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The goal of this report is to share the available state data on novice teachers that this Educator Preparation Provider (EPP) recommended for certification. To create the report, the New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) has synthesized data from multiple sources. A list of these sources is available at the end of this report. Unless otherwise indicated, the data used in this report represents a one year cohort of teachers who earned a Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing (CEAS) in the 2018-2019 school year who may have been employed in the 2020-2021 school year in a New Jersey public school. For additional details see further explanation in the glossary on the last page.

This report provides information in the following key areas:



Provider Profile

Information that applies to all teacher preparation programs at the institution such as mission and location.



Certified Completer Demographic Information

Demographic information about candidates who completed a program at this institution and earned a teacher certification in New Jersey.



Certification Assessment Results

Data about program completer performance on required licensure assessments.



Full Time Employment Outcomes and Compensation

Data about certified program completer performance on licensure assessments.



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Evaluation data for certified program completers from the 2018-19 school year employed in the 2019-20 school year.



Glossary



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Mission^{1a}:

The School of Education's mission is to be a leader in the preparation of highly competent, reflective teachers, and other professional educators (e.g., administrators, counselors, and reading specialists) who have the knowledge, 21st-century skills, and dispositions required to improve the teaching and learning of students in a highly pluralistic democratic society. Toward this end, our candidates are prepared to serve all students from diverse backgrounds in terms of abilities, age, culture, race, ethnicity, family, lifestyle, and socioeconomic status. Through clinically based field experiences in a wide range of local school and community settings, our candidates practice and demonstrate the utilization of 21st-century skills in their work with students, teachers, and school leaders. Our goal is that candidates use their thorough knowledge of learners and learning to promote positive student outcomes and achievement. Our programs link theory and practice and are designed to instill a commitment to lifelong learning and reflection.

Institutional Context^{1b}:

The Monmouth teacher preparation program combines extensive clinical experiences with a rigorous college curriculum. Graduates work in schools as P-3, special education, elementary, secondary (all content areas: Science, SS, English, Math, etc), foreign language, and literacy specialists. Instruction on practice and theory are integrated in innovative ways, such as our Teacher Residency Program. The Monmouth University Teacher Residency program is an opportunity to be part of the leading edge in teacher preparation. The vision is to create a wholly new type of teacher preparation, one in which teacher candidates are compensated for an extensive school residency, much like medical residents are now trained. In this new world of teacher preparation, teacher residency graduates will be more capable and confident in their teaching with resulting increase in student performance. Monmouth graduates are confident teachers, who possess both the skill and understanding to use highly effective, research-based instructional strategies that promote P-12 student learning

^{1a} The mission statement was provided to the NJDOE by the institution through the application process to become an approved teacher preparation provider.

^{1b} The institutional context statement was provided to the NJDOE by the institution through the application process to become an approved teacher preparation provider.



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Address: 400 Cedar Ave, West Long Branch, NJ 07764

Website: https://www.monmouth.edu

This Provider has **29** Partnerships² with NJ schools or districts and is accredited³ through the Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation.

Financial Aid ⁴ Options:

- ✓ AmeriCorps
- Federal Direct Loans
- ✓ Federal PELL Grants
- Federal Perkins
- Federal Work Study
- ✓ Law Enforcement Memorial Scholarship
- ✓ NJ Class Loans
- NJ Educational Opportunity Fund
- ✓ NJ Governors Industry
- ✓ NJ Governors Urban Scholarship
- ✓ NJ STARS
- NJ Survivor Tuition Benefits
- ✓ NJ Tuition Aid Grant (TAG)
- ✓ NJ WTC
- ✓ TEACH Grant
- Title IV Financial Aid
- **✓** Other

Data Not Provided

² A partnership is a formal or informal agreement with a school or district where candidates can complete program requirements. Partnerships are provided by institution.

³ Teacher preparation programs are accredited at least every 7 years.

⁴ More information about financial aid options is available in the glossary at the end of this report.



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Certified Completer Demographic Information

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Total Certification Count





Completers with Multiple Certificates

Completers by Gender:

Female 83.5%

Male 16.5%



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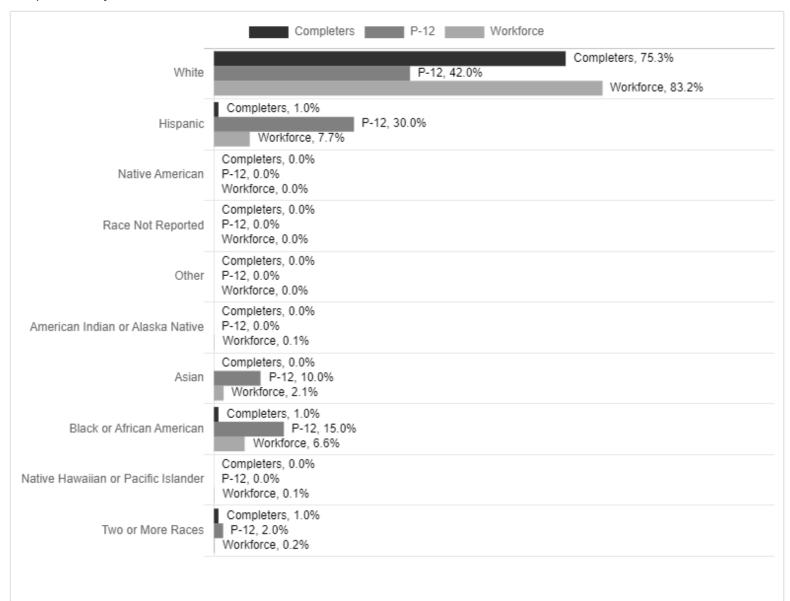
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Certified Completer Demographic Information

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Populations by Race:





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Content Assessment

Praxis II⁵ Results: Average Scaled Score

Praxis II Test	Average Score for Certified Completers	Test Cut Score	State Average Scaled Score
Biology: Content Knowledge	*	152	165
Early Childhood Education	*	156	168
Elementary Education: Content Knowledge	*	141	128
English Language Arts: Content Knowledge	175	167	174
General Science: Content Knowledge	*	152	166
Health & Physical Education: Content Knowledge	*	160	162
Mathematics Subtest	175	157	177
Mathematics: Content Knowledge	*	160	169
Middle School Social Studies	*	158	171
Music: Content Knowledge	*	153	168
Reading and Language Arts Subtest	168	157	170
Science Subtest	168	159	170
Social Studies Subtest	164	155	166
Social Studies: Content Knowledge	*	157	167



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Basic Skills Assessment

Praxis Core Results:

This data is not yet available but may be included in future iterations.

Performance Assessments

Educative Teacher Performance Assessment (edTPA⁶) Timeline:

School Year	Requirement and Scoring
2016-2017	Optional pilot
	All CEAS candidates complete the assessment for certification but do not need to meet a specific cut score
2017-2018	All CE holders complete the assessment but do not need to meet a specific cut score if the assessment is taken during this school year
2018-2019	All CEAS candidates complete the assessment for certification but do not need to meet a specific cut score All CE holders complete the assessment but do not need to meet a specific cut score if the assessment is taken during this school
	year
2019-2020	Cut score set at one standard error of measurement below the national recommendation 13-rubric handbooks (32), 15-rubric handbooks (37), 18-rubric handbooks (44)
2020-2021	Cut score set at one standard error of measurement below the national recommendation 13-rubric handbooks (32), 15-rubric handbooks (37), 18-rubric handbooks (44)
2021-2022	Cut score determined by New Jersey standard setting process



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2018-2019 Persistence⁷ Trend:

School Level:

45 (57.7%) of those employed completers maintained

employment during the 2020-

2021 SY with a median salary of

\$55,682.5



Of the **97**Certified Completers
from the **2018-2019 SY**



District Level:

49 (62.8%) of those employed completers maintained employment during the 2020-2021 SY with a median salary of \$55,665



78 (80%) were employed as of the **2019-2020 SY**

State Level:

59 (75.6%) of those employed completers maintained employment during the 2020-2021 SY with a median salary of \$55,665

2017-2018 Persistence⁷ Trend:

School Level:

56 (50.9%) of those employed

completers maintained

employment during the 2019-

2020 SY with a median salary of

\$57,139



Of the **146**Certified Completers
from the **2017-2018 SY**



District Level:

65 (59.1%) of those employed completers maintained employment during the 2019-2020 SY with a median salary of \$57,139



110 (75%) were employed as of the 2018-2019 SY

State Level:

80 (72.7%) of those employed completers maintained employment during the 2019-2020 SY with a median salary of \$55,500

⁷ Candidates who continued with their employment at the school, district, or state level from one year to the next.

^{*} Note: The NJDOE collects demographic and salary data through NJSMART and TCIS. Salary data is suppressed if the average salary of Full Time Employed Teachers (FTE) in a region is less than \$30,000 and the count of FTE Teachers is greater than 0. If the count of FTE Teachers is 0, then N/A will appear in the cell. For more information see the glossary.



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Employment by Certification Count:

Category	Count of Certified Individuals	Employed as of October 15, 2020	Percent Employed as Teachers
Candidate Earned One Certification	89	73	82.0%
Candidate Earned One or More Certifications	97	78	80.4%
Candidate Earned Two or More Certifications	8	5	62.5%

Employment by Certification Area:

Category	Count of Certified Individuals	Employed as of October 15, 2020	Percent Employed as Teachers
All Programs	97	78	80.4%



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Compensation by Region:

Category	Number of Teachers	Median Salary (all teachers)	Median Salary (employed program completers)
Central Region	41	\$56,000	\$56,065
Northern Region	12	\$55,200	\$55,200
Southern Region	6	\$54,545	\$56,000

Employment by School Classification:

Category	Employed as of October 15, 2020	Percent Employed as Teachers	Percentage Employed Statewide
Comprehensive Support and Improvement ⁸	3	3.8%	4.6%
Not Classified	71	89.9%	89.9%
Targeted Support and Improvement ⁹	5	6.3%	5.5%

⁸ Comprehensive Support and Improvement - Overall Low Performing: Schools with a summative score in the bottom 5% of Title I schools or schools with a four-year graduation rate of 67% or less

⁹ Targeted Support and Improvement - Schools with one or more student group with a summative score that would be in the bottom 5% of Title I schools or schools with one or more students group that missed annual targets or standards for all indicators for two years in a row

^{*} Note: The NJDOE collects demographic and salary data through NJSMART and TCIS. A candidate may be included in multiple employment counts if they have earned more than one certificate. Information about regions is available in the glossary and information about school classification is available on the NJDOE website.



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Employment by School Category:

Category	Employed as of October 15, 2020	Percent Employed as Teachers	Percentage Employed Statewide
Charter	1	1.3%	7.3%
District	74	94.9%	88.5%
Vocational	3	3.8%	1.6%



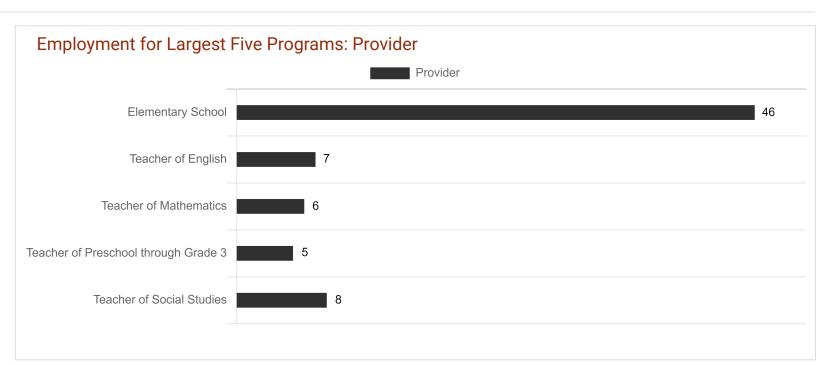
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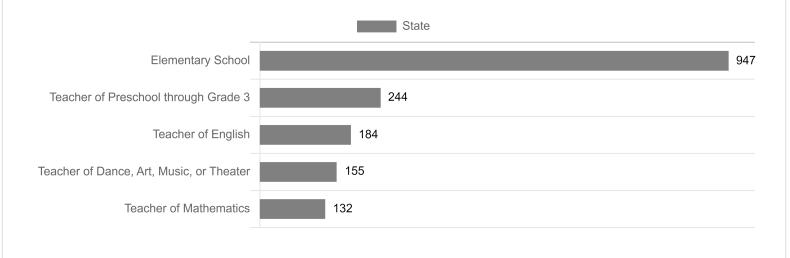
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The following table represents the count of unique completers by certification area in the five largest programs represented in this report



^{*} Note: The NJDOE collects employment and certification data through NJSMART and TCIS. A candidate may be included in multiple employment counts if they have earned more than one certificate.



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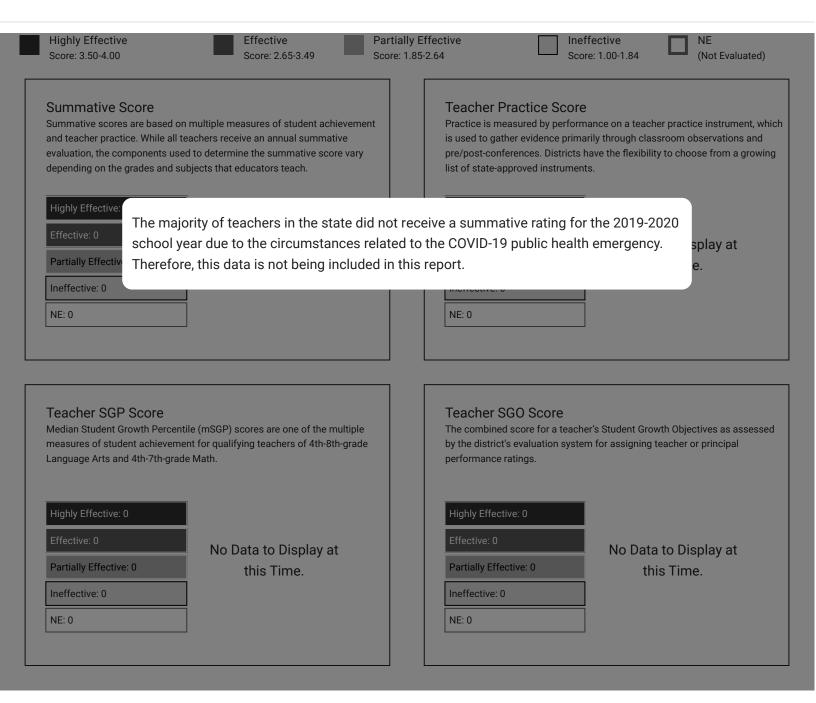
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Evaluation data for certified program completers from the 2018-19 school year employed in the 2019-20 school year.



Note: Teachers classified as "NE (Not Evaluated)" are not included in the charts but are included in Counts.



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Term	Definition
Accreditation	Teacher preparation programs are accredited at least every 7 years. An institution that has a professional education unit and has completed successfully a review process by a national professional organization recognized by the Council on Higher Education Accreditation or approved by the Commissioner. The institution must meet State, professional, and institutional standards as determined by a review of its individual programs and overall capacity to prepare education professionals.
CEAS Educator Preparation Program	A program provided by an accredited higher education institution. This program primarily occurs prior to a candidate actively working under a provisional certificate.
Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing (CEAS)	A certificate with lifetime validity issued to persons who have completed degree, academic study, applicable test requirements, and CEAS educator preparation programs for certification. The CEAS permits the applicant to seek and accept employment in positions requiring certification.
Comprehensive Support and Improvement	Overall Low Performing: Schools with a summative score in the bottom 5% of Title I schools or schools with a four-year graduation rate of 67% or less
Data Collection and Reporting	The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) collects and aggregates the data used for this report from multiple sources. Suppression rules have been applied for the assessment, compensation, and evaluation data included in this report to prevent the identification of individuals and the disclosure of their personal information. The NJDOE collects: • Certification data from EPPs and individuals through the Teacher Certification Information System (TCIS), which contains all information regarding the certification status of teachers who have applied for and/or hold a New Jersey certification. • Employment and Compensation data from school districts through the staff-level Standards Measurement and Resource for Teaching (NJSMART) data system. • Higher Education data from the Office of the Secretary of Higher Education's (OSHE) Student Unit Record (NJSURE) system. OSHE collects data from Institutions of Higher Education (IHE's), but not all IHEs are required to submit data to the NJSURE database. Non-submitting institutions have been noted in the report. • Program level data from EPPs through the teacher preparation program approval process. • School level category data is calculated using growth and proficiency data. This data includes student assessment data, graduation rates, and student growth over time. • Student level demographic data from school districts through the student-level Standards Measurement and Resource for Teaching (NJSMART) data system. Educative Teacher Performance Assessment (edTPA) is the Commissioner-approved assessment measuring a candidate's ability to prepare a lesson, deliver instruction, and assess student learning.
edTPA	In June of 2014, regulations requiring teacher candidates to pass a performance assessment in order to gain licensure were adopted. In December of 2015 edTPA was selected as the Commissioner- approved assessment. On August 3, 2016 the State Board of Education voted to set the cut score on the Commissioner-approved performance assessment, edTPA. As of September 1, 2017, successful completion of the performance assessment will be required for all candidates seeking a Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing (CEAS) and Certificate of Eligibility (CE) holders will be required to successfully complete the performance assessment before earning a standard certificate.
Evaluation: Annual Summative Evaluation Rating	An annual evaluation rating that is based on appraisals of educator practice and student performance, and includes all measures captured in a teaching staff members evaluation rubric. The four summative performance categories are highly effective, effective, partially effective, and ineffective.
Evaluation: Student Growth Objective (SGO)	An academic goal that teachers and designated supervisors set for groups of students.
Evaluation: Student Growth Percentile (SGP)	A specific metric for measuring individual student progress on Statewide assessments by tracking how much a students test scores have changed relative to other students Statewide with similar scores in previous years.
Evaluation	A combination of scores (Student Growth Percentile (mSGP), teacher practice, and student growth objective) that provide a look into teacher effectiveness.



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Evaluation: Teacher Practice Score	Performance on a state-approved teacher practice instrument (e.g., Danielson, Marzano, et al.), which is used to gather evidence primarily through classroom observations.
Expired	When the State Board of Education adopts a resolution to replace a required PRAXIS II test, the replaced test becomes expired. In cases where an individual earns a
Financial Aid	A passing score on the previously required test. A meritCorps – A national network of national service programs, made up of three primary programs that each take a different approach to improving lives and fostering civic engagement. Members commit their time to address critical community needs like increasing academic achievement, mentoring youth, fighting poverty, sustaining national parks, preparing for disasters, and more. Federal Direct Loans – Formerly known as Stafford Loans, the William D. Ford Federal Direct Subsidized and Unsubsidized Loans are available to help pay for educational expenses. Federal PELL Grants – The federal Pell Grant Program provides need-based grants to low-income undergraduate and certain post baccalaureate students to promote access to post secondary education. Federal Perkins – A Federal Perkins Loan is a low-interest loan for both undergraduate and graduate students in need that helps students finance the costs of postsecondary education. Federal Work Study – Federal Work-Study provides part-time jobs for undergraduate and graduate students with financial need, allowing them to earn money to help pay education expenses. The program encourages community service work and work related to the students course of study. Law Enforcement Memorial Scholarship – The Law Enforcement Officer Memorial (LEOM) Scholarship benefits dependent children of NJ law enforcement officers killed in the line of duty. NJ Class Loans – The Higher Education Student Assistance Authority offers the NJ Class Family Loan for Higher Education to help students pay for college costs not already covered by other sources. NJ Educational Opportunity Fund – The Educational Opportunity Fund provides financial assistance and support services to students from educationally and economically disadvantaged backgrounds who attend institutions of higher education in the State of NJ. NJ Governors Urban Scholarship Program – The Governor's Urban Scholarship (NJ-GIVS) so up to \$2,000 and year or up to the cost of fuit
Partnership	A formal or informal agreement with a school or district in New Jersey in which candidates may complete program requirements.
Praxis II	Subject-specific assessments that measure a teaching candidate's content knowledge for the endorsement(s) sought.
Program Completer	Individuals who have successfully completed an approved teacher preparation program to earn certification in New Jersey.
Program Provider	The hosting organization for an educator preparation program.
Targeted Support and Improvement	Schools with one or more student group with a summative score that would be in the bottom 5% of Title I schools or schools with one or more students group that missed annual targets or standards for all indicators for two years in a row