

2019 TITLE II REPORTS

National Teacher Preparation Data





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Is your institution a member of an HEA Title II Teacher Quality Partnership (TQP) grant awarded by the U.S. Department of Education? (https://www2.ed.gov/programs/tqpartnership/awards.html)

If yes, provide the following:
AWARD YEAR
GRANTEE NAME
PROJECT NAME
GRANT NUMBER
LIST PARTNER DISTRICTS/LEAS (ONE PER LINE)
LIST OTHER PARTNERS (ONE PER LINE)
PROJECT TYPE
Residency
Pre-baccalaureate Path Posidonay and Pre-baccalaureate
Both Residency and Pre-baccalaureate

List of Programs

On this page, review the list of teacher preparation programs offered by your institution of higher education (IHE) or organization. If you submitted an IPRC last year, this list of programs is pre-loaded from your prior year's report. If your IHE offers both traditional and alternative programs, be sure to enter the programs in the appropriate reports. For the traditional report, list all traditional programs within the IHE. For the alternative report, list all alternative programs within the IHE. You may edit, delete, and insert new rows as necessary.

After reviewing and updating as necessary, save the page using the floating save box at the bottom of the page. The system will automatically total the number of programs for you.

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

>> Program Information

Program Information

List each teacher preparation program included in your traditional route. Indicate if your program or programs participate in a Teacher Quality Partnership Grant awarded by the U.S. Department of Education as described at https://www2.ed.gov/programs/tqpartnership/awards.html.

Teacher Preparation Programs	Teacher Quality Partnership Grant Member?	Update
Adapted Physical Education PK-12	No	
Art PK-12	No	
Biology 7-12	No	
Business, Marketing, and Information Technology 6-12	No	
Chemistry 7-12	No	
Early Childhood Inclusive Birth-3	No	
Early Intervention Specialist B-PK	No	
Elementary Education K-6	No	
English as a Second Language PK-12	No	
English Language Arts 7-12	No	
Geography 7-12	No	
Health and Physical Education PK-12	No	
Health Education 7-12	No	
History 7-12	No	
Interscholastic Coaching 7-12	No	

Teacher Preparation Programs	Teacher Quality Partnership Grant Member?	Update
Mathematics 6-12	No	
Middle Level Education 5-9	No	
Music PK-12	No	
Physical Education 7-12	No	
Physical Education PK-12	No	
Physical Education PK-6	No	
Physics 7-12	No	
Political Science 7-12	No	
Psychology 7-12	No	
Secondary English 7-12	No	
Social Science 7-12	No	
Sociology 7-12	No	
Special Education Generalist 7-12	No	
Special Education Generalist K-12	No	
Special Education Generalist K-6	No	
Theatre 7-12	No	
Work-Based Learning 9-12	No	
World Language: French 7-12	No	
World Language: German 7-12	No	
World Language: Spanish 7-12	No	

Total number of teacher preparation programs: 35

Program Requirements

On this page, review and enter information about the program requirements for admission into the program, program completion, and supervised clinical experience. If you submitted an IPRC last year, much of this page is pre-loaded from your prior year's report. If your IHE offers both traditional and alternative programs, be sure to specify the requirements in the appropriate reports. For the traditional report, provide the requirements for traditional programs within the IHE. For the alternative report, provide the requirements for the alternative programs within the IHE.

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THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

- >> Admissions
- >> Undergraduate Requirements
- >> Postgraduate Requirements
- >> Supervised Clinical Experience

Admissions

1. Indicate when students are formally admitted into your initial teacher certification program:

Sophomore year

▼

If Other, please specify:

2. Does your initial teacher certification program conditionally admit students?



No

3. Provide a link to your website where additional information about admissions requirements can be found:

http://www.unk.edu/academics/certification/admission_to_teacher_education_requirements.php

4. Please provide any additional information about or exceptions to the admissions information provided above:

Successful completion of the PRAXIS Core is based on using a total score calculation for all three tests. The sum total must be at least a minimum score of 468. Candidates must pass at least two of the tests and be within one point for the third test. This is a state approved exception, Rule 23 003.03.

Undergraduate Requirements

Please provide the following information about your teacher preparation program's entry and exit requirements. (§205(a)(1)(C)(i))

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



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 rest of the page blank (or <u>clear responses already entered</u>) then click save at the bottom of the page.

Element	Required for Entry	Required for Exit
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
Interview	Yes No	Yes No
Other Specify:	○ Yes ○ No	Yes No
2. What is the minimum GPA required for admission into the program? (Leave blank if	you indicated that a minimum GP	PA is not required in the table
above.) 2.75		
3. What was the median GPA of individuals accepted into the program in academic year	ar 2017-18?	
3.59		
4. What is the minimum GPA required for completing the program? (Leave blank if you above.)	ມ indicated that a minimum GPA is	s not required in the table
2.75		
5. What was the median GPA of individuals completing the program in academic year 2	2017-18?	
3.91		
6. Please provide any additional information about the information provided above:		

Postgraduate Requirements

Please provide the following information about your teacher preparation program's entry and exit requirements. (§205(a)(1)(C)(i))

Yes No If yes, for each element listed below, indicate if it is required for admission into	or exit from any of your teacher	r preparation program(s) at the
postgraduate level. If no, leave the rest of the page blank (or <u>clear responses</u>		
Element	Required for Entry	Required for Exit
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
Interview	Yes No	Yes No
Other Specify:	Yes No	Yes No
2. What is the minimum GPA required for admission into the program? (Leave blar above.)	nk if you indicated that a minimu	m GPA is not required in the table
2.75		
B. What was the median GPA of individuals accepted into the program in academic	c year 2017-18?	
3.71		
 What is the minimum GPA required for completing the program? (Leave blank if above.) 	you indicated that a minimum G	GPA is not required in the table
2.75		
5. What was the median GPA of individuals completing the program in academic ye	ear 2017-18?	
3.87		
6. Please provide any additional information about the information provided abov	re:	

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

Supervised Clinical Experience

Provide the following information about supervised clinical experience in 2017-18. (§205(a)(1)(C)(iii), §205(a)(1)(C)(iv))

Additional guidance on reporting supervised clinical experience and nonclinical coursework.

Average number of clock hours of supervised clinical experience required prior to student teaching	125
Average number of clock hours required for student teaching	720
Average number of clock hours required for mentoring/induction support	0
Number of full-time equivalent faculty supervising clinical experience during this academic year	15
Number of adjunct faculty supervising clinical experience during this academic year (IHE and PreK-12 staff)	38
Number of students in supervised clinical experience during this academic year	94

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

Enrollment

On this page, enter the number of candidates for an initial teaching credential who are enrolled in the initial teacher preparation programs within your institution of higher education (IHE) or organization. **Do not** report on the total number of students enrolled in the entire IHE. **Do not** include individuals who currently hold a teaching credential and are seeking additional licenses or endorsements, or individuals preparing for school-based careers other than classroom teachers (e.g., administrators, guidance counselors).

The Department recognizes that in many cases, candidates voluntarily report their race/ethnicity and gender data, and that in some cases, candidates may choose not to report this information. Please report on the race/ethnicity data you have available, though the data may not be complete. It is not expected that the sum of the enrolled students reported by race/ethnicity or by gender will necessarily equal the total number of students enrolled.

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

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

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>> <u>Enrollment</u>	

Enrollment

For the purpose of Title II reporting, an enrolled student is defined as a student who has been admitted to a teacher preparation program, but who has not completed the program during the academic year being reported. An individual who completed the program during the academic year being reported is counted as a program completer and *not* an enrolled student.

Additional guidance on reporting race and ethnicity data.

Total number of students enrolled in 2017-18	404
Unduplicated number of males enrolled in 2017-18	86
Unduplicated number of females enrolled in 2017-18	318

Provide the number of students in the teacher preparation program in the following categories. Note that you must report on the number of students by ethnicity and race separately. Individuals who are non-Hispanic/Latino will be reported in one of the race categories. Also note that individuals can belong to one or more racial groups, so the sum of the members of each racial category may not necessarily add up to the total number of students enrolled. (§205(a)(1)(C)(ii)(H))

2017-18	Number Enrolled
Ethnicity	
Hispanic/Latino of any race	26
Race	

2017-18	Number Enrolled
American Indian or Alaska Native	0
Asian	3
Black or African American	0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0
White	367
Two or more races	8

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.

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- >> 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 2017-18. 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))

Additional guidance on reporting teachers prepared by subject area.

What are CIP Codes?

No teachers prepared in academic year 2017-18

CIP Code	Subject Area	Number Prepared
13.01	Education - General	0
13.10	Teacher Education - Special Education	9
13.1210	Teacher Education - Early Childhood Education	31
13.1202	Teacher Education - Elementary Education	51
13.1203	Teacher Education - Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education	20
13.1205	Teacher Education - Secondary Education	0
13.1206	Teacher Education - Multiple Levels	0

CIP Code	Subject Area	Number Prepared
13.1301	Teacher Education - Agriculture	0
13.1302	Teacher Education - Art	5
13.1303	Teacher Education - Business	7
13.1305	Teacher Education - English/Language Arts	8
13.1306	Teacher Education - Foreign Language	0
13.1307	Teacher Education - Health	0
13.1308	Teacher Education - Family and Consumer Sciences/Home Economics	0
13.1309	Teacher Education - Technology Teacher Education/Industrial Arts	0
13.1311	Teacher Education - Mathematics	4
13.1312	Teacher Education - Music	5
13.1314	Teacher Education - Physical Education and Coaching	12
13.1315	Teacher Education - Reading	0
13.1316	Teacher Education - Science Teacher Education/General Science	0
13.1317	Teacher Education - Social Science	9
13.1318	Teacher Education - Social Studies	0
13.1319	Teacher Education - Technical Education	0
13.1321	Teacher Education - Computer Science	0
13.1322	Teacher Education - Biology	2
13.1323	Teacher Education - Chemistry	2
13.1324	Teacher Education - Drama and Dance	0
13.1325	Teacher Education - French	0
13.1326	Teacher Education - German	0
13.1328	Teacher Education - History	6
13.1329	Teacher Education - Physics	0
13.1330	Teacher Education - Spanish	3

CIP Code	Subject Area	Number Prepared
13.1331	Teacher Education - Speech	0
13.1332	Teacher Education - Geography	0
13.1333	Teacher Education - Latin	0
13.1335	Teacher Education - Psychology	0
13.1337	Teacher Education - Earth Science	0
13.14	Teacher Education - English as a Second Language	6
13.02	Teacher Education - Bilingual, Multilingual, and Multicultural Education	0
13.99	Education - Other Specify:	0

Teachers Prepared by Academic Major

Please provide the number of teachers prepared by academic major for academic year 2017-18. 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.

Additional guidance on reporting teachers prepared by academic major.

What are CIP Codes?

─ No teachers prepared in academic year 2017-18

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
13.01	Education - General	0
13.10	Teacher Education - Special Education	4
13.1210	Teacher Education - Early Childhood Education	21
13.1202	Teacher Education - Elementary Education	61
13.1203	Teacher Education - Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education	13
13.1205	Teacher Education - Secondary Education	0
13.1301	Teacher Education - Agriculture	0

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
13.1302	Teacher Education - Art	2
13.1303	Teacher Education - Business	5
13.1305	Teacher Education - English/Language Arts	8
13.1306	Teacher Education - Foreign Language	0
13.1307	Teacher Education - Health	0
13.1308	Teacher Education - Family and Consumer Sciences/Home Economics	0
13.1309	Teacher Education - Technology Teacher Education/Industrial Arts	0
13.1311	Teacher Education - Mathematics	4
13.1312	Teacher Education - Music	5
13.1314	Teacher Education - Physical Education and Coaching	10
13.1315	Teacher Education - Reading	0
13.1316	Teacher Education - Science	7
13.1317	Teacher Education - Social Science	0
13.1318	Teacher Education - Social Studies	0
13.1319	Teacher Education - Technical Education	0
13.1321	Teacher Education - Computer Science	0
13.1322	Teacher Education - Biology	2
13.1323	Teacher Education - Chemistry	2
13.1324	Teacher Education - Drama and Dance	0
13.1325	Teacher Education - French	0
13.1326	Teacher Education - German	0
13.1328	Teacher Education - History	4
13.1329	Teacher Education - Physics	0
13.1330	Teacher Education - Spanish	3
13.1331	Teacher Education - Speech	0

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
13.1332	Teacher Education - Geography	0
13.1333	Teacher Education - Latin	0
13.1335	Teacher Education - Psychology	0
13.1337	Teacher Education - Earth Science	0
13.14	Teacher Education - English as a Second Language	0
13.02	Teacher Education - Bilingual, Multilingual, and Multicultural Education	0
13.03	Education - Curriculum and Instruction	0
13.09	Education - Social and Philosophical Foundations of Education	0
24	Liberal Arts/Humanities	0
42	Psychology	0
45.01	Social Sciences	0
45.02	Anthropology	0
45.06	Economics	0
45.07	Geography and Cartography	0
45.10	Political Science and Government	0
45.11	Sociology	0
50	Visual and Performing Arts	0
54	History	0
16	Foreign Languages	0
19	Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Sciences	0
23	English Language/Literature	0
38	Philosophy and Religious Studies	0
01	Agriculture	0
09	Communication or Journalism	0
14	Engineering	0

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
26	Biology	0
27	Mathematics and Statistics	0
40.01	Physical Sciences	0
40.02	Astronomy and Astrophysics	0
40.04	Atmospheric Sciences and Meteorology	0
40.05	Chemistry	0
40.06	Geological and Earth Sciences/Geosciences	0
40.08	Physics	0
52	Business/Business Administration/Accounting	0
11	Computer and Information Sciences	0
99	Other Specify:	0

SECTION I: PROGRAM INFORMATION

Program Completers

On this page, enter the total number of individuals who completed the program in AY 2017-18 and the two prior academic years. If you submitted an IPRC last year, the number of program completers for the two prior academic years are pre-loaded from your prior year's report.

A program completer is a person who has met all the requirements of a state-approved teacher preparation program. Program completers include all those who are documented as having met such requirements. Documentation may take the form of a degree, institutional certificate, program credential, transcript or other written proof of having met the program's requirements. In applying this definition, the fact that an individual has or has not been recommended to the state for initial certification or licensure may not be used as a criterion for determining who is a program completer.

An individual cannot be classified as both enrolled and as a program completer at the same time. An enrolled individual is not a program completer. Once an individual has met all the requirements of a state-approved teacher preparation program and becomes a program completer, the individual is no longer classified as enrolled.

After entering the program completers, save the page using the floating save box at the bottom of the page.

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Program Completers

Provide the total number of teacher preparation program completers in each of the following academic years.

2017-18	167
2016-17	216
2015-16	239

SECTION II: ANNUAL GOALS

Annual Goals

On this page, review the annual goals in each subject area listed below. If you submitted an IPRC last year, the goals you entered last year are pre-loaded from your prior year's report. Please respond to the questions to report on progress towards the goals, and set new goals for the next academic year.

After reviewing and updating as necessary, save the page using the floating save box at the bottom of the page.

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- >> Annual Goals Mathematics
- >> Annual Goals Science
- >> Annual Goals Special Education
- >> Annual Goals Instruction of Limited English
 Proficient Students
- >> Assurances

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 to state credential 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)(ii), §206(a))

Information about teacher shortage areas can be found at https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/pol/tsa.html.

Please provide the information below about your program's goals to increase the number of prospective teachers in mathematics in each of three academic years.

Academic year 2017-18

- 1. Did your program prepare teachers in mathematics in 2017-18?
 - Yes
 - No (leave remaining questions for year blank)
- 2. How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in mathematics in 2017-18?

15

- 3. Did your program meet the goal for prospective teachers set in mathematics in 2017-18?
 - Yes
 - No
 - Not applicable
- 4. Description of strategies used to achieve goal, if applicable:

Began work on a Recruitment & Retention Plan (for CAEP). Many action steps in the plan target STEM and shortage licensure areas in NE.

5. Description of steps to improve performance in meeting goal or lessons learned in meeting goal, if applicable:

Advertised AETP state forgivable loans in shortage areas. Dean met with K-12 administrators to discuss solutions to teacher shortages, which resulted in a commitment from the administrators to attend a job fair set up by COE for pre-student teachers, and an invitation for the Dean and a rep. from UNL to speak at Administrator Days Conference. Began offering recruitment presentations in UNK introductory courses in education, science, math, English, allied health, family studies, psychology, and especially STEM disciplines. Spreadsheets of campus visits by high school students interested in K-12/Secondary Programs were sent to the program coordinators for follow-up contacts. Added secondary advisor liaison.

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

Totals from previous years included middle level students. This year's did not.

Academic year 2018-19

7. Is your program preparing teachers in mathematics in 2018-19?

Yes

No (leave remaining questions for year blank)

8. How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in mathematics in 2018-19?

12

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

Middle and Secondary student organizations were formed to help with retention. Because enrollment in secondary education majors is dropping, we will continue to follow the R & R plan and emphasize STEM and shortage licensure areas.

Academic year 2019-20

10. Will your program prepare teachers in mathematics in 2019-20?

- Yes
- No (leave remaining questions for year blank)
- 11. How many prospective teachers does your program plan to add in mathematics in 2019-20?

12

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

Because enrollment in secondary education majors is dropping, we will continue to follow the R & R plan and emphasize STEM and shortage licensure areas.

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 to state credential 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)(iii), §206(a))

Information about teacher shortage areas can be found at https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/pol/tsa.html.

Please provide the information below about your program's goals to increase the number of prospective teachers in science in each of three academic years.

Academic year 2017-18

1. Did your program prepare teachers in science in 2017-18?

Yes
No (leave remaining questions for year blank)
2. How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in science in 2017-18?
6
3. Did your program meet the goal for prospective teachers set in science in 2017-18?
Yes
No
Not applicable
4. Description of strategies used to achieve goal, if applicable:
Advertised AETP state forgivable loans in shortage areas. Dean met with K-12 administrators to discuss solutions to teacher shortages, which resulted in a commitment from the administrators to attend a job fair set up by COE for pre-student teachers, and an invitation for the Dean and a rep. from UNL to speak at Administrator Days Conference. Began offering recruitment presentations in UNK introductory courses in education, science, math, English allied health, family studies, psychology, and especially STEM disciplines. Spreadsheets of campus visits by high school students interested in K-12/Secondary Programs were sent to the program coordinators for follow-up contacts. Added secondary advisor liaison.
5. Description of steps to improve performance in meeting goal or lessons learned in meeting goal, if applicable: Continue to follow the R & R plan.
Continue to follow the PCR PC plan.
6. Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:
Academic year 2018-19
7. Is your program preparing teachers in science in 2018-19?
Yes No (leave remaining questions for year blank)
8. How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in science in 2018-19?
6
9. Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:
Middle and Secondary student organizations were formed to help with retention. Will continue to follow the R & R plan.
Academic year 2019-20
10. Will your program prepare teachers in science in 2019-20?
No (leave remaining questions for year blank) Yes
11. How many prospective teachers does your program plan to add in science in 2019-20?

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 to state credential 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)(ii), §206(a)) Information about teacher shortage areas can be found at https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/pol/tsa.html. Please provide the information below about your program's goals to increase the number of prospective teachers in special education in each of three academic years. Academic year 2017-18 1. Did your program prepare teachers in special education in 2017-18? Yes No (leave remaining questions for year blank) 2. How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in special education in 2017-18? 70 3. Did your program meet the goal for prospective teachers set in special education in 2017-18? Yes No Not applicable 4. Description of strategies used to achieve goal, if applicable: Began work on a Recruitment & Retention Plan (for CAEP). Many action steps in the plan target STEM and shortage licensure areas in NE. 5. Description of steps to improve performance in meeting goal or lessons learned in meeting goal, if applicable: Advertised AETP state forgivable loans in shortage areas. Dean met with K-12 administrators to discuss solutions to teacher shortages, which resulted in a commitment from the administrators to attend a job fair set up by COE for pre-student teachers, and an invitation for the Dean and a rep. from UNL to speak at Administrator Days Conference. Began offering recruitment presentations in UNK introductory courses in education, science, math, English, allied health, family studies, psychology, and especially STEM disciplines. Spreadsheets of campus visits by high school students interested in K-12/Secondary Programs were sent to the program coordinators for follow-up contacts. Added secondary advisor liaison. 6. Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

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

Will continue to follow the R & R plan.

Academic year 2018-19

7. Is your program preparing teachers in special education in 2018-19?

- Yes
- No (leave remaining questions for year blank)
- 8. How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in special education in 2018-19?

25

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

Advertised AETP state forgivable loans in shortage areas. Dean met with K-12 administrators to discuss solutions to teacher shortages, which resulted in a commitment from the administrators to attend a job fair set up by COE for pre-student teachers, and an invitation for the Dean and a rep. from UNL to speak at Administrator Days Conference. Began offering recruitment presentations in UNK introductory courses in education, science, math, English, allied health, family studies, psychology, and especially STEM disciplines. Spreadsheets of campus visits by high school students interested in K-12/Secondary Programs were sent to the program coordinators for follow-up contacts. Added secondary advisor liaison. Middle and Secondary student organizations were formed to help with retention.

Academic year 2019-20

- 10. Will your program prepare teachers in special education in 2019-20?
 - Yes
 - No (leave remaining questions for year blank)
- 11. How many prospective teachers does your program plan to add in special education in 2019-20?

25

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

Will continue to follow the R & R plan.

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 to state credential 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)(ii), §206(a))

Information about teacher shortage areas can be found at https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/pol/tsa.html.

Please provide the information below about your program's goals to increase the number of prospective teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in each of three academic years.

Academic year 2017-18

- 1. Did your program prepare teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2017-18?
 - Yes

No (leave remaining questions for year blank)

2. How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2017-18?

Yes No No applicable
4. Description of strategies used to achieve goal, if applicable:
Began work on a Recruitment & Retention Plan (for CAEP). Many action steps in the plan target STEM and shortage licensure areas in NE.
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:
We were close to our goal: 10.
Academic year 2018-19
 7. Is your program preparing teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2018-19? Yes No (leave remaining questions for year blank) 8. How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2018-19?
10
9. Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below: Advertised AETP state forgivable loans in shortage areas. Dean met with K-12 administrators to discuss solutions to teacher shortages, which resulted in a commitment from the administrators to attend a job fair set up by COE for pre-student teachers, and an invitation for the Dean and a rep. from UNL to speak at Administrator Days Conference. Began offering recruitment presentations in UNK introductory courses in education, science, math, English allied health, family studies, psychology, and especially STEM disciplines. Spreadsheets of campus visits by high school students interested in K-12/Secondary Programs were sent to the program coordinators for follow-up contacts. Added secondary advisor liaison. Middle and Secondary studen organizations were formed to help with retention.
Academic year 2019-20
10. Will your program prepare teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2019-20?
 Yes No (leave remaining questions for year blank)
11. How many prospective teachers does your program plan to add in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2019-20?
10
12. Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below: Will continue to follow the R & R plan.

3. Did your program meet the goal for prospective teachers set in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2017-18?

Assurances

Please certify that your institution is in compliance with the following assurances. (§205(a)(1)(A)(iii), §206(b)) Note: Be prepared to provide documentation and evidence for your responses, when requested, to support the following assurances.

 Preparation responds to the identified needs of the local educational agencies or States where the program completers are likely to teach, base on past hiring and recruitment trends.
Yes No
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. 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
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:

Candidates admitted to initial certification programs in Elementary Education K-6, SPED Gen K-6 and K-12, Physical Education K-6, and Early Childhood Education Birth-Grade 3, complete the same academic core courses as well as the same pedagogical core courses for the literacy and mathematics areas. Candidates in these three programs also complete the same core courses that focus on individual differences and multi-cultural issues. All PK-12 and 7-12 candidates in areas other than the four mentioned above take a course on teaching reading to all students and on adapting instruction to specific learning needs using the Universal Design for Learning format. Beginning with the first course in the professional sequence, TE

100, all candidates have opportunities to have field and/or clinical experiences in diverse settings.

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Assessment Pass Rates

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5701 -AGRICULTURE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	1			
ETS5134 -ART CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	2			
ETS5134 -ART CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	6			
ETS5134 -ART CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	7			
ETS5134 -ART CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	3			
ETS0235 -BIOLOGY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	3			
ETS0235 -BIOLOGY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	1			
ETS5101 -BUSINESS ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	5			
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, 2016-17	4			

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, 2015-16	2			
ETS0245 -CHEMISTRY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	1			
ETS0245 -CHEMISTRY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	1			
ETS0245 -CHEMISTRY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	1			
ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	125	169	125	100
ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	417	169	417	100
ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	2			
ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	55	169	54	98
ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	9			
ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	128	176	128	100
ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	418	180	418	100
ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	2			
ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	55	184	55	100
ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	10	189	10	100
ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	131	169	130	99

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ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	419	171	418	100
ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	2			
ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	62	172	61	98
ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	11	171	11	100
ETS5024 -EDUCATION OF YOUNG CHILDREN Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	18	168	15	83
ETS5024 -EDUCATION OF YOUNG CHILDREN Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	23	170	20	87
ETS5024 -EDUCATION OF YOUNG CHILDREN Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	2			
ETS5024 -EDUCATION OF YOUNG CHILDREN Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	37	169	32	86
ETS5024 -EDUCATION OF YOUNG CHILDREN Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	27	167	22	81
ETS5017 -ELEM ED CURR INSTRUC ASSESSMENT Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	41	172	41	100
ETS5017 -ELEM ED CURR INSTRUC ASSESSMENT Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	33	170	31	94
ETS5017 -ELEM ED CURR INSTRUC ASSESSMENT Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	3			
ETS5017 -ELEM ED CURR INSTRUC ASSESSMENT Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	63	170	62	98
ETS5017 -ELEM ED CURR INSTRUC ASSESSMENT Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	61	167	59	97
ETS5039 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CONTENT AND ANALYSIS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	6			

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ETS5039 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CONTENT AND ANALYSIS Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	5			
ETS5039 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CONTENT AND ANALYSIS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	16	173	12	75
ETS5039 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CONTENT AND ANALYSIS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	14	177	14	100
ETS5174 -FRENCH WORLD LANGUAGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	1			
ETS5921 -GEOGRAPHY Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	1			
ETS5857 -HEALTH AND PE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	2			
ETS5857 -HEALTH AND PE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	6			
ETS5857 -HEALTH AND PE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	2			
ETS5857 -HEALTH AND PE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	10	169	9	90
ETS5857 -HEALTH AND PE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	11	170	11	100
ETS5161 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	2			
ETS5161 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	3			
ETS5161 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	8			
ETS5114 -MUSIC CONTENT & INSTRUCTION Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	4			
ETS5114 -MUSIC CONTENT & INSTRUCTION Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	3			

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5114 -MUSIC CONTENT & INSTRUCTION Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	12	166	10	83
ETS5114 -MUSIC CONTENT & INSTRUCTION Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	7			
ETS5091 -PHYSICAL ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	1			
ETS5091 -PHYSICAL ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	3			
ETS5091 -PHYSICAL ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS5091 -PHYSICAL ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	5			
ETS5091 -PHYSICAL ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	2			
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	20	179	20	100
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	22	178	21	95
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	7			
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	134	179	134	100
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	209	180	209	100
ETS0710 -PRAXIS I READING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	20	177	20	100
ETS0710 -PRAXIS I READING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	21	177	21	100
ETS0710 -PRAXIS I READING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	7			

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) All program completers, 2016-17	133	177	132	99
ETS0710 -PRAXIS I READING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	208	178	208	100
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	20	176	20	100
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	22	175	22	100
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	7			
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	133	175	132	99
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING (DISCONTINUED) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	209	176	209	100
ETS5391 -PSYCHOLOGY Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	1			
ETS5354 -SE CORE KNOWLEDGE & APPLICATIONS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	10	171	10	100
ETS5354 -SE CORE KNOWLEDGE & APPLICATIONS Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	10	174	10	100
ETS5354 -SE CORE KNOWLEDGE & APPLICATIONS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	34	170	34	100
ETS5354 -SE CORE KNOWLEDGE & APPLICATIONS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	28	168	28	100
ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	3			
ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	4			
ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	11	170	11	100

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	9			
ETS5952 -SOCIOLOGY Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	2			
ETS5195 -SPANISH WORLD LANGUAGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	1			
ETS5195 -SPANISH WORLD LANGUAGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	5			
ETS5195 -SPANISH WORLD LANGUAGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	6			
ETS5195 -SPANISH WORLD LANGUAGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	5			
ETS5941 -WORLD AND U.S. HISTORY CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) All enrolled students who have completed all noncl	2			
ETS5941 -WORLD AND U.S. HISTORY CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	3			
ETS5941 -WORLD AND U.S. HISTORY CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	2			
ETS5941 -WORLD AND U.S. HISTORY CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2015-16	2			

SECTION III: PROGRAM PASS RATES

Summary Pass Rates

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Summary Pass Rates

Group	Number taking tests	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
All program completers, 2017-18	9		
All program completers, 2016-17	201	190	95
All program completers, 2015-16	232	228	98

SECTION IV: LOW-PERFORMING

Low-Performing

On this page, review the questions regarding your program's approval/accreditation and whether your program has been designated as low performing by the state. 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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Low-Performing

Provide the following information about the approval or accreditation	of your teacher preparation program. <u>(§205(a)(1)(D), §205(a)(1)(E))</u>
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- 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
- NCATE
- TEAC
- ✓ CAEP
- Other specify:

HLC

2. Is your teacher preparation program currently under a designation as "low-performing" by the state (as per section 207(a) of the HEA of 2008)?

- Yes
- No

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

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
 - Ye
 - No
- b. use technology effectively to collect data to improve teaching and learning
 - Yes
 - 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
 - Ye
 - 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.

Technology is one of the three strategic themes that are showcased in the unit's Conceptual Framework. The effective use of technology is transparent. All classrooms in the College of Education building are equipped with Smart Boards and HoverCams. The COE building also is home for one computer lab, one flex lab, two iPad labs, and two mobile laptop labs (Chromebooks). At the initial level, all baccalaureate candidates are required to take a course (TE 206: Instructional Technology and the Pre-service Teacher) to develop technology skills typically used by teachers. Candidates also use technology within their respective methods courses and learn how to use technology relevant to their field. The campus continues its commitment to a multi-year iPad pilot project; many initial teaching candidates have received iPads which will be available for them to use for the rest of their undergraduate career. Candidate use of technology extends well beyond the use of laptops and Tablet technology. All Initial candidates also use TaskStream (TS). TS is a web-based portfolio and teacher support system that facilitates assessment development and data collection and analysis. All initial candidates also gain first-hand experience with technology through the routine use of Canvas in a large majority of their classes. Candidates' use of Universal design is being taught in the reading and inclusion course (TE 306) and in special education classes that are in the core for elementary education, early childhood, and special education majors. In spring, 2016, the P-16 Education Partners Ad Hoc Committee recommended adoption of the ISTE Standards for Students in the education preparation of candidates, which was subsequently voted on and approved by the faculty. The CAEP Standard 1 Team then added "technology" into the Charlotte Danielson Framework for Teaching (per permission to do de minimus changes outlined in

the contract with ASCD) in the progression levels of appropriate indicators. Additionally, ISTE Standards for Students have been added to the lesson plan template used in both Level 3 and in clinical experiences to be assessed using the Danielson indicator 1f-2 Criteria and Standards. Additionally, a Selected Improvement Plan focusing on technology-related components of the CAEP Standards is currently being implemented. A large conference room was "refitted" with new technology through the generous gift of a donor. The Dean's Conference Room, along with some classrooms were also given a technology facelift with monies from the STEM grant. A second conference room will be "technologized" in the next year due to another generous donor. The COE Technology Committee, which gives faculty a voice in technology decisions, was formalized this year.

SECTION VI: TEACHER TRAINING

Teacher Training

On this page, review the questions about how your program trains general education teachers and special education teachers. For the purposes of these questions, general education teachers means those who are not specifically prepared as special education teachers. 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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Teacher Training

Provide the following information about 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)(G))

- 1. Does your program prepare general education teachers to:
 - a. teach students with disabilities effectively
 - Yes
 - No
 - b. participate as a member of individualized education program teams
 - Yes
 - No
 - c. teach students who are limited English proficient effectively
 - Ye
 - No
- 2. Provide a description of the evidence your program uses to show that it prepares general education teachers to teach students with disabilities effectively, including training related to participation as a member of individualized education program teams, as defined in section 614(d)(1)(B) of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, and to effectively teach students who are limited English proficient. Include planning activities and a timeline if any of the three elements listed above are not currently in place.

Diversity is one of the three strategic themes in the unit's Conceptual Framework. A commitment to more effectively teaching all students, regardless of their gender, race-ethnicity, socioeconomic status, learning background, first language, etc., is central to this commitment to diversity. All initial candidates are required to take an introductory course (TE 204: Typical and Atypical Human Growth and Development) which provides a solid foundation for understanding student exceptionalities and also provides a foundation for candidates' further study. All Early Childhood, Elementary Education, Special Education K-6, SPED K-12, PE K-6, and Middle Grades candidates subsequently enroll in TE 411, Inclusive Practices in Pre-8 Classrooms while all Secondary (7-12) and K-12 candidates enroll in TE 306, Reading and Inclusion in Secondary Classrooms. Both of these upper division courses hone in on learning strategies for modifying the curriculum to maximize the learning potential for all students – particularly students with identified exceptionalities. Commitment to preparing initial candidates for effectively teaching all students is also evident in the field experience components of the teacher preparatory experience. All candidates spend time in diverse school settings. The expectations for candidate performance in field experiences, especially including the clinical (student teaching) semester, include successful completion of assignments which require candidates to demonstrate an ability to engage in data-driven, differentiated lesson planning. Orienting initial candidates to second language acquisition knowledge, skills, and dispositions begins in the freshman level introductory course and field experiences. The study of concepts associated with working with limited English proficient students is embedded across methods courses. Additionally, candidates are required to outline differentiation strategies in the Lesson Sequence and Delivery section of the lesson plan template used in both Level 3 and clinical expe

C. teach students who are limited English proficient effectively Yes No Program does not prepare special education teachers Provide a description of the evidence your program uses to show that it prepares special education teachers to teach effectively, including training related to participation as a member of individualized education program teams, as detithe Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, and to effectively teach students who are limited English proficient. In timeline if any of the three elements listed above are not currently in place. All initial level candidates who are pursuing a special education endorsement are required to take the introductory courselluman Growth and Development. TE 204 provides the foundation for continued study of human exceptionalities. In addicertification in Early Childhood Education or Special Education Generalist K-6 and K-12 complete TE 411, Inclusive Procandidates pursuing the Special Education Generalist 7-12 endorsement complete TE 306, Reading and Inclusion in Candidates pursuing one of the special education endorsements also complete an additional 19+ credit hours of course develop their teaching knowledge and skills in regard to working with students with disabilities. One of the courses, TES	
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Consultation, and Teamwork, specifically focuses on developing their ability to work within individualized education tear experience for general education-endorsed initial candidates also includes preparation for teaching English Language candidates, this process begins in the freshman level introductory course and field experiences and all candidates' kno for working with English Language Learners is further developed via the infusion of concepts associated with working we students throughout methods courses. Finally, the unit encourages all initial candidates, both those pursuing a general esseeking a special education endorsement, to consider also pursuing an ESL teaching endorsement. Each year, 10-20	ition, all candidates pursuing actices in Pre-8 Classrooms. Secondary/K-12 Classrooms. ework specifically designed to SE 430 Collaboration,

completers graduate with the ESL endorsement. The ESL endorsement involves completing an additional twenty credit hours of coursework.

3. Does your program prepare special education teachers to:

Program does not prepare special education teachers

b. participate as a member of individualized education program teams

a. teach students with disabilities effectively

• Yes

SECTION VII: CONTEXTUAL INFORMATION

Contextual Information

On this page, review the contextual information about your program. 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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>> 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.

Benchmarks/Gateways. Candidates must pass through four gateways in order to complete the Teacher Education Program: 1) admission to the program; 2) admission to student teaching; 3) successful completion of student teaching; and 4) completion of unit and program requirements for the baccalaureate degree. The final step, applying for certification, occurs after all requirements are met. Formal admission to the teacher education program requires successfully meeting several criteria: (a) minimum GPA requirement (2.75); (b) passing the PRAXIS Core examination meeting a minimum scores set forth by the Nebraska Department of Educationor with a minimum combined score of 468 (with none of the 3 scores>1 pt. below passing); (c) completing specific English and Speech coursework with a minimum grade of C; (d) completing introductory professional education courses (TE 100, 204, or 206 [MUS 201 replaces TE 206 for Music Ed Majors only] with a minimum grade of C; (e) receiving approval from an assigned academic advisor; (f) providing evidence of sufficient emotional and mental capacity; and (g) completing all required forms/paperwork. Formal admission to student teaching also requires successfully meeting several criteria: (a) completion of all remaining professional sequence courses and field experiences; (b) a minimum GPA requirement (2.75); (c) complete the methods courses for specific endorsements and respective field experience courses; (d) gain approval from the department(s) offering the endorsement(s); (e) complete an application to student teach. Completion of student teaching requires demonstrating proficiency on the 76 indicators of the Charlotte Danielson Framework and the 9 dispositions included in the Educator Disposition Assessment at a level that satisfies the assigned P-12 cooperating teacher and the UNK supervisor. Field/Clinical Experiences. All endorsement programs complete at least 100 hours of supervised field experiences prior to clinical experience (student teaching). All PK-12 endorsement programs (Art, Music, Physical Education) and all secondary (7-12) endorsements programs (such as History, English, etc.) complete the minimum 100 hours of supervised experiences--typically during the Junior/Senior years. Candidates in the Elementary Education, Special Education Generalist K-6 and K-12, and Early Childhood programs complete a minimum of 150 clock hours prior to student teaching. All traditional candidates are required to complete a minimum of 640 clock hours within a 16 week clinical experience assignment. Candidates pursuing more than one field endorsement complete an 800 clock hour/20 week clinical experience assignment.

Supporting Files

No files have been provided.

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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.

Enrollment Confirmation

Total Title II enrollment from Section I: Program Information, Enrollment is 404.

Number of program completers from Section I: Program Information, Program Completers is 167.

For a total enrollment of 571.

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
in Higher Education Opportunity Act, Title II: Reporting Reference and User Manual.

NAME OF RESPONSIBLE REPRESENTATIVE FOR TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAM:

Sherry R. Crow

TITLE:

Associate Dean

Certification of review 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 ✓ Higher Education Opportunity Act, Title II: Reporting Reference and User Manual.

NAME OF REVIEWER:

Sherry R. Crow COE

TITLE:

Associate Dean COE

Comparison with Last Year

Item	Last Year	This Year	Change
Total Enrollment	361	404	11.91%
Male Enrollment	57	86	50.88%
Female Enrollment	304	318	4.61%
Hispanic/Latino Enrollment	32	26	-18.75%
American Indian or Alaska Native Enrollment	1	0	
Asian Enrollment	2	3	50.00%
Black or African American Enrollment	0	0	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Enrollment	1	0	

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White Enrollment	312	367	17.63%
Two or more races Enrollment	34	8	-76.47%
Average number of clock hours required prior to student teaching	125	125	0.00%
Average number of clock hours required for student teaching	720	720	0.00%
Average number of clock hours required for mentoring	0	0	
Number of full-time equivalent faculty in supervised clinical experience during this academic year	9	15	66.67%
Number of adjunct faculty in supervised clinical experience during this academic year (IHE and PreK-12 staff)	24	38	58.33%
Number of students in supervised clinical experience during this academic year	155	94	-39.35%
Total completers for current academic year	216	167	-22.69%
Total completers for prior academic year	239	216	-9.62%
Total completers for second prior academic year	262	239	-8.78%