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

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SECTION I: PROGRAM INFORMATION

List of Programs

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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))**

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

- 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
13.1302	Teacher Education - Art	PG	
13.1322	Teacher Education - Biology	PG	
13.1323	Teacher Education - Chemistry	PG	
13.1337	Teacher Education - Earth Science	PG	
13.1305	Teacher Education - English/Language Arts	PG	
13.1306	Teacher Education - Foreign Language	PG	
13.1328	Teacher Education - History	PG	
13.1311	Teacher Education - Mathematics	PG	
13.99	Teacher Education - Other	PG	
13.1314	Teacher Education - Physical Education and Coaching	PG	
13.1329	Teacher Education - Physics	PG	

Total number of teacher preparation programs:

11

SECTION I: PROGRAM INFORMATION

Program Requirements

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

>> Undergraduate Requirements

>> Postgraduate Requirements

>> Supervised Clinical Experience

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

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 **clear responses already entered**) 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:	○ Yes ○ No	○ Yes ○ No

2. What is the minimum GPA required for admission into the program? (Leave blank if you indicated that a minimum GPA is not required in the table above.)

3. What is the minimum GPA required for completing the program? (Leave blank if you indicated that a minimum GPA is not required in the table above.)

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

All undergraduate programs are traditional programs.

Postgraduate Requirements

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

1. Are there initial teacher certification programs at the postgraduate 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 postgraduate level. If no, leave the table below blank (or **clear responses already entered**) 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:	○ Yes ● No	○ Yes ● No

2. What is the minimum GPA required for admission into the program? (Leave blank if you indicated that a minimum GPA is not required in the table above.)

2.75

3. What is the minimum GPA required for completing the program? (Leave blank if you indicated that a minimum GPA is not required in the table above.)

2.75

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

Admission Requirements An appropriate baccalaureate degree from a regionally-accredited institution with a cumulative grade-point average of 2.75 or higher Content coursework equivalent to a major in the licensure area being sought Evidence of academic proficiency by passing the departmental required reading, writing, and mathematics tests Program Requirements Maintain a 2.75 or higher cumulative grade-point average at USI Earn a grade of C or better in all courses in the program Demonstrate content knowledge in the teaching area by passing appropriate Indiana required content test Meet all requirements for formal admission to Teacher Education

Supervised Clinical Experience

Note: The clinical experience requirements in this section are preloaded from the prior year's IPRC. Teacher preparation providers will enter the number of participants each year.

Provide the following information about supervised clinical experience in 2024-25. (§205(a)(1)(C)(iii), §205(a)(1)(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	70
Number of clock hours required for student teaching	560

Are there programs in which candidates are the teacher of record?

- ○ **Yes**
- ● **No**

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

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	

All Programs	
Number of full-time equivalent faculty supervising clinical experience during this academic year (IHE staff) Optional tool for automatically calculating full-time equivalent faculty in the system	1
Number of adjunct faculty supervising clinical experience during this academic year (IHE staff)	1
Number of cooperating teachers/K-12 staff supervising clinical experience during this academic year	2
Number of students in supervised clinical experience during this academic year	1

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

Numbers of faculty, teachers, and students is an unduplicated count; e.g. if a student participated in four field experiences, he/she is only counted once, not four times. All teacher candidates participate in clinical experiences that provide robust opportunities to develop effective practitioners. In sequenced, clinical experiences, candidates integrate theory into practice, develop and test classroom management and pedagogical skills, hone their use of evidence in making professional decisions about practice, and integrate the standards of their professional community into their practice. Clinical experiences in all teacher education programs are classified as exploration phase, analysis phase, or synthesis phase. As candidates progress through the phases, they become more skilled and confident in the areas of planning, instruction, assessment, and reflection. The first two phases are the exploration and analysis phases. In the exploration phase, the emphasis is on student development and growth and involves observation, one-to-one, and small group instruction. In the analysis phase, candidates are placed in a P-12 classroom where they are involved in observation, one-to-one instruction, small group, or whole class teaching. The teacher candidates in the exploration and analysis phases are evaluated by either the site coordinator or the licensed classroom teacher. The third and final phase is synthesis, which is a semester-long clinical internship. Candidates co-teach with a licensed teacher and are evaluated by both the licensed teacher and a university supervisor. The university supervisor makes multiple site visits to observe, conference, and conduct informal evaluations in anticipation of the Teacher Candidate Final Assessment.

SECTION I: PROGRAM INFORMATION

Enrollment and Program Completers

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>> 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

Enrollment and Program Completers

2024-25 Total	
Total Number of Individuals Enrolled	1
Subset of Program Completers	1

Gender	Total Enrolled	Subset of Program Completers
Male	1	1
Female	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
Black or African American	0	0
Hispanic/Latino of any race	0	0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0
White	1	1
Two or more races	0	0

Race/Ethnicity	Total Enrolled	Subset of Program Completers
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	0	0

SECTION I: PROGRAM INFORMATION

Teachers Prepared

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

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

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

Teachers Prepared by Subject Area

Please provide the number of teachers prepared by subject area for academic year 2024-25.

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 2024-25**

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	
13.1202	Teacher Education - Elementary Education	

CIP Code	Subject Area	Number Prepared
13.1203	Teacher Education - Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education	
13.1210	Teacher Education - Early Childhood Education	
13.1301	Teacher Education - Agriculture	
13.1302	Teacher Education - Art	
13.1303	Teacher Education - Business	
13.1305	Teacher Education - English/Language Arts	
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	
13.1312	Teacher Education - Music	
13.1314	Teacher Education - Physical Education and Coaching	
13.1315	Teacher Education - Reading	
13.1316	Teacher Education - Science Teacher Education/General Science	
13.1317	Teacher Education - Social Science	
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	1
13.1324	Teacher Education - Drama and Dance	
13.1328	Teacher Education - History	
13.1329	Teacher Education - Physics	
13.1331	Teacher Education - Speech	

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

Teachers Prepared by Academic Major

Please provide the number of teachers prepared by academic major for academic year 2024-25. 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

☐ **No teachers prepared in academic year 2024-25**

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	
13.1202	Teacher Education - Elementary Education	
13.1203	Teacher Education - Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education	
13.1210	Teacher Education - Early Childhood Education	
13.1301	Teacher Education - Agriculture	
13.1302	Teacher Education - Art	
13.1303	Teacher Education - Business	
13.1305	Teacher Education - English/Language Arts	
13.1306	Teacher Education - Foreign Language	
13.1307	Teacher Education - Health	

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
13.1308	Teacher Education - Family and Consumer Sciences/Home Economics	
13.1309	Teacher Education - Technology Teacher Education/Industrial Arts	
13.1311	Teacher Education - Mathematics	
13.1312	Teacher Education - Music	
13.1314	Teacher Education - Physical Education and Coaching	
13.1315	Teacher Education - Reading	
13.1316	Teacher Education - General Science	
13.1317	Teacher Education - Social Science	
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	
13.1329	Teacher Education - Physics	
13.1331	Teacher Education - Speech	
13.1337	Teacher Education - Earth Science	
13.14	Teacher Education - English as a Second Language	
13.99	Education - Other Specify:	
01	Agriculture	
03	Natural Resources and Conservation	
05	Area, Ethnic, Cultural, and Gender Studies	
09	Communication or Journalism	

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
11	Computer and Information Sciences	
12	Personal and Culinary Services	
14	Engineering	
16	Foreign Languages, Literatures, and Linguistics	
19	Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Sciences	
21	Technology Education/Industrial Arts	
22	Legal Professions and Studies	
23	English Language/Literature	
24	Liberal Arts/Humanities	
25	Library Science	
26	Biological and Biomedical Sciences	
27	Mathematics and Statistics	
30	Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies	
38	Philosophy and Religious Studies	
40	Physical Sciences	1
41	Science Technologies/Technicians	
42	Psychology	
44	Public Administration and Social Service Professions	
45	Social Sciences	
46	Construction	
47	Mechanic and Repair Technologies	
50	Visual and Performing Arts	
51	Health Professions and Related Clinical Sciences	
52	Business/Management/Marketing	
54	History	

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
99	Other Specify:	

SECTION I: PROGRAM INFORMATION

Program Assurances

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>> 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))**

Program Assurances

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

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

- (●) Yes
- ( ) No

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

- (●) Yes
- ( ) No

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

(1) USI has established relationships with school corporations within a sixty-mile radius of our campus. Administrators from the university and the school corporations meet periodically to discuss the needs of the local school corporations. We continually look for ways to partner. Clinical experiences are governed by a Memorandum of Understanding with each partner school corporation to identify the desired outcome of the collaboration for the cooperating school and the teacher education unit. (2) The systematic clinical experiences provided to candidates contribute significantly to making program completers classroom-ready. All teacher candidates participate in field experiences that provide robust opportunities to develop as effective practitioners. Our strong clinical component gives teacher candidates the opportunity to integrate theory into practice, to develop and test classroom management and pedagogical skills, to hone their use of evidence in making professional decisions about practice, and to understand and integrate the

standards of their professional community. (3) We have identified specific courses in the general education portion of our program to provide an appropriate background across the P-12 school curriculum. Further, all special education majors are encouraged to choose a content minor. We have revamped the program, to allow room for a content minor within our 120-credit hour limit for a degree. (4) All teacher candidates are required to take an introductory course in instructing exceptional students. Additionally, the elementary and early childhood candidates take a course that provides strategies for teaching students with exceptional needs. (5) Currently, candidates are briefly introduced to providing instruction to limited English proficient students in EDUC 221 Diversity and Equity in Education, a course required in all programs. All elementary candidates take a course that addresses this need. We are in the process of developing a plan to include modules in other programs to address teaching limited English proficient students. (6) All licensure candidates are required to complete a course addressing equity and diversity in the education setting. A critical component of this course addresses the impact of socioeconomic status and the needs of students and families with low income. Primary criteria used when identifying partners for clinical experiences are Title I status and the socio-economic status and demographics of the population served by the institution. (7) Our clinically based approach to teacher preparation provides prospective teachers with opportunities to explore providing instruction to students from low-income families and to teach effectively in urban and rural schools. Candidates are placed within schools throughout the tri-state area (SW Indiana, SE Illinois and NW Kentucky). These schools reflect the socio-economic classifications and diversity of the communities within the urban, suburban or rural location in which they are located. Department policy mandates that teacher candidates have diverse field experiences. Candidates have ample opportunities to reflect upon and discuss their experiences in P-12 schools with their peers and their professors.

SECTION II: ANNUAL GOALS

Annual Goals: Mathematics

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

>> Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2024-25)

>> Review Current Year's Goal (2025-26)

>> Set Next Year's Goal (2026-27)

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

Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2024-25)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in mathematics in 2024-25?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2024-25 blank (or clear responses already entered).

- ( ) **Yes**
- (•) **No**

2. Describe your goal.

3. Did your program meet the goal?

- ( ) **Yes**
- ( ) **No**

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

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

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

Review Current Year's Goal (2025-26)

7. Is your program preparing teachers in mathematics in 2025-26? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ( ) Yes
- (•) No

8. Describe your goal.

Set Next Year's Goal (2026-27)

9. Will your program prepare teachers in mathematics in 2026-27? If no, leave the next question blank.

- (•) Yes
- ( ) No

10. Describe your goal.

Our goal is to prepare 1 mathematics teacher.

SECTION II: ANNUAL GOALS

Annual Goals: Science

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

>> Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2024-25)

>> Review Current Year's Goal (2025-26)

>> Set Next Year's Goal (2026-27)

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

- Quantifiable Goals

Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2024-25)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in science in 2024-25?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2024-25 blank (or clear responses already entered).

- (●) **Yes**
- ( ) **No**

2. Describe your goal.

To prepare 1 science teacher in the post-graduate program

3. Did your program meet the goal?

- (●) **Yes**
- ( ) **No**

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

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

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

Review Current Year's Goal (2025-26)

7. Is your program preparing teachers in science in 2025-26? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ( ) Yes
- (•) No

8. Describe your goal.

Set Next Year's Goal (2026-27)

9. Will your program prepare teachers in science in 2026-27? If no, leave the next question blank.

- (•) Yes
- ( ) No

10. Describe your goal.

To prepare 1 science teacher in the post-graduate program

SECTION II: ANNUAL GOALS

Annual Goals: Special Education

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

- Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2024-25)
- Review Current Year's Goal (2025-26)
- Set Next Year's Goal (2026-27)

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

Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2024-25)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in special education in 2024-25?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2024-25 blank (or clear responses already entered).

- ( ) **Yes**
- (•) **No**

2. Describe your goal.

3. Did your program meet the goal?

- ( ) **Yes**
- ( ) **No**

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

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

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

Review Current Year's Goal (2025-26)

7. Is your program preparing teachers in special education in 2025-26? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ( ) Yes
- (•) No

8. Describe your goal.

Set Next Year's Goal (2026-27)

9. Will your program prepare teachers in special education in 2026-27? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ( ) Yes
- (•) No

10. Describe your goal.

SECTION II: ANNUAL GOALS

Annual Goals: Instruction of Limited English Proficient Students

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

- Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2024-25)
- Review Current Year's Goal (2025-26)
- Set Next Year's Goal (2026-27)

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(§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

Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2024-25)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2024-25?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2024-25 blank (or clear responses already entered).

- ( ) **Yes**
- (•) **No**

2. Describe your goal.

3. Did your program meet the goal?

- ( ) **Yes**
- ( ) **No**

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

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

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

Review Current Year's Goal (2025-26)

7. Is your program preparing teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2025-26? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ( ) Yes
- (•) No

8. Describe your goal.

Set Next Year's Goal (2026-27)

9. Will your program prepare teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2026-27? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ( ) Yes
- (•) No

10. Describe your goal.

SECTION III: PROGRAM PASS RATES

Assessment Pass Rates

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>> Assessment Pass Rates

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

- Pass rate
- Scaled score
- Teacher credential assessment

Assessment Pass Rates

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5246 -CHEMISTRY Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2024-25	1			
ETS5624 -PRINC LEARNING AND TEACHING 7-12 Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2024-25	1			

SECTION III: PROGRAM PASS RATES

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Summary Pass Rates

Group	Number taking tests	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
All program completers, 2024-25	1		

SECTION IV: LOW-PERFORMING

Low-Performing

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>> Low-Performing

Provide the following information about the approval or accreditation of your teacher preparation program. **(§205(a)(1)(D), §205(a)(1)(E))**

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

Low-Performing

1. Is your teacher preparation program currently approved or accredited?

- (●) Yes
- ( ) No

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

- [x] State
- [x] CAEP
- [ ] AAQEP
- [ ] Other specify:

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

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>> Use of Technology

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

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

Use of Technology

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

   Does your program prepare teachers to:

   a. **integrate technology effectively into curricula and instruction**

   - (●) **Yes**
   - ( ) **No**

   b. **use technology effectively to collect data to improve teaching and learning**

   - (●) **Yes**
   - ( ) **No**

   c. **use technology effectively to manage data to improve teaching and learning**

   - (●) **Yes**
   - ( ) **No**

   d. **use technology effectively to analyze data to improve teaching and learning**

   - (●) **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.**

   In USI's teacher preparation programs, faculty balance technology with content and knowledge, focus on context, emphasize classroom practice, and use appropriate technology tools for different tasks. All classrooms have a Promethean® Board; one classroom has an Epson® projector that converts a white board to an interactive board. Additionally, the Teacher Education Department has a classroom set of iPads®, a classroom response system set, several webcams, and a few Flip® cameras. Most area P- 12 schools have interactive boards, 1-to-1 programs, and use Google® Classroom. We started using GoReact for distance supervision. In all programs, technology is embedded and modeled throughout. All education courses use Blackboard® to provide syllabi, class materials, and gradebook access. Most courses also use Tk20, the data management software used for key assessments. Tk20 is also used for submission of materials such as the formal application for admission to teacher education. Other popular technology used in classes include using the internet for research and Microsoft® Office suite. The EPP lesson plan template used in all analysis methods courses and student teaching requires students to include "flexible plans for using technology." If the use of contemporary technology is included in a lesson plan, teacher candidates add an addendum in which they modify at least one activity to describe how they would use the activity if technology were not available. If the plan does not include the use of technology, teacher candidates add an addendum in which they modify at least one activity to include the meaningful and appropriate use of contemporary technology. During student teaching, teacher candidates submit a technology survey each week identifying ways they used technology to enhance teaching and learning. Further, in the student teaching seminar course, candidates complete an impact on student learning project. In the project, candidates compile data and display student assessment data digitally.

SECTION VI: TEACHER TRAINING

Teacher Training

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>> Teacher Training

Provide the following information about your teacher preparation program. **(§205(a)(1)(G))**

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

Teacher Training

1. **Provide a description of the activities that prepare general education teachers to:**

   a. **Teach students with disabilities effectively**

   All candidates take at least one class in teaching children with exceptional needs. All lesson plans include a section on how the candidate plans to differentiate the lesson to meet the needs of students including accommodations and modifications specific to IEPs.

   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.***

   All candidates are provided an orientation to developing IEPs in the introduction to special education class with opportunities to review recorded IEP meetings.

   c. **Effectively teach students who are limited English proficient.**

   All candidates take a class titled Diversity and Equity in Education. In this course candidates critique lesson plans and books to determine the extent to which multicultural standards of engagement are addressed.

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**

   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.***

   c. **Effectively teach students who are limited English proficient.**

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.

The post-graduate option is not available for early childhood, elementary or special education. Degree-holders who wish to be licensed in early childhood education, elementary education, or special education must complete a second baccalaureate degree with the appropriate major. The University of Southern Indiana offers the following post-baccalaureate options to a baccalaureate graduate who wishes to teach secondary (grades 5-12) or all grades (grades P-12) in a field that is the same as his/her major (e.g. a person has an undergraduate major in mathematics and he/she wishes to teach mathematics). Teaching fields for which this program is available include Biology/Life Science (grades 5-12), Chemistry (grades 5-12), Earth/Space Science (grades 5-12), English/Language Arts (grades 5-12), French (grades P-12), German (grades P-12), History (grades 5-12), Mathematics (grades 5-12), Physical Education (grades 5-12), Physics (grades 5-12), Spanish (grades P-12), and Visual Art (grades P-12). Those who do not have the equivalent of an undergraduate major in one of these fields must pursue a second degree with the chosen content major and an education minor. This non-degree program includes traditional daytime courses and extensive fieldwork that can only be completed when P-12 schools are in session.

Supporting Files

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