

2024 TITLE II REPORTS

National Teacher Preparation Data





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List of Programs

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

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

>> List of Programs

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• Teacher Preparation Program

List of Programs

Note: This section is preloaded with the list of programs reported in the prior year's IPRC.

| CIP Code | Teacher Preparation Programs | UG, PG, or Both | Update |
|----------|---|-----------------|--------|
| 13.121 | Early Childhood Education | Both | |
| 13.1202 | Elementary Education | UG | |
| 13.1203 | Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education and Teaching | UG | |
| 13.1 | Special Education | UG | |
| 13.1301 | Teacher Education - Agriculture | UG | |
| 13.1302 | Teacher Education - Art | UG | |
| 13.1322 | Teacher Education - Biology | Both | |
| 13.1303 | Teacher Education - Business | UG | |
| 13.1323 | Teacher Education - Chemistry | Both | |
| 13.1321 | Teacher Education - Computer Science | UG | |
| 13.1324 | Teacher Education - Drama and Dance | UG | |
| 13.14 | Teacher Education - English as a Second Language | UG | |
| 13.1305 | Teacher Education - English/Language Arts | Both | |
| 13.1306 | Teacher Education - Foreign Language | UG | |
| 13.1316 | Teacher Education - General Science | Both | |
| 13.1328 | Teacher Education - History | Both | |
| 13.1311 | Teacher Education - Mathematics | Both | |
| 13.1312 | Teacher Education - Music | UG | |

| CIP Code | Teacher Preparation Programs | UG, PG, or Both | Update |
|----------|---|-----------------|--------|
| 13.99 | Teacher Education - Other | UG | |
| 13.1314 | Teacher Education - Physical Education and Coaching | UG | |
| 13.1329 | Teacher Education - Physics | Both | |
| 13.1317 | Teacher Education - Social Sciences | Both | |
| 13.1331 | Teacher Education - Speech | UG | |

Total number of teacher preparation programs:

36

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

Note: This section is preloaded from the prior year's IPRC.

- 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 |

| Element | Admission | Completion |
|--|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Essay or personal statement | Yes No | Yes No |
| Interview | Yes No | Yes No |
| Other Specify: Grade C or higher in Education courses, Emotional/Mental Health & Felony Misde | Yes No | • Yes No |
| 2. 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 |
| 2.75 | | |
| B. What is the minimum GPA required for completing the program? (Leave blank if you above.) | indicated that a minimum GPA is | not required in the table |

2.75

4. Please provide any additional information about the information provided above:

Both required GPAs for admission and completion are cumulative.

Postgraduate Requirements

Note: This section is preloaded from the prior year's IPRC.

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



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 |
| Minimum ACT score | Yes No | Yes No |
| Minimum SAT score | Yes No | Yes No |
| Minimum basic skills test score | Yes No | Yes No |

| Element | Admission | Completion |
|--|---|--------------------------------------|
| 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: Grade C or higher in Education courses, Emotional/Mental Health & Felony | Yes No No | • Yes No |
| What is the minimum GPA required for admission into the program? (Lea above.) | ive blank if you indicated that a minir | num GPA is not required in the table |
| 2.8 | | |
| 3. What is the minimum GPA required for completing the program? (Leave base) | blank if you indicated that a minimun | n GPA is not required in the table |
| 3 | | |
| Supervised Clinical Experience | | |
| Note: The clinical experience requirements in this section are preloaded from the participants each year. | prior year's IPRC. Teacher preparation | providers will enter the number of |
| Provide the following information about supervised clinical experience in 2 | 2022-23. <u>(§205(a)(1)(C)(iii), §205(a)(1)</u> | (C)(iv)) |
| Are there programs with student teaching models? Yes No If yes, provide the next two responses. If no, leave them blank. | | |
| Programs with student teaching models (most traditional programs) | | |
| Number of clock hours of supervised clinical experience required prior to student teaching | 100 | |
| Number of clock hours required for student teaching | 560 | |
| Are there programs in which candidates are the teacher of record? Yes | | |

If yes, provide the next two responses. If no, leave them blank.

| Programs in which candidates are the teacher of record in a classroom during the program (many alternative programs) | | |
|--|--|--|
| Number of clock hours of supervised clinical experience required prior to teaching as the teacher of record in a classroom | | |
| Years required of teaching as the teacher of record in a classroom | | |
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| All Programs | |
|--|-----|
| Number of full-time equivalent faculty supervising clinical experience during this academic year (IHE staff) | 9 |
| 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) | 13 |
| Number of cooperating teachers/K-12 staff supervising clinical experience during this academic year | 128 |
| Number of students in supervised clinical experience during this academic year | 56 |

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

Number of students in supervised clinical experience during this academic year is the number of students in actual student teaching experience. It does not include students completing field experiences or observations prior to student teaching.

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 the definition(s) in the glossary.

- Enrolled Student
- Program Completer

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

>> Enrollment and Program Completers

| Enrollment | and | Program | Comp | leters |
|-------------------|-----|----------------|------|--------|
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| 2022-23 Total | |
|--------------------------------------|-----|
| Total Number of Individuals Enrolled | 199 |
| Subset of Program Completers | 55 |

| Gender | Total Enrolled | Subset of Program Completers |
|----------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| Male | 57 | 18 |
| Female | 142 | 37 |
| Non-Binary/Other | 0 | 0 |
| No Gender Reported | 0 | 0 |
| Race/Ethnicity | Total Enrolled | Subset of Program Completers |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 0 | 0 |
| | | |
| Asian | 0 | 0 |
| Asian Black or African American | 3 | 2 |
| | | |
| Black or African American | 3 | 2 |

| Race/Ethnicity | Total Enrolled | Subset of Program Completers |
|----------------------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| Two or more races | 7 | 2 |
| No Race/Ethnicity Reported | 0 | 0 |
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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 2022-23.

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 2022-23

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 | 9 |

| CIP Code | Subject Area | Number Prepared |
|----------|--|-----------------|
| 13.1202 | Teacher Education - Elementary Education | 19 |
| 13.1203 | Teacher Education - Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education | 7 |
| 13.1210 | Teacher Education - Early Childhood Education | 8 |
| 13.1301 | Teacher Education - Agriculture | |
| 13.1302 | Teacher Education - Art | 2 |
| 13.1303 | Teacher Education - Business | |
| 13.1305 | Teacher Education - English/Language Arts | 4 |
| 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 | 9 |
| 13.1312 | Teacher Education - Music | 3 |
| 13.1314 | Teacher Education - Physical Education and Coaching | 5 |
| 13.1315 | Teacher Education - Reading | |
| 13.1316 | Teacher Education - Science Teacher Education/General Science | 2 |
| 13.1317 | Teacher Education - Social Science | 5 |
| 13.1318 | Teacher Education - Social Studies | |
| 13.1320 | Teacher Education - Trade and Industrial | |
| 13.1321 | Teacher Education - Computer Science | |
| 13.1322 | Teacher Education - Biology | |
| 13.1323 | Teacher Education - Chemistry | |
| 13.1324 | Teacher Education - Drama and Dance | |
| 13.1328 | Teacher Education - History | 2 |
| 13.1329 | Teacher Education - Physics | |

| CIP Code | Subject Area | Number Prepared |
|----------|--|-----------------|
| 13.1331 | Teacher Education - Speech | |
| 13.1337 | Teacher Education - Earth Science | |
| 13.14 | Teacher Education - English as a Second Language | 2 |
| 13.99 | Education - Other Specify: | |

Teachers Prepared by Academic Major

Please provide the number of teachers prepared by academic major for academic year 2022-23. 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?

Does this teacher preparation provider grant degrees upon completion of its programs?

• Yes

No teachers prepared in academic year 2022-23

If this provider 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 | 9 |
| 13.1202 | Teacher Education - Elementary Education | 19 |
| 13.1203 | Teacher Education - Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education | 7 |
| 13.1210 | Teacher Education - Early Childhood Education | 8 |
| 13.1301 | Teacher Education - Agriculture | |
| 13.1302 | Teacher Education - Art | 2 |
| 13.1303 | Teacher Education - Business | |
| 13.1305 | Teacher Education - English/Language Arts | 4 |
| 13.1306 | Teacher Education - Foreign Language | |

| CIP Code | Academic Major | Number Prepared |
|----------|--|-----------------|
| 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 | 9 |
| 13.1312 | Teacher Education - Music | 3 |
| 13.1314 | Teacher Education - Physical Education and Coaching | 5 |
| 13.1315 | Teacher Education - Reading | |
| 13.1316 | Teacher Education - General Science | 2 |
| 13.1317 | Teacher Education - Social Science | 5 |
| 13.1318 | Teacher Education - Social Studies | |
| 13.1320 | Teacher Education - Trade and Industrial | |
| 13.1321 | Teacher Education - Computer Science | |
| 13.1322 | Teacher Education - Biology | |
| 13.1323 | Teacher Education - Chemistry | |
| 13.1324 | Teacher Education - Drama and Dance | |
| 13.1328 | Teacher Education - History | 2 |
| 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 | 2 |
| 13.99 | Education - Other Specify: | |
| 01 | Agriculture | |
| 03 | Natural Resources and Conservation | |
| 05 | Area, Ethnic, Cultural, and Gender Studies | |
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| CIP Code | Academic Major | Number Prepared |
|----------|--|-----------------|
| 09 | Communication or Journalism | |
| 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 | |

| CIP Code | Academic Major | Number Prepared |
|----------|----------------|-----------------|
| 54 | History | |
| 99 | Other Specify: | |

SECTION I: PROGRAM INFORMATION

Program Assurances

Respond to the following assurances. 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))

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| >> | Program Assurances | |

| Program Assurances |
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| Note: This section is preloaded from the prior year's IPRC. |
| 1. Program preparation responds to the identified needs of the local educational agencies or States where the program completers are likely to teach 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. 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 |
| NO 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 No |

- 8. Describe your institution's most successful strategies in meeting the assurances listed above:
 - 1. EPP offers programs for shortage areas as identified by State of Nebraska and local school districts who participate in EPP's Education Advisory Committee. AETP and TEACH grants are available for candidates who are working toward completion of shortage area programs. 2. School partners join in and contribute to the program's decision-making processes through the Education Advisory Committee. Additionally, EPP uses survey data from program completers in their first, second, and third year and their school principals to assess the teaching effectiveness of program completers through their third year. 3. Special Education teachers are required to earn the bachelor's degree with all core subjects required, including additional math courses. They are also required to complete six credit hours of literacy methods coursework. 4. All Education candidates are required to take at least one three-credit hour course that prepares general education teachers to provide instruction to students with disabilities, EDUC 224 Teaching

Exceptional Learners or EDUC 593 Basic Foundations of Special Education and Inclusive Practices. 5., 6., and 7: All Education candidates are required to complete at least two three-credit hour courses that prepare them to provide instruction to limited English proficient students, low-income families, and students from urban and rural schools: EDPS 210 Educational Psychology & Child Development or PSY 511 Psychological Foundations to Teaching and Learning and EDUC 225 Diverse Classrooms and Human Relations or EDUC 532 Enhancing Learning Through Linguistic and Cultural Diversity.

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))

Note: Last year's goal and the current year's goal are preloaded from the prior year's IPRC.

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Quantifiable Goals

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

- >> Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2022-23)
- >> Review Current Year's Goal (2023-24)
- >> Set Next Year's Goal (2024-25)

Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2022-23)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in mathematics in 2022-23?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2022-23 blank (or <u>clear responses already entered</u>).

Yes

No

2. Describe your goal.

The EPP goal is to produce seven (7) program completers with Math endorsements in 2022-2023, including secondary and middle levels.

- 3. Did your program meet the goal?
 - Yes

No

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

The EPP prepared nine (9) program completers in 2022-23 with secondary or middle level education math endorsements. Education and Math faculty collaborate closely to support and advise candidates who are interested in Math education. The EPP informs candidates of forgivable grant opportunities for candidates preparing to teach in shortage areas (Nebraska AETP and TEACH).

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 (2023-24) |
| 7. Is your program preparing teachers in mathematics in 2023-24? If no, leave the next question blank. Yes No |

8. Describe your goal.

The EPP goal is to produce three (3) program completers with Math endorsements in 2023-2024, including secondary and middle levels.

Set Next Year's Goal (2024-25)

9. Will your program prepare teachers in mathematics in 2024-25? If no, leave the next question blank.

Yes No

10. Describe your goal.

The EPP goal is to produce five (5) program completers with Math endorsements in 2023-2024, including secondary and middle levels.

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.

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

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Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2022-23)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in science in 2022-23?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2022-23 blank (or <u>clear responses already entered</u>).

Yes

No

2. Describe your goal.

The EPP goal was to produce two (2) program completers with Science endorsements in 2022-2023, including secondary and middle level Biology, Chemistry, and Science.

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

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

The EPP produced two (2) program completers in 2022-23 with secondary or middle level education science or biology endorsements. Education and Science faculty collaborate closely to support and advise candidates who are interested in Science education. The EPP informs candidates of forgivable grant opportunities for candidates preparing to teach in shortage areas (Nebraska AETP and TEACH).

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

| Review Current Year's Goal (2023-24) |
|---|
| 7. Is your program preparing teachers in science in 2023-24? If no, leave the next question blank. |
| Yes No |
| 8. Describe your goal. |
| The EPP will have zero (-0-) program completers in secondary or middle level science areas in the 2023-24 academic year. We continue to prepare science teachers, but have none that are interested in doing so for this academic year. |
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| Set Next Year's Goal (2024-25) |
| Set Next Year's Goal (2024-25) 9. Will your program prepare teachers in science in 2024-25? If no, leave the next question blank. |
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| 9. Will your program prepare teachers in science in 2024-25? If no, leave the next question blank. Yes |
| 9. Will your program prepare teachers in science in 2024-25? If no, leave the next question blank. Yes No |

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

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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Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2022-23)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in special education in 2022-23?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2022-23 blank (or <u>clear responses already entered</u>).

Yes

No

2. Describe your goal.

The EPP goal is to produce nine (9) program completers in 2022-2023 with Special Education endorsements at the K-12, K-6, and/or 7-12 levels.

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

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

The EPP produced nine (9) program completers in 2022-23 with Special Education endorsements at the K-12, K-6, and/or 7-12 levels. Faculty in the EPP collaborate closely to support and advise candidates who are interested in Special Education. The EPP informs candidates of forgivable grant opportunities for candidates preparing to teach in shortage areas (Nebraska AETP and TEACH).

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: |
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| |
| |
| Review Current Year's Goal (2023-24) |
| 7. Is your program preparing teachers in special education in 2023-24? If no, leave the next question blank. |
| ● Yes No |
| |

8. Describe your goal.

The EPP goal is to produce four (4) program completers in 2023-2024 with Special Education endorsements at the K-12, K-6, and/or 7-12 levels.

Set Next Year's Goal (2024-25)

9. Will your program prepare teachers in special education in 2024-25? If no, leave the next question blank.



10. Describe your goal.

The EPP goal is to produce one (1) program completers in 2023-2024 with Special Education endorsements at the K-12, K-6, and/or 7-12 levels.

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))

Note: Last year's goal and the current year's goal are preloaded from the prior year's IPRC.

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

• Quantifiable Goals

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- >> Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2022-23)
- >> Review Current Year's Goal (2023-24)
- >> Set Next Year's Goal (2024-25)

Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2022-23)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2022-23?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2022-23 blank (or <u>clear responses already entered</u>).

- Yes
- No

2. Describe your goal.

The EPP goal was to produce two (2) program completers in 2022-2023 with English Second Language endorsement.

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

The EPP produced two (2) teachers in 2022-2023 with English Second Language (ESL) endorsement. The first course for the ESL endorsement is required for and introduces all candidates to ESL teaching. The EPP informs candidates of forgivable grant opportunities for candidates preparing to teach in shortage areas (Nebraska AETP and TEACH).

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

| Review Current Year's Goal (2023-24) |
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| 7. Is your program preparing teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2023-24? If no, leave the next question blank. |
| Yes No |
| 8. Describe your goal. |
| The EPP goal is to produce one (1) program completer in 2023-2024 with English Second Language endorsements. |
| Set Next Year's Goal (2024-25) |
| 9. Will your program prepare teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2024-25? If no, leave the next question blank. |
| Yes No |
| 10. Describe your goal. |
| The EPP goal is to produce one (1) program completer in 2024-2025 with English Second Language endorsements. |
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6. Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Assessment Pass Rates

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- 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 (%) |
|--|---------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|
| ETS5134 -ART CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 1 | | | |
| ETS5134 -ART CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 2 | | | |
| ETS5134 -ART CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 5 | | | |
| ETS5134 -ART CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 1 | | | |
| ETS0235 -BIOLOGY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 1 | | | |

| 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) Other enrolled students | 1 | | | |
| ETS5101 -BUSINESS ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 1 | | | |
| ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 2 | | | |
| ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 10 | 176 | 10 | 100 |
| ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 63 | 173 | 62 | 98 |
| ETS5732 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 63 | 172 | 63 | 100 |
| ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 3 | | | |
| ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 12 | 182 | 12 | 100 |
| ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 74 | 180 | 74 | 100 |
| ETS5712 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 67 | 181 | 67 | 100 |
| ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 3 | | | |
| ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 12 | 176 | 12 | 100 |
| ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 70 | 172 | 70 | 100 |
| ETS5722 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR ED: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 69 | 171 | 69 | 100 |
| ETS5733 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR EDUCATORS: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 144 | 180 | 138 | 96 |

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| ETS5733 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR EDUCATORS: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 41 | 181 | 41 | 100 |
| ETS5733 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR EDUCATORS: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 19 | 170 | 19 | 100 |
| ETS5733 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR EDUCATORS: MATH Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 5 | | | |
| ETS5713 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR EDUCATORS: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 143 | 178 | 135 | 94 |
| ETS5713 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR EDUCATORS: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 39 | 181 | 38 | 97 |
| ETS5713 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR EDUCATORS: READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 8 | | | |
| ETS5723 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR EDUCATORS: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 143 | 169 | 122 | 85 |
| ETS5723 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR EDUCATORS: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 39 | 171 | 37 | 95 |
| ETS5723 -CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR EDUCATORS: WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 12 | 169 | 12 | 100 |
| ETS5024 -EDUCATION OF YOUNG CHILDREN Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 4 | | | |
| ETS5024 -EDUCATION OF YOUNG CHILDREN Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 5 | | | |
| ETS5024 -EDUCATION OF YOUNG CHILDREN Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 12 | 175 | 12 | 100 |
| ETS5024 -EDUCATION OF YOUNG CHILDREN Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 7 | | | |
| ETS5017 -ELEM ED CURR INSTRUC ASSESSMENT Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 13 | 172 | 12 | 92 |
| ETS5017 -ELEM ED CURR INSTRUC ASSESSMENT Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 18 | 174 | 18 | 100 |

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| ETS5017 -ELEM ED CURR INSTRUC ASSESSMENT Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 27 | 170 | 27 | 100 |
| ETS5017 -ELEM ED CURR INSTRUC ASSESSMENT Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 28 | 171 | 27 | 96 |
| ETS5039 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CONTENT AND ANALYSIS Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 1 | | | |
| ETS5039 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CONTENT AND ANALYSIS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 4 | | | |
| ETS5039 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CONTENT AND ANALYSIS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 3 | | | |
| ETS5039 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CONTENT AND ANALYSIS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 2 | | | |
| ETS0435 -GENERAL SCI CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 2 | | | |
| ETS5857 -HEALTH AND PE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 1 | | | |
| ETS5857 -HEALTH AND PE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 1 | | | |
| ETS5165 -MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 6 | | | |
| ETS5161 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 4 | | | |
| ETS5161 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 3 | | | |
| ETS5047 -MIDDLE SCHOOL ENG LANG ARTS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 1 | | | |
| ETS5164 -MIDDLE SCHOOL MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 2 | | | |
| ETS5169 -MIDDLE SCHOOL MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 1 | | | |

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| ETS5164 -MIDDLE SCHOOL MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 3 | | | |
| ETS5164 -MIDDLE SCHOOL MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 1 | | | |
| ETS5169 -MIDDLE SCHOOL MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 2 | | | |
| ETS5169 -MIDDLE SCHOOL MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 2 | | | |
| ETS5442 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SCIENCE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 2 | | | |
| ETS5442 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SCIENCE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 1 | | | |
| ETS5440 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SCIENCE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 1 | | | |
| ETS5089 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 1 | | | |
| ETS5089 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 3 | | | |
| ETS5089 -MIDDLE SCHOOL SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 2 | | | |
| ETS5114 -MUSIC CONTENT & INSTRUCTION Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 1 | | | |
| ETS5114 -MUSIC CONTENT & INSTRUCTION Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 3 | | | |
| ETS5114 -MUSIC CONTENT & INSTRUCTION Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 8 | | | |
| ETS5114 -MUSIC CONTENT & INSTRUCTION Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 5 | | | |
| ETS5091 -PHYSICAL ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 2 | | | |

| Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group | Number taking tests | Avg. scaled score | Number passing tests | Pass rate (%) |
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| ETS5091 -PHYSICAL ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 3 | | | |
| ETS5091 -PHYSICAL ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 2 | | | |
| ETS5091 -PHYSICAL ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 3 | | | |
| ETS5354 -SE CORE KNOWLEDGE & APPLICATIONS Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students | 4 | | | |
| ETS5354 -SE CORE KNOWLEDGE & APPLICATIONS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 9 | | | |
| ETS5354 -SE CORE KNOWLEDGE & APPLICATIONS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 10 | 177 | 10 | 100 |
| ETS5354 -SE CORE KNOWLEDGE & APPLICATIONS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 9 | | | |
| ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 4 | | | |
| ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 6 | | | |
| ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 7 | | | |
| ETS5195 -SPANISH WORLD LANGUAGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 2 | | | |
| ETS5195 -SPANISH WORLD LANGUAGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 1 | | | |
| ETS5941 -WORLD AND U.S. HISTORY CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2022-23 | 1 | | | |
| ETS5941 -WORLD AND U.S. HISTORY CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2021-22 | 3 | | | |
| ETS5941 -WORLD AND U.S. HISTORY CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2020-21 | 4 | | | |

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- 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 (%) |
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| All program completers, 2022-23 | 55 | 51 | 93 |
| All program completers, 2021-22 | 82 | 79 | 96 |
| All program completers, 2020-21 | 70 | 69 | 99 |

SECTION IV: LOW-PERFORMING

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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Low-Performing

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Yes

No

If yes, please specify the organization(s) that approved or accredited your program:

✓ State

✓ CAEP

AAQEP

Other specify:

North Central - Higher Learning Commission

2. Is your teacher preparation program currently under a designation as "low-performing" by the state?

Yes

No

SECTION V: USE OF TECHNOLOGY

Use of Technology

On this page, review the questions regarding your program's use of technology, and update as needed.

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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
 - Ye

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.
 - 1. Candidates are prepared to integrate technology into curricula and instruction, collect, manage, and analyze data in several professional Education methods courses throughout the program. 2. Every candidate is required to complete EDUC 346 Instructional Technology with a grade of C or higher. EDUC 346 is dedicated to the integration and use of technology for teachers. 3. In coursework prior to student teaching, candidates are assessed formatively and expected to "Provide(s) relevant learning experiences that incorporate digital tools to stimulate interest. (InTASC 8; CAEP 1.1)" and "Use(s) student performance data and knowledge of students to identify interventions that support students. (InTASC 6; CAEP 1.1)" at the "Developing" level. 4. During student teaching, candidates are assessed summatively and expected to "Provide(s) relevant learning experiences that incorporate digital tools and resources to promote student learning and creativity. (InTASC 8; CAEP 1.1)" and ("Use(s) student performance data and knowledge of students to identify interventions that support and/or advance students to positively impact learning. (InTASC 6; CAEP 1.1)" at the "Proficient" level. 5. Improvements in the area of Technology are consistently ongoing due to the nature of technological changes. The Education department has developed an ongoing Technology Plan focused on improvements to teacher preparation in this area, based on ISTE Standards, TPAK Framework, and feedback from members of the Education Advisory Committee who are leaders in local schools. 6. Universal design is taught and assessed explicitly in EDUC 324E Instruction and Assessment for Middle/Secondary. All candidates are required to successfully complete one of these courses with a grade of C or higher. Universal design is also required in student teaching and assessed with edTPA. 7. The Education department requires candidates to use a Lesson Plan format that is based on universal design. This universal design

| completed by each candidate during student teaching. The edTPA requires universal design for lesson planning and requires all candidates to demonstrate effective use of assessment to inform instruction. | | | | | | | |
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SECTION VI: TEACHER TRAINING

Teacher Training

Provide the following information about your teacher preparation program.

(§205(a)(1)(G))

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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

One course (3 semester credit hours) that includes effectively teaching students with disabilities and participating as a member of individualized education program team is required for all Education candidates to successfully complete (with a grade of C or higher) prior to student teaching (EDUC 224 Teaching Exceptional Learners). Additionally, instructional methods courses for every program include methods for differentiation of instruction, science of reading, and assessment for diverse learners in the general education classroom.

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

One course (3 semester credit hours) that includes effectively teaching students with disabilities and participating as a member of individualized education program team is required for all Education candidates to successfully complete (with a grade of C or higher) prior to student teaching (EDUC 224 Teaching Exceptional Learners).

c. Effectively teach students who are limited English proficient.

One course (3 semester credit hours) that includes preparation for effectively teaching students who are limited English proficient is required of all Education candidates to complete (with a grade of C or higher) prior to student teaching (EDUC 225 Diverse Classrooms and Human Relations).

- 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
 - 1. Special Education teacher preparation requires coursework to prepare candidates for students with mild/moderate disabilities, learning disabilities, and behavior disorders. 2. Either 42 or 51 semester credit hours of coursework prior to student teaching are required and include American Sign Language, adaptive physical education, instruction, assessment, evaluation, IEPs, teaching students with mild disabilities, and teaching students with moderate disabilities. The number of credit hours is based on the State of Nebraska requirements for K-6 (42), K-12 (51), and 7-12 (42) Special Education endorsements. 3. Special Education teacher candidates are placed for student teaching with Special Education teachers who effectively teach students with disabilities. These candidates are required to perform on the student teaching summative assessment in teaching students with disabilities to the "Proficient" level.

- 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*.
 - 1. One course (3 semester credit hours) that includes effectively teaching students with disabilities and participating as a member of individualized education program team is required for all Education candidates to successfully complete (EDUC 224 Teaching Exceptional Learners). 2. Special education teacher preparation includes successful completion of EDUC 314 Assessment, Evaluation and IEP in which candidates must prepare, present, and assume various roles to participate in IEPs. 3. Special Education candidates are placed for student teaching with Special Education teachers and required to participate in IEP meetings to the extent that families and school districts will allow during student teaching.
- c. Effectively teach students who are limited English proficient.

One course (3 semester credit hours) that includes preparation for effectively teaching students who are limited English proficient is required of all Special Education candidates prior to student teaching (EDUC 225 Diverse Classrooms and Human Relations).

Contextual Information

On this page, review the contextual information about your program, and update as needed.

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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.

All programs meet the requirements of and are approved by the Nebraska Department of Education for Teacher Certification. All educator preparation programs are fully accredited by the Council for Accreditation of Educator Preparation.

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

NAME OF RESPONSIBLE REPRESENTATIVE FOR TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAM:

Lorinda Sankey

TITLE:

Dean, College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences

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