this section are listed below. Click on the link to view the definition(s) in the glossary.

- Pass rate
- Scaled score
- Teacher credential assessment

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>> Summary Pass Rates

Summary Pass Rates

Group	Number taking tests	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
All program completers, 2019-20	52	52	100
All program completers, 2018-19	58	58	100
All program completers, 2017-18	61	61	100

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Low-Performing

Provide the following information about the approval or accreditation of your teacher preparation program. ($\S205(a)(1)(D)$, $\S205(a)(1)(E)$)

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>> <u>Low-Performing</u>

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No

1. Is your teacher preparation program currently approved or accredited?
Yes No
If yes, please specify the organization(s) that approved or accredited your program:
State CAEP AAQEP Other specify:
2. Is your teacher preparation program currently under a designation as "low-performing" by the state?

SECTION V: USE OF TECHNOLOGY

Use of Technology

On this page, review the questions regarding your program's use of technology. If you submitted an IPRC last year, this section is pre-loaded from your prior year's report; please review and update as necessary.

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Use of Technology

1. Provide the following information about the use of technology in your teacher preparation program. Please note that choosing 'yes' indicates that your teacher preparation program would be able to provide evidence upon request. (§205(a)(1)(F))

Does your program prepare teachers to:

- a. integrate technology effectively into curricula and instruction
 - Yes
 - No
- b. use technology effectively to collect data to improve teaching and learning
 - Ye
 - No
- c. use technology effectively to manage data to improve teaching and learning
 - Yes
 - No
- d. use technology effectively to analyze data to improve teaching and learning
 - Yes
 - No
- 2. Provide a description of the evidence that your program uses to show that it prepares teachers to integrate technology effectively into curricula and instruction, and to use technology effectively to collect, manage, and analyze data in order to improve teaching and learning for the purpose of increasing student academic achievement. Include a description of the evidence your program uses to show that it prepares teachers to use the principles of universal design for learning, as applicable. Include planning activities and a timeline if any of the four elements listed above are not currently in place.

Integrate technology into curricula and instruction: With the advances in educational technology and its increasing availability in P-12 schools, it is imperative that teacher candidates be prepared to integrate digital-age tools for planning, instruction, student engagement, and assessment of learning. Candidates at Northwestern State University develop a digital-age skill set that includes Web 2.0 tools, interactive whiteboard technology, Universal Design/Universal Design for Learning. Candidates use their knowledge and skills in coursework and field experiences to create technology-rich learning environments that promote student inquiry, critical thinking, and problem-based learning. Use technology to effectively collect data to improve teaching and learning: Candidates experience the value of using student data in improving teaching and learning. They understand the concepts of 1) assessment of learning and 2) assessment for learning. Best practices in designing learning assessments are presented to candidates, and the candidates demonstrate their mastery of these through field-based activities. Candidates are afforded the opportunities to use technology to collect data on summative and formative assessments of student performance in lessons they teach before and during the clinical experience (student teaching or internship). Because each school district, and in some cases each school, has access to different tools, candidates collaborate with field-based cooperating teachers to select the most appropriate tools for data collection in the lessons they teach. Use technology to manage data to improve teaching and learning: Once candidates collect student performance data, they may use any number of applications to organize the data. Applications like Google Classroom and Eliademy are learning management systems with built-in assessment modules for collecting, housing, and analyzing data.

Other applications like Google Forms and SurveyMonkey are Web-based data collection tools from which data can be exported then imported into spreadsheet applications, like Microsoft Excel or Google Sheets, for organizing data in usable forms. Use technology to analyze data to improve teaching and learning: Candidates use spreadsheet applications, like Microsoft Excel or Google Sheets, to organize and analyze student performance data. Other tools embedded within the applications used to collect data may be available for candidate use as well. Student performance data are analyzed using any number of these tools to assist the candidate in reflecting on student performance and in making data-driven instructional decisions.

SECTION VI: TEACHER TRAINING

Teacher Training

Provide the following information about your teacher preparation program.

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>> Teacher Training

Teacher Training

- 1. Provide a description of the activities that prepare general education teachers to:
 - a. Teach students with disabilities effectively

All students seeking certification within this program must successfully complete a required special education course. This course focuses on all facets of special education and specifically addresses the preparation, instruction, and assessment of students with disabilities. This course provides training in Council for Exceptional (CEC) dispositions and knowledge required for working as a member of an Individualized Education Plan (IEP) team. Topics covered include Special Education law, major categories of disabilities, diversity, and education in the least restrictive environment (LRE). In addition to the topics covered in this class, the needs of diverse learners are a principal focus throughout other coursework. This program prepares both general and special education teachers to effectively teach students with disabilities by regularly examining and discussing the learning differences and similarities of all children.

b. Participate as a member of individualized education program teams, as defined in section 614(d)(1)(B) of the *Individuals with Disabilities*Education Act.

Participate as a member of individualized education program teams, as defined in section 614(d)(1)(B) of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act. As coursework culminates, mastery of the aforementioned skills and an understanding of how to apply the provisions of disabilities law (such as Inclusion, LRE, and Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and the responsibilities of educators and stakeholders in an IEP is required of all candidates. Particular emphasis is given to understanding parental perceptions and concerns of disabled children and ways of working with parents, their children, and team members in order to assure optimum achievement for children.

c. Effectively teach students who are limited English proficient.

ELL and ESL students are addressed through instruction about differentiation. Students are expected to craft lessons for these students if present in their classes.

- 2. Does your program prepare special education teachers?
 - Yes

No

If yes, provide a description of the activities that prepare special education teachers to:

a. Teach students with disabilities effectively

The School of Education's Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT) degree in Special Education specifically prepares candidates to meet the Louisiana, Council for Exceptional Children (CEC), and Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP) certification and highly qualified requirements for licensure in Learning Disabilities (K-12). It is a state approved program and has accreditation by the Council for Exceptional Children (CEC). The program of study consists of 33 hours of coursework in the areas of learning disabilities (LD) and literacy and six hours of supervised internship. In addition to aligning its curriculum offerings with the CEC Content Standards, candidates also design and implement instruction in accordance with the state Content Standards and demonstrate the professional dispositions defined by the Louisiana Department of Education Standards of Conduct. The course of study provides candidates with hands-on activities designed to help them acquire, practice, and

refine competencies in a developmental, scholar-practitioner manner. They complete the series of IRIS modules, including its case study and response questions. Candidates also develop lesson plans for demonstrating their ability to select, adapt, and use instructional strategies and materials that address specific student deficiencies.

b. Participate as a member of individualized education program teams, as defined in section 614(d)(1)(B) of the *Individuals with Disabilities Education Act*.

As coursework culminates, mastery of the aforementioned skills and an understanding of how to apply the provisions of disabilities law (such as Inclusion, LRE, and Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and the responsibilities of educators and stakeholders in an IEP is required of all candidates. Particular emphasis is given to understanding parental perceptions and concerns of disabled children and ways of working with parents, their children, and team members in order to assure optimum achievement for children.

c. Effectively teach students who are limited English proficient.

ELL and ESL students are addressed through instruction about differentiation. Students are expected to craft lessons for these students if present in their classes.

Contextual Information

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>> Contextual Information

Contextual Information

Please use this space to provide any additional information that describes your teacher preparation program(s). You may also attach information to this report card (see below). The U.S. Department of Education is especially interested in any evaluation plans or interim or final reports that may be available.

Founded in 1884 as the State Normal School, Northwestern State University continues its legacy of preparing teachers and other school personnel for their daily work in the schools. Evidence to support this statement includes published findings from the Louisiana Board of Regents Teacher Preparation Data Dashboards. The Data Dashboards were voluntarily developed by public universities, private universities, and private providers to provide the public with information about individual state-approved teacher preparation programs in Louisiana. The state given COMPASS teacher evaluation system evaluated teacher practice and student outcomes. The mean & effectiveness level for 221 1st and 2nd year teachers who graduated from NSU alternative certification programs were provided for 2018. Of this number, 92% of them scored in the highest two categories (effective: proficient and highly effective). The mean score for first and second year NSU teachers was 3.4 on a 4 point scale. The dashboard is published on the Board of Regents website. Due to discrepancies found in data used to calculate Growth in Student Learning Scores and Compass Teacher Evaluation Scores for new teachers completing individual teacher preparation programs, it was not possible to release 2019 Teacher Preparation Data Dashboards or create a 2019 Teacher Preparation Fact Book. Due to COVID-19, no Fact Book for 2020 will be released.

Supporting Files

No files have been provided.

You may upload files to be included with your report card. You should only upload PDF or Microsoft Word or Excel files. These files will be listed as links in your report card. Upload files in the order that you'd like them to appear.

Report Card Certification

Please make sure your entire report card is complete and accurate before completing this section. Once your report card is certified you will not be able to edit your data.

Certification of submission

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information in this report is accurate and complete and conforms to the definitions and instructions used in the
| J | Higher Education Opportunity Act, Title II: Reporting Reference and User Manual.

NAME OF RESPONSIBLE REPRESENTATIVE FOR TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAM:

Dr. Katrina Woolsey Jordan

TITLE:

Director, School of Education

Certification of review of submission

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NAME OF REVIEWER:

Dr. Katrina Woolsey Jordan

TITLE:

Director, NSU School of Education