Institution Information
Name of Institution: Dickinson College
Institution/Program Type: Traditional
Academic Year: 2012-13
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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? (http://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/oii/tqp/index.html)
No
If yes, provide the following:
Award year:
Grantee name:
Project name:

List other partners:		
Project Type:		
Section I.a 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 http://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/oii/tqp/index.html .		
Teacher Preparation Programs	Teacher Quality Partnership Grant Member?	
K-12 French	No	
K-12 German	No	
K-12 Latin	No	
K-12 Spanish	No	
Secondary Biology	No	
Secondary Chemistry	No	
Secondary Earth & Space Science	No	
Secondary English	No	
Secondary General Science	No	
Secondary Mathematics	No	

Grant number:

List partner districts/LEAs:

Secondary Physics	No
Secondary Social Studies	No
Total number of teacher preparation programs: 12	

Section I.b Admissions

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

Junior year Senior Year or after EDUC 121, EDUC 221, EDUC 350, and EDUC 352, 353, 354, 355, or 356

Does your initial teacher certification program conditionally admit students?

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

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

If returning for a 9th semester to complete Teacher Education requirements, undergraduate students may be admitted during senior year. Post-graduates are admitted after completion of EDUC 121, EDUC 221, EDUC 350, EDUC 352, 353, 354, 355, or 356.

Section I.b Undergraduate Requirements

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

Are there initial teacher certification programs at the undergraduate level?

Yes

If yes, for each element listed below, indicate if it is required for admission into or exit from any of your teacher preparation program(s) at the Undergraduate level.

Element	Required for Entry	Required for Exit
Transcript	Yes	Yes

Background check Minimum number of courses/credits/semester hours completed Yes Yes Yes Minimum GPA Yes Yes Minimum GPA in content area coursework No No Mo Minimum GPA in professional education coursework No No No Minimum ACT score No No No Minimum SAT score No No Yes Yes Yes Yes No No No No Minimum basic skills test score Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Y			
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Minimum ACT score No No No Minimum SAT score No No No Minimum basic skills test score Yes Subject area/academic content test or other subject matter verification Recommendation(s) Yes No Interview No No No No No No	Minimum GPA in content area coursework	No	No
Minimum SAT score No No No Minimum basic skills test score Yes Yes Subject area/academic content test or other subject matter verification Recommendation(s) Yes No Interview No No No No No No	Minimum GPA in professional education coursework	No	No
Minimum basic skills test score Yes Yes Subject area/academic content test or other subject matter verification Recommendation(s) Yes No Yes No Interview No No No No No No No No No N	Minimum ACT score	No	No
Subject area/academic content test or other subject matter verification Recommendation(s) Essay or personal statement No Yes No No No No No No No No No N	Minimum SAT score	No	No
Recommendation(s) Yes No Essay or personal statement Yes No No No	Minimum basic skills test score	Yes	Yes
Essay or personal statement Yes No No No	Subject area/academic content test or other subject matter verification	No	Yes
Interview No No	Recommendation(s)	Yes	No
	Essay or personal statement	Yes	No
Other No No	Interview	No	No
	Other	No	No

What is the minimum GPA required for admission into the program?

What was the median GPA of individuals accepted into the program in academic year 2012-13

3.7

What is the minimum GPA required for completing the program?

3

What was the median GPA of individuals completing the program in academic year 2012-13

3.5

Please provide any additional comments about the information provided above:

Section I.b Postgraduate Requirements

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

Are there initial teacher certification programs at the postgraduate level?

Yes

If yes, for each element listed below, indicate if it is required for admission into or exit from any of your teacher preparation program(s) at the Postgraduate level.

Element	Required for Entry	Required for Exit
Transcript	Yes	Yes
Fingerprint check	Yes	No
Background check	Yes	No
Minimum number of courses/credits/semester hours completed	Yes	Yes
Minimum GPA	Yes	Yes
Minimum GPA in content area coursework	No	No

Minimum GPA in professional education coursework	No	No
Minimum ACT score	No	No
Minimum SAT score	No	No
Minimum basic skills test score	Yes	Yes
Subject area/academic content test or other subject matter verification	Yes	Yes
Recommendation(s)	Yes	No
Essay or personal statement	Yes	No
Interview	Yes	No
Other	No	No

What is the minimum GPA required for admission into the program?

2.8

What was the median GPA of individuals accepted into the program in academic year 2012-13

3.7

What is the minimum GPA required for completing the program?

3

What was the median GPA of individuals completing the program in academic year 2012-13

-6

Please provide any additional comments about the information provided above:

Section I.c Enrollment

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.

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 2012-13:	8
Unduplicated number of males enrolled in 2012-13:	0
Unduplicated number of females enrolled in 2012-13:	8

2012-13	Number enrolled
Ethnicity	
Hispanic/Latino of any race:	0
Race	
American Indian or Alaska Native:	0
Asian:	0
Black or African American:	0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander:	0

White:	8
Two or more races:	0

Section I.d Supervised Clinical Experience

Provide the following information about supervised clinical experience in 2012-13.

Average number of clock hours of supervised clinical experience required prior to student teaching	55
Average number of clock hours of supervised clinical experience required prior to student teaching	33
Average number of clock hours required for student teaching	480
Average number of clock hours required for mentoring/induction support	0
Number of full-time equivalent faculty supervising clinical experience during this academic year	3
Number of adjunct faculty supervising clinical experience during this academic year (IHE and PreK-12 staff)	10
Number of students in supervised clinical experience during this academic year	14

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

Number of students in supervised clinical experience during this academic year includes only those admitted to the program.

Section I.e Teachers Prepared by Subject Area

Please provide the number of teachers prepared by subject area for academic year 2012-13. 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))

Subject Area	Number Prepared
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Education - General	
Teacher Education - Special Education	
Teacher Education - Early Childhood Education	
Teacher Education - Elementary Education	
Teacher Education - Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education	
Teacher Education - Secondary Education	6
Teacher Education - Multiple Levels	1
Teacher Education - Agriculture	
Teacher Education - Art	
Teacher Education - Business	
Teacher Education - English/Language Arts	1
Teacher Education - Foreign Language	
Teacher Education - Health	
Teacher Education - Family and Consumer Sciences/Home Economics	
Teacher Education - Technology Teacher Education/Industrial Arts	

Teacher Education - Mathematics	1
Teacher Education - Music	
Teacher Education - Physical Education and Coaching	
Teacher Education - Reading	
Teacher Education - Science Teacher Education/General Science	
Teacher Education - Social Science	
Teacher Education - Social Studies	4
Teacher Education - Technical Education	
Teacher Education - Computer Science	
Teacher Education - Biology	
Teacher Education - Chemistry	
Teacher Education - Drama and Dance	
Teacher Education - French	
Teacher Education - German	
Teacher Education- History	

Teacher Education - Physics	
Teacher Education - Spanish	1
Teacher Education - Speech	
Teacher Education - Geography	
Teacher Education - Latin	
Teacher Education - Psychology	
Teacher Education - Earth Science	
Teacher Education - English as a Second Language	
Teacher Education - Bilingual, Multilingual, and Multicultural Education	
Education - Other	
Specify:	

Section I.e Teachers Prepared by Academic Major

Please provide the number of teachers prepared by academic major for academic year 2012-13. 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))

Academic Major	Number Prepared
Education - General	

Teacher Education - Special Education	
Teacher Education - Early Childhood Education	
Teacher Education - Elementary Education	
Teacher Education - Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education	
Teacher Education - Secondary Education	
Teacher Education - Agriculture	
Teacher Education - Art	
Teacher Education - Business	
Teacher Education - English/Language Arts	
Teacher Education - Foreign Language	
Teacher Education - Health	
Teacher Education - Family and Consumer Sciences/Home Economics	
Teacher Education - Technology Teacher Education/Industrial Arts	
Teacher Education - Mathematics	
Teacher Education - Music	

Teacher Education - Physical Education and Coaching	
Teacher Education - Reading	
Teacher Education - Science	
Teacher Education - Social Science	
Teacher Education - Social Studies	
Teacher Education - Technical Education	
Teacher Education - Computer Science	
Teacher Education - Biology	
Teacher Education - Chemistry	
Teacher Education - Drama and Dance	
Teacher Education - French	
Teacher Education - German	
Teacher Education - History	
Teacher Education - Physics	
Teacher Education - Spanish	

Teacher Education - Speech	
Teacher Education - Geography	
Teacher Education - Latin	
Teacher Education - Psychology	
Teacher Education - Earth Science	
Teacher Education - English as a Second Language	
Teacher Education - Bilingual, Multilingual, and Multicultural Education	
Education - Curriculum and Instruction	
Education - Social and Philosophical Foundations of Education	
Liberal Arts/Humanities	
Psychology	
Social Sciences	
Anthropology	
Economics	
Geography and Cartography	

Political Science and Government	1
Sociology	
Visual and Performing Arts	
History	3
Foreign Languages	1
Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Sciences	
English Language/Literature	2
Philosophy and Religious Studies	
Agriculture	
Communication or Journalism	
Engineering	
Biology	
Mathematics and Statistics	1
Physical Sciences	
Astronomy and Astrophysics	

Atmospheric Sciences and Meteorology	
Chemistry	
Geological and Earth Sciences/Geosciences	
Physics	
Business/Business Administration/Accounting	
Computer and Information Sciences	
Other	
Specify:	

Section I.f Program Completers

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

2012-13: 7

2011-12: 10

2010-11: 15

Section II 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 http://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 2012-13 Did your program prepare teachers in mathematics in 2012-13? Yes How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in mathematics in 2012-13? 1 Did your program meet the goal for prospective teachers set in mathematics in 2012-13? Yes Description of strategies used to achieve goal, if applicable: Presentations to freshmen regarding teacher certification at orientations. Announcements on-line and flyers on campus about informational meetings regarding teacher education program. Description of steps to improve performance in meeting goal or lessons learned in meeting goal, if applicable: Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below: Academic year 2013-14 Is your program preparing teachers in mathematics in 2013-14? Yes How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in mathematics in 2013-14? 1

Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Academic year 2014-15

Will your program prepare teachers in mathematics in 2014-15?

Yes

How many prospective teachers does your program plan to add in mathematics in 2014-15?

Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Section II 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)(ii), §206(a))

Information about teacher shortage areas can be found at http://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 2012-13

Did your program prepare teachers in science in 2012-13?

Yes

How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in science in 2012-13?

0

Did your program meet the goal for prospective teachers set in science in 2012-13?

Yes

Description of strategies used to achieve goal, if applicable:

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

Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

No science students admitted to program in 2012-13 due to lack of interest of students.

Academic year 2013-14

Is your program preparing teachers in science in 2013-14?

Yes

How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in science in 2013-14?

Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Academic year 2014-15

Will your program prepare teachers in science in 2014-15?

Yes

How many prospective teachers does your program plan to add in science in 2014-15?

1

Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Section II 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 http://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 2012-13

Did your program prepare teachers in special education in 2012-13?

No

How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in special education in 2012-13?

Did your program meet the goal for prospective teachers set in special education in 2012-13?

Data not reported

Description of strategies used to achieve goal, if applicable:

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

Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Academic year 2013-14

Is your program preparing teachers in special education in 2013-14?

No

How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in special education in 2013-14?

Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Academic year 2014-15

Will your program prepare teachers in special education in 2014-15?

No

How many prospective teachers does your program plan to add in special education in 2014-15?

Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Section II 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 http://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 2012-13

Did your program prepare teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2012-13?

No

How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2012-13?

Did your program meet the goal for prospective teachers set in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2012-13?

Data not reported

Description of strategies used to achieve goal, if applicable:

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

Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Academic year 2013-14

Is your program preparing teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2013-14?

No

How many prospective teachers did your program plan to add in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2013-14?

Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Academic year 2014-15

Will your program prepare teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2014-15?

No

How many prospective teachers does your program plan to add in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2014-15?

Provide any additional comments, exceptions and explanations below:

Section II 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, based on past hiring and recruitment trends.

Yes

Preparation is closely linked with the needs of schools and the instructional decisions new teachers face in the classroom.

Yes

Prospective special education teachers are prepared in core academic subjects and to instruct in core academic subjects.

NA

Prospective general education teachers are prepared to provide instruction to students with disabilities.

Yes

Prospective general education teachers are prepared to provide instruction to limited English proficient students.

Yes

Prospective general education teachers are prepared to provide instruction to students from low-income families.

Yes

Prospective teachers are prepared to effectively teach in urban and rural schools, as applicable. Yes

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

We survey cooperating teachers regularly to determine areas of strength and weakness within our program and make adjustments accordingly. We regularly review and update our coursework to ensure attention to the training issues.

Section III Assessment Pass Rates

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS0235 -BIOLOGY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2010-11	2			
ETS0041 -ENG LANG LIT COMP CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	2			
ETS0041 -ENG LANG LIT COMP CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2012-13	1	1		

ETS0041 -ENG LANG LIT COMP CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2011-12	3		
ETS0041 -ENG LANG LIT COMP CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2010-11	1		
ETS5174 -FRENCH WORLD LANGUAGE (CD) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2010-11	1		
ETS0511 -FUNDAMENTAL SUBJECTS CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	2		
ETS0511 -FUNDAMENTAL SUBJECTS CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2012-13	1		
ETS0511 -FUNDAMENTAL SUBJECTS CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2010-11	4		
ETS0600 -LATIN Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2010-11	2		
ETS0061 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	1		
ETS0061 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2012-13	1		

	1			
ETS0061 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2010-11	3			
ESP0001 -PAPA - MODULE 1 READING Evaluation Systems group of Pearson Other enrolled students	5			
ESP0002 -PAPA - MODULE 2 MATH Evaluation Systems group of Pearson Other enrolled students	5			
ESP0003 -PAPA - MODULE 3 WRITING Evaluation Systems group of Pearson Other enrolled students	5			
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	3			
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2012-13	7			
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2011-12	10	180	10	100
ETS0730 -PRAXIS I MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2010-11	15	184	15	100
ETS0710 -PRAXIS I READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	3			

ETS0710 -PRAXIS I READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2012-13	7			
ETS0710 -PRAXIS I READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2011-12	10	180	10	100
ETS0710 -PRAXIS I READING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2010-11	15	183	15	100
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	3			
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2012-13	7			
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2011-12	10	179	10	100
ETS0720 -PRAXIS I WRITING Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2010-11	15	180	15	100
ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2012-13	4			
ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2011-12	7			

ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2010-11	5		
ETS5195 -SPANISH WORLD LANGUAGE (CD) Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	1		
ETS5195 -SPANISH WORLD LANGUAGE (CD) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2012-13	1		
ETS5195 -SPANISH WORLD LANGUAGE (CD) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2010-11	1		

Section III Summary Pass Rates

Group	Number taking tests	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
All program completers, 2012-13	7		
All program completers, 2011-12	10	9	90
All program completers, 2010-11	15	14	93

Section IV Low-Performing

Provide the following information about the approval or accreditation of your teacher preparation program.

Is your teacher preparation program currently approved or accredited? Yes

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

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)?

No

Section V Use of Technology

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.

Does your program prepare teachers to:

- integrate technology effectively into curricula and instruction Yes
- use technology effectively to collect data to improve teaching and learning
 Yes
- use technology effectively to manage data to improve teaching and learning
 Yes
- use technology effectively to analyze data to improve teaching and learning
 Yes

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.

All coursework above 100 level requires student use of technology in developing instructional materials and assessments. In our Educational Psychology course, we introduce the use of technology in collecting, managing, and analyzing data to improve teaching and learning through both text-based and Internet-based examples. Many of our student teachers learn to use the programs adopted by their host schools for collecting, managing, and analyzing data to improve teaching and learning.

Section VI 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.

Does your program prepare general education teachers to:

- teach students with disabilities effectively

 Yes
- participate as a member of individualized education program teams
 Yes
- teach students who are limited English proficient effectively
 Yes

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.

Our program includes standards specified by the PA Dept. of Education related to teaching English Language Learners and students with special needs. These standards are integrated into all general education coursework. We also have one stand-alone course in teaching ELL's and one in working with special needs students.

Does your program prepare special education teachers to:

- teach students with disabilities effectively
- participate as a member of individualized education program teams

 NA
- teach students who are limited English proficient effectively NA

Provide a description of the evidence your program uses to show that it prepares special 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.

We offer no programs to prepare Special Education teachers.

Section VII 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. The U.S. Department of Education is especially interested in any evaluation plans or interim or final reports that may be available.

Supporting Files

Complete Report Card