Survey Definition

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Teacher Preparedness

As the employer of [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME], we are interested in your views of the preparation of the teacher. TSPC and Oregon preparation programs are requesting that you complete the online survey to feedback on the continuous improvement of preparation programs in Oregon

The survey will take approximately 15-20 minutes

Thank you in advance for providing your valuable insights. Be assured that your responses to this survey will remain anonymous. A summary of the results will be shared with the Teacher Standards and Practices Commission and Oregon preparation programs.

If you have any questions, please contact
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Section 1

For each question or statement, please mark the response that best reflects your answer or opinion. Please try to answer all question accurately and completely with respect to your own experience and observations regarding [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME]. Only omit a question if absolutely necessary.
For each item below please indicate the extent to which you agree with that statement is true for [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME].

Question 1

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] was well prepared to start her/his first teaching assignment.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 2

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] had an effective induction program.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 3

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] received effective mentoring since she/he began teaching.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 4

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] knows how to teach her/his subject matter very well.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 5

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] knows and uses the state standards for instruction.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 6

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] knows how to design classroom assessments to reflect the state standards.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 7

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] plans instructions so that it is appropriate for the students^ development level.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 8

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] effectively engages students in planned learning activities.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 9

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] teaches students how to use technology-based applications to learn content.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 10

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] uses classroom-based formative assessments for instruction decision-making.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 11

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] uses district and state assessment results to inform instruction.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 12

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] uses problem-solving skills effectively to seek solutions for class issues.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 13

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] is able to work cooperatively with students^ parents and families to support student learning.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 14

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] works well with colleagues to support instruction.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 15

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME-SHORT]^s students are making satisfactory annual progress.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 16

Multiple Choice

[ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] knows how to access the resources and support she/he needs to succeed in the classroom.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 17

Multiple Choice

In view of my present knowledge, I would hire [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] again.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Section 2

For the following items please indicate how much you agree that [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] had a high level of expertise in each of the following aspects of instruction when she/he was first hired.

Question 1

Multiple Choice

Designing and implementing effective instruction.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 2

Multiple Choice

Knowledge of course / class content.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 3

Multiple Choice

Teaching reading and writing across content areas.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 4

Multiple Choice

Motivating students to learn.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 5

Multiple Choice

Integrating technology as part of instruction.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 6

Multiple Choice

Maintaining good discipline in the classroom.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 7

Multiple Choice

Creating a positive learning environment in the classroom.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 8

Multiple Choice

Professional behavior and ethics.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 9

Multiple Choice

Differentiating instruction to meet the individual student^s needs.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 10

Multiple Choice

Creating classroom assessments.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 11

Multiple Choice

Interpreting assessment results.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 12

Multiple Choice

Grading student work.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 13

Multiple Choice

Evaluating and reflecting upon her/his practice to improve instruction.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Question 14

Multiple Choice

Providing an environment to ensure all students can achieve at high levels.

1 Strongly Disagree
2 Disagree
3 Neither Agree or Disagree
4 Agree
5 Strongly Agree

Section 3

Please complete the following items

Question 1

Simple Response

During the past year, what percentage of [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME-SHORT]^s students were receiving ELL services ?

Question 2

Simple Response

During the past year, what percentage of [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME-SHORT]^s students were receiving special services ?

Question 3

Simple Response

During the past year, what percentage of [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME-SHORT]^s students economically disadvantaged ?

Question 4

Multiple Choice

During the past year, was [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] assigned to content area in which she/he was prepared ?

1 Yes

2 No

3 Don^t know

Question 5

Multiple Choice

During the past year, was [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] assigned to the authorization area in which she/he was prepared ?

1 Yes

2 No

3 Don^t know

Question 6

Multiple Choice

During the past year, how many times did you observe [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] in the classroom ?

1 0

2 1

3 2

4 3

5 4

6 5 or more

Question 7

Multiple Choice

During the past year, how many times did you informally observe [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] interacting with students ?

1 0

2 1

3 2

4 3

5 4

6 5 or more

Question 8

Multiple Choice

During the past year, how many times did you have conference(s) with [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME-SHORT] about her / his work ?

1 0

2 1

3 2

4 3

5 4

6 5 or more

Question 9

Multiple Choice

During the past year, how many times did you receive complaints or concerns about [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] ?

1 0
2 1
3 2
4 3
5 4
6 5 or more

Question 10

Multiple Choice - Simple Response

What is your current position ?

1 School principal
2 School assistant principal
3 Other position. Please specify

Section 4

Please answer the following questions in your own words.

Question 1

Constructed Response

What strengths and unique attributes does [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] possess that makes her / him well prepared to each effectively ?

Question 2

Constructed Response

What skills, abilities, knowledge or experiences would have made [ASSOCIATED ENTITY NAME] better prepared to begin teaching ?

Question 3

Constructed Response

Please provide us with any additional comments that you be usefule for the faculty and administrators of Oregon teacher preparation programs.

End of Survey Definition