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New Jersey City University

Traditional Report AY 2018-19

New Jersey

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STATUS: **CERTIFIED**

Institution Information

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

- [Academic year](#)
- [IPEDS ID](#)

IPEDS ID

185129

☐ THIS INSTITUTION HAS NO IPEDS ID

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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), Institution Information Postgraduate level (PG), or both.

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- [Teacher Preparation Program](#)

List of Programs

CIP Code	Teacher Preparation Programs	UG, PG, or Both	Update
13.121	Early Childhood Education	Both	
13.1202	Elementary Education	Both	
13.1	Special Education	Both	
13.1302	Teacher Education - Art	Both	
13.1322	Teacher Education - Biology	Both	
13.1323	Teacher Education - Chemistry	Both	
13.1337	Teacher Education - Earth Science	Both	
13.14	Teacher Education - English as a Second Language	Both	
13.1305	Teacher Education - English/Language Arts	Both	
13.1306	Teacher Education - Foreign Language	Both	
13.1307	Teacher Education - Health	Both	
13.1311	Teacher Education - Mathematics	Both	
13.1312	Teacher Education - Music	Both	
13.1329	Teacher Education - Physics	Both	
13.1318	Teacher Education - Social Studies	Both	

Total number of teacher preparation programs:

Program Requirements

Check the elements required for admission (entry) into and completion (exit) from the program. If programs are offered at the undergraduate level and postgraduate level, complete the table for both types of programs. [\(\\$205\(a\)\(1\)\(C\)\(i\)\)](#)

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- >> [Undergraduate Requirements](#)
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- >> [Supervised Clinical Experience](#)

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- [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

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	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Fingerprint check	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Background check	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Minimum number of courses/credits/semester hours completed	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Minimum GPA	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Minimum GPA in content area coursework	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Minimum GPA in professional education coursework	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Minimum ACT score	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Minimum SAT score	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Minimum basic skills test score	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Subject area/academic content test or other subject matter verification	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Recommendation(s)	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Essay or personal statement	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No

Element	Admission	Completion
Interview	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Other Specify: <div>edTPA</div>	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> 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.)

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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.)

3

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

Postgraduate Requirements

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.

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Transcript	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Fingerprint check	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
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Supervised Clinical Experience

Provide the following information about supervised clinical experience in 2018-19. ([§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	<div>105</div>
Number of clock hours required for student teaching	<div>525</div>

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	<div></div>
Number of years required for teaching as the teacher of record in a classroom	<div></div>

All Programs

Number of full-time equivalent faculty supervising clinical experience during this academic year (IHE staff)

9

[Optional tool](#) for automatically calculating full-time equivalent faculty in the system

Number of adjunct faculty supervising clinical experience during this academic year (IHE staff)

16

Number of cooperating teachers/K-12 staff supervising clinical experience during this academic year

119

Number of students in supervised clinical experience during this academic year

88

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

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))

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>> [Enrollment and Program Completers](#)

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- [Enrolled Student](#)
- [Program Completer](#)

Enrollment and Program Completers

2018-19 Total	
Total Number of Individuals Enrolled	186
Subset of Program Completers	81

Gender	Total Enrolled	Subset of Program Completers
Male	34	13
Female	152	68
Non-Binary/Other	0	0
No Gender Reported	0	0
Race/Ethnicity	Total Enrolled	Subset of Program Completers
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0
Asian	17	9
Black or African American	25	9
Hispanic/Latino of any race	68	28
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0
White	51	27

Race/Ethnicity	Total Enrolled	Subset of Program Completers
Two or more races	11	3
No Race/Ethnicity Reported	14	5

On this page, enter the number of program completers by the subject area in which they were prepared to teach, and by their academic majors. Note that an individual can be counted in more than one academic major and subject area. For example, if an individual is prepared to teach Elementary Education and Mathematics, that individual should be counted in both subject areas. If no individuals were prepared in a particular academic major or subject area, you may leave the cell blank. Please use the "Other" category sparingly, if there is no similar subject area or academic major listed. In these cases, you should use the text box to describe the subject area(s) and/or the academic major(s) counted in the "Other" category.

If your IHE offers both traditional and alternative programs, be sure to enter the program completers in the appropriate reports. For the traditional report, provide only the program completers in traditional programs within the IHE. For the alternative report, provide only the program completers for the alternative programs within the IHE.

After entering the teachers prepared data, save the page using the floating save box at the bottom of the page.

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

- Academic Major

THIS PAGE INCLUDES:

>> Teachers Prepared by Subject Area

>> Teachers Prepared by Academic Major

Teachers Prepared by Subject Area

Please provide the number of teachers prepared by subject area for academic year 2018-19.

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 2018-19

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	<div>29</div>
13.1202	Teacher Education - Elementary Education	<div>12</div>

CIP Code	Subject Area	Number Prepared
13.1203	Teacher Education - Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education	
13.1210	Teacher Education - Early Childhood Education	37
13.1301	Teacher Education - Agriculture	
13.1302	Teacher Education - Art	1
13.1303	Teacher Education - Business	
13.1305	Teacher Education - English/Language Arts	7
13.1306	Teacher Education - Foreign Language	1
13.1307	Teacher Education - Health	1
13.1308	Teacher Education - Family and Consumer Sciences/Home Economics	
13.1309	Teacher Education - Technology Teacher Education/Industrial Arts	
13.1311	Teacher Education - Mathematics	6
13.1312	Teacher Education - Music	4
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	3
13.1320	Teacher Education - Trade and Industrial	
13.1321	Teacher Education - Computer Science	
13.1322	Teacher Education - Biology	2
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	<input type="text"/>
13.14	Teacher Education - English as a Second Language	<input type="text" value="1"/>
13.99	Education - Other Specify: <input type="text" value="Teacher Education - Secondary Education"/>	<input type="text" value="6"/>

Teachers Prepared by Academic Major

Please provide the number of teachers prepared by academic major for academic year 2018-19. 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?

Do participants earn a degree upon completion of the program?

- ☒ Yes
- ☐ No

☐ No teachers prepared in academic year 2018-19

If your program 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	<input type="text" value="29"/>
13.1202	Teacher Education - Elementary Education	<input type="text" value="12"/>
13.1203	Teacher Education - Junior High/Intermediate/Middle School Education	<input type="text"/>
13.1210	Teacher Education - Early Childhood Education	<input type="text" value="37"/>
13.1301	Teacher Education - Agriculture	<input type="text"/>
13.1302	Teacher Education - Art	<input type="text"/>
13.1303	Teacher Education - Business	<input type="text"/>
13.1305	Teacher Education - English/Language Arts	<input type="text"/>
13.1306	Teacher Education - Foreign Language	<input type="text"/>
13.1307	Teacher Education - Health	<input type="text"/>

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
13.1308	Teacher Education - Family and Consumer Sciences/Home Economics	<input type="text"/>
13.1309	Teacher Education - Technology Teacher Education/Industrial Arts	<input type="text"/>
13.1311	Teacher Education - Mathematics	<input type="text"/>
13.1312	Teacher Education - Music	<input type="text"/>
13.1314	Teacher Education - Physical Education and Coaching	<input type="text"/>
13.1315	Teacher Education - Reading	<input type="text"/>
13.1316	Teacher Education - General Science	<input type="text"/>
13.1317	Teacher Education - Social Science	<input type="text"/>
13.1318	Teacher Education - Social Studies	<input type="text"/>
13.1320	Teacher Education - Trade and Industrial	<input type="text"/>
13.1321	Teacher Education - Computer Science	<input type="text"/>
13.1322	Teacher Education - Biology	<input type="text"/>
13.1323	Teacher Education - Chemistry	<input type="text"/>
13.1324	Teacher Education - Drama and Dance	<input type="text"/>
13.1328	Teacher Education - History	<input type="text"/>
13.1329	Teacher Education - Physics	<input type="text"/>
13.1331	Teacher Education - Speech	<input type="text"/>
13.1337	Teacher Education - Earth Science	<input type="text"/>
13.14	Teacher Education - English as a Second Language	<input type="text"/>
13.99	Education - Other Specify: <div>Teacher Education - Secondary Education</div>	6 <input type="text"/>
01	Agriculture	<input type="text"/>
03	Natural Resources and Conservation	<input type="text"/>
05	Area, Ethnic, Cultural, and Gender Studies	1 <input type="text"/>
09	Communication or Journalism	<input type="text"/>

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
11	Computer and Information Sciences	<input type="text"/>
12	Personal and Culinary Services	<input type="text"/>
14	Engineering	<input type="text"/>
16	Foreign Languages, Literatures, and Linguistics	4 <input type="text"/>
19	Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Sciences	<input type="text"/>
21	Technology Education/Industrial Arts	<input type="text"/>
22	Legal Professions and Studies	<input type="text"/>
23	English Language/Literature	11 <input type="text"/>
24	Liberal Arts/Humanities	<input type="text"/>
25	Library Science	<input type="text"/>
26	Biological and Biomedical Sciences	2 <input type="text"/>
27	Mathematics and Statistics	8 <input type="text"/>
30	Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies	<input type="text"/>
38	Philosophy and Religious Studies	<input type="text"/>
40	Physical Sciences	1 <input type="text"/>
41	Science Technologies/Technicians	<input type="text"/>
42	Psychology	5 <input type="text"/>
44	Public Administration and Social Service Professions	<input type="text"/>
45	Social Sciences	<input type="text"/>
46	Construction	<input type="text"/>
47	Mechanic and Repair Technologies	<input type="text"/>
50	Visual and Performing Arts	5 <input type="text"/>
51	Health Professions and Related Clinical Sciences	1 <input type="text"/>
52	Business/Management/Marketing	<input type="text"/>
54	History	4 <input type="text"/>

CIP Code	Academic Major	Number Prepared
99	Other Specify: <div></div>	<div></div>

Respond to the following assurances. Note: 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

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:
- Our curriculum, which is evaluated and revised as needed, annually includes lessons in teaching students with special needs, English Language Learners, in a variety of school districts and socioeconomic areas. We use the CAEP Accreditation Standards to ensure the quality of our program in meeting these assurances.

Annual Goals: Mathematics

Each institution of higher education (IHE) that conducts a traditional teacher preparation program (including programs that offer any ongoing professional development programs) or alternative route teacher preparation program, and that enrolls students receiving Federal assistance under this Act, shall set annual quantifiable goals for increasing the number of prospective teachers trained in teacher shortage areas designated by the Secretary or by the state educational agency, including mathematics, science, special education, and instruction of limited English proficient students.

[\(\\$205\(a\)\(1\) \(A\)\(i\), \\$205\(a\)\(1\)\(A\)\(ii\), \\$206\(a\)\)](#)

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Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2018-19)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in mathematics in 2018-19?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2018-19 blank (or [clear responses already entered](#)).

☒ Yes

☐ No

2. Describe your goal.

Add 15 prospective math teachers.

3. Did your program meet the goal?

☐ Yes

☒ No

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

NJCU applied for and was awarded a NOYCE Grant, which is specifically for teacher training in the STEM fields. This grant will attract additional teacher candidates in the area of Mathematics. The grant covers tuition in full, and provides generous living expenses so that students can focus on their

academics. Additionally, the College of Education is working to build greater awareness around the benefits of the federal TEACH grant, in which we participate. This provides full tuition funding in high need, teacher shortage areas, one of which includes Mathematics.

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

Our students would benefit from additional support in mastering mathematics content knowledge, as shown by their performance on the Praxis and edTPA assessments. We plan to add an additional mathematics course for intended education majors in fall 2020 which should help to give our students a better foundation in this subject area.

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

Enrollment in teacher education programs has decreased since the State of New Jersey mandated in 2015 that all teacher candidates must pass a test of basic skills, either through performance on the SAT or the Praxis Core. We are seeking to improve performance on the Praxis Core through additional foundational coursework in writing and math, tutoring, and mentorship of teacher candidates. This, in turn, should improve recruitment and retention in all teacher shortage areas.

Review Current Year's Goal (2019-20)

7. Is your program preparing teachers in mathematics in 2019-20? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

8. Describe your goal.

Increase the number of prospective math teachers prepared by 17% (1 teacher).

Set Next Year's Goal (2020-21)

9. Will your program prepare teachers in mathematics in 2020-21? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

10. Describe your goal.

Increase the number of prospective math teachers prepared by 17% (1 teacher).

Annual Goals: Science

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Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2018-19)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in science in 2018-19?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2018-19 blank (or [clear responses already entered](#)).

☒ Yes

☐ No

2. Describe your goal.

Add 20 prospective science teachers.

3. Did your program meet the goal?

☐ Yes

☒ No

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

NJCU applied for and was awarded a NOYCE Grant, which is specifically for teacher training in the STEM fields. This grant will attract additional teacher candidates in the science areas (Biology, Chemistry, Phycis and Earth and Environmental Sciences. The grant covers tuition in full, and

provides generous living expenses so that students can focus on their academics. Additionally, the College of Education is working to build greater awareness around the benefits of the federal TEACH grant, in which we participate. This provides full tuition funding in high need, teacher shortage areas, one of which includes the sciences.

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

Our students would benefit from additional support in mastering mathematics content knowledge, as shown by their performance on the Praxis Core assessment. We plan to add an additional mathematics course for intended education majors in fall 2020 which should help to give our students a better foundation in this subject area and better prepare them for their science coursework.

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Review Current Year's Goal (2019-20)

7. Is your program preparing teachers in science in 2019-20? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

8. Describe your goal.

Increase number of potential science teachers prepared by 33% (1 student).

Set Next Year's Goal (2020-21)

9. Will your program prepare teachers in science in 2020-21? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

10. Describe your goal.

Increase number of potential science teachers prepared by 33% (1 student).

Annual Goals: Special Education

Each institution of higher education (IHE) that conducts a traditional teacher preparation program (including programs that offer any ongoing professional development programs) or alternative route teacher preparation program, and that enrolls students receiving Federal assistance under this Act, shall set annual quantifiable goals for increasing the number of prospective teachers trained in teacher shortage areas designated by the Secretary or by the state educational agency, including mathematics, science, special education, and instruction of limited English proficient students.

[\(\\$205\(a\)\(1\) \(A\)\(i\), \\$205\(a\)\(1\)\(A\)\(ii\), \\$206\(a\)\)](#)

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Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2018-19)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in special education in 2018-19?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2018-19 blank (or [clear responses already entered](#)).

☒ Yes

☐ No

2. Describe your goal.

Add 50 prospective special education teachers.

3. Did your program meet the goal?

☐ Yes

☒ No

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

The College of Education is working on several dual and triple certification programs, all of which include the license for teaching students with special needs. These multiple certification programs will attract teacher candidates and ensure they are prepared to address the needs of P-12 special

education student populations. Additionally, the College of Education is working to build greater awareness around the benefits of the federal TEACH grant, in which we participate. This provides full tuition funding in high need, teacher shortage areas, one of which includes special education.

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

Enrollment in teacher education programs has decreased since the State of New Jersey mandated in 2015 that all teacher candidates must pass a test of basic skills, either through performance on the SAT or the Praxis Core. We are seeking to improve performance on the Praxis Core through additional foundational coursework in writing and math, tutoring, and mentorship of teacher candidates. This, in turn, should improve recruitment and retention in all teacher shortage areas.

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

Review Current Year's Goal (2019-20)

7. Is your program preparing teachers in special education in 2019-20? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

8. Describe your goal.

Increase number of potential special education teachers prepared by 10% (3 additional students).

Set Next Year's Goal (2020-21)

9. Will your program prepare teachers in special education in 2020-21? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

10. Describe your goal.

Increase number of potential special education teachers prepared by 10% (3 additional students).

Annual Goals: Instruction of Limited English Proficient Students

Each institution of higher education (IHE) that conducts a traditional teacher preparation program (including programs that offer any ongoing professional development programs) or alternative route teacher preparation program, and that enrolls students receiving Federal assistance under this Act, shall set annual quantifiable goals for increasing the number of prospective teachers trained in teacher shortage areas designated by the Secretary or by the state educational agency, including mathematics, science, special education, and instruction of limited English proficient students.

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Report Progress on Last Year's Goal (2018-19)

1. Did your program prepare teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2018-19?

If no, leave remaining questions for 2018-19 blank (or [clear responses already entered](#)).

☒ Yes

☐ No

2. Describe your goal.

15 prospective teachers.

3. Did your program meet the goal?

☐ Yes

☒ No

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

The College of Education is working on a triple certification programs, all of which includes the ESL license which prepares teacher candidates to

address the needs of English Language Learners. This triple certification program will attract teacher candidates and ensure they are prepared to address the needs of P-12 English Language Learner student populations. Additionally, the College of Education is working to build greater awareness around the benefits of the federal TEACH grant, in which we participate. This provides full tuition funding in high need, teacher shortage areas, one of which includes ESL certification. Lastly, the department of Multicultural Education offers their ESL program on site in neighboring P-12 schools.

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

Enrollment in teacher education programs has decreased since the State of New Jersey mandated in 2015 that all teacher candidates must pass a test of basic skills, either through performance on the SAT or the Praxis Core. We are seeking to improve performance on the Praxis Core through additional foundational coursework in writing and math, tutoring, and mentorship of teacher candidates. This, in turn, should improve recruitment and retention in all teacher shortage areas.

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

Review Current Year's Goal (2019-20)

7. Is your program preparing teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2019-20? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

8. Describe your goal.

Increase number of potential teachers prepared by 100% (1 student)

Set Next Year's Goal (2020-21)

9. Will your program prepare teachers in instruction of limited English proficient students in 2020-21? If no, leave the next question blank.

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

10. Describe your goal.

Increase number of potential teachers prepared by 100% (1 student)

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- [Teacher credential assessment](#)

Assessment Pass Rates

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5134 -ART CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	2			
ETS5134 -ART CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	1			
ETS5134 -ART CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	4			
ETS5134 -ART CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	1			
ETS0235 -BIOLOGY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	7			
ETS0235 -BIOLOGY CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	3			

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, 2016-17	2			
ETS5101 -BUSINESS ED CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	1			
ETS5022 -EARLY CHILDHOOD CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	3			
ETS5022 -EARLY CHILDHOOD CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	1			
ETS5022 -EARLY CHILDHOOD CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	6			
ETS5022 -EARLY CHILDHOOD CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	14	173	14	100
ETS5025 -EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	25	161	15	60
ETS5025 -EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	23	165	22	96
ETS5025 -EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	41	163	39	95
ETS5025 -EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	43	163	43	100
ETS5571 -EARTH AND SPACE SCIENCES - CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	2			
ETS5571 -EARTH AND SPACE SCIENCES - CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS5571 -EARTH AND SPACE SCIENCES - CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	1			
ETS5003 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	7			
ETS5003 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	8			

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5003 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	18	169	18	100
ETS5003 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ MATHEMATICS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	16	167	15	94
ETS5033 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ MATHEMATICS (DISC) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS5033 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ MATHEMATICS (DISC) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	1			
ETS5002 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ READING LANG ARTS Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	7			
ETS5002 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ READING LANG ARTS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	8			
ETS5002 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ READING LANG ARTS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	17	165	17	100
ETS5002 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ READING LANG ARTS Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	16	163	16	100
ETS5032 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ READING LANG ARTS (DISC) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	1			
ETS5005 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SCIENCES Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	7			
ETS5005 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SCIENCES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	8			
ETS5005 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SCIENCES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	18	170	18	100
ETS5005 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SCIENCES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	16	168	16	100
ETS5035 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SCIENCES (DISC) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	1			
ETS5004 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	7			

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ETS5004 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	8			
ETS5004 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	17	160	16	94
ETS5004 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SOCIAL STUDIES Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	16	165	15	94
ETS5034 -ELEM ED MULTI SUBJ SOCIAL STUDIES (DISC) Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	1			
ETS5038 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	2			
ETS5038 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	6			
ETS5038 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	5			
ETS5038 -ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CK Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	3			
ETS0435 -GENERAL SCI CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	8			
ETS0435 -GENERAL SCI CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	5			
ETS0435 -GENERAL SCI CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	2			
ETS0435 -GENERAL SCI CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	4			
ETS5161 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	10	152	3	30
ETS5161 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	6			
ETS5161 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	4			

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS5161 -MATHEMATICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	10	170	10	100
ETS0113 -MUSIC CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	2			
ETS0113 -MUSIC CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	6			
ETS0113 -MUSIC CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	4			
ETS0113 -MUSIC CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	4			
ACT1005 -OPI ENGLISH American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Langua Other enrolled students	1			
ACT1005 -OPI ENGLISH American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Langua All program completers, 2018-19	1			
ACT1005 -OPI ENGLISH American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Langua All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ACT1018 -OPI SPANISH American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Langua All program completers, 2017-18	2			
ACT1018 -OPI SPANISH American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Langua All program completers, 2016-17	1			
ETS5265 -PHYSICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			
ETS5265 -PHYSICS CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	1			
ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) Other enrolled students	9			
ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	4			
ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	1			

Assessment code - Assessment name Test Company Group	Number taking tests	Avg. scaled score	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
ETS0081 -SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT KNOWLEDGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	8			
ETS5195 -SPANISH WORLD LANGUAGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2018-19	1			
ETS5195 -SPANISH WORLD LANGUAGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2017-18	2			
ETS5195 -SPANISH WORLD LANGUAGE Educational Testing Service (ETS) All program completers, 2016-17	1			
ACT2004 -WPT ENGLISH American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Langua All program completers, 2018-19	1			
ACT2004 -WPT ENGLISH American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Langua All program completers, 2017-18	1			

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Summary Pass Rates

Group	Number taking tests	Number passing tests	Pass rate (%)
All program completers, 2018-19	62	61	98
All program completers, 2017-18	86	84	98
All program completers, 2016-17	103	103	100

Low-Performing

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

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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:

- ☒ State
- ☒ CAEP
- ☐ AAQEP
- ☐ Other specify:

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

- ☐ Yes
- ☒ No

On this page, review the questions regarding your program's use of technology. If you submitted an IPRC last year, this section is pre-loaded from your prior year's report; please review and update as necessary.

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Use of Technology

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

Does your program prepare teachers to:

a. integrate technology effectively into curricula and instruction

- ☒ 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.

Technology is integrated throughout the teacher education curriculum. Teacher candidates are expected to demonstrate the effective use of technology via lesson plan assignments, and that they know how to use technology to increase learning. Use of technology is also assessed during the clinical component of candidate preparation. Processes have been developed to track candidate performance via People Soft software used university-wide. In addition, software programs (EAB) used to facilitate and document student advisement have been recently employed. TK20 is currently used to collect and analyze student assessment data, and provides students with an electronic forum for their portfolios. The laboratory school at NJCU is also well-equipped with assistive technology, which teacher candidates have access to. Additionally, our general education program was recently revised and employs greater use of various technologies. Teacher candidates are also exposed to effective and proven educational apps that can be integrate into classroom instruction. The College of Education also has access to a Promethean Board to expose teacher candidates to their effective use in P12 classrooms. We are currently working on redesigning our assistive technology credential, ensuring it is current and will assist teacher candidates in meeting the diverse needs of P-12 learners through the use of multiple technologies available in the field. Lastly, teacher candidates in New Jersey are required to submit the edTPA assessment for certification. This assessment includes a heavy technology component, which the college helps prepare teacher candidates to manage.

Provide the following information about your teacher preparation program.

[\(§205\(a\)\(1\)\(G\)\)](#)

Teacher Training

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

a. Teach students with disabilities effectively

Addressing the needs of students with disabilities is integrated throughout the curriculum of all initial general education teacher preparation courses (e.g. Challenges in Urban Education, Introduction to Early Childhood, and Psychological & Educational Needs of the Exceptional Child). In the last year, we have developed additional coursework in these areas: MCC Civil Debate in Contentious Times, which directly addresses the needs of diverse student populations in highly urbanized settings, and Differentiating Instruction, which is designed to meet the wide variety of instructional needs of diverse student bodies in urban schools. Additionally, NJCU has a laboratory school for students with special needs. All teacher candidates have access to the school and the various technologies available within the school.

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*.

Teacher candidates in our general education programs have opportunities to learn about individualized education plans. Students also learn about individualized education programs in the course Psychological and Educational Needs of the Exceptional Child. Additionally, teacher candidates have the opportunity to learn about individualized education programs throughout their Clinical Practice I and Clinical Practice II experiences. Finally, candidates have the opportunity to work with in-service teachers to gain insight on the process of developing individualized education plans in actual classroom settings.

c. Effectively teach students who are limited English proficient.

Linguistic diversity is addressed through the literacy requirements of initial general education teacher preparation programs. Addressing the needs of diverse language learners is also integrated throughout the curriculum in education programs. Issues relevant to linguistic diversity are introduced in Challenges in Urban Education. Teacher candidates gain further insight in Differentiated Instruction for teaching culturally and linguistically diverse students.

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

Addressing the needs of students with disabilities is integrated throughout the entire curriculum of the special education teacher preparation program. Linguistic diversity is embedded throughout the curriculum and addressed in the Elementary and Reading Language Workshop. The Diversity and Difference course, or its advised alternative Civil Debate in Contentious Times, directly addresses the needs of diverse student populations in highly urbanized settings. Additionally, NJCU has a laboratory school for students with special needs. All teacher candidates have access to the school and the various technologies available within the school.

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*.

Teacher candidates in our special education program are provided multiple opportunities to learn about individualized education programs throughout the full curriculum. Teacher candidates have the opportunity to learn about individualized education programs throughout their Clinical Practice I and Clinical Practice II in inclusive education experiences. Teacher candidates have the opportunity to work with in-service teachers to gain insight on the process of developing individualized education plans in actual classroom settings. Additionally, special attention is given to IEPs in the special education dual certification programs. We have also increased field hours in special needs settings for our teacher candidates. We are developing several additional dual and triple certification programs that include special education as one of the certification areas.

c. Effectively teach students who are limited English proficient.

Linguistic diversity is explored in the literacy requirement of the initial special education teacher preparation program. Addressing the needs of linguistically diverse students and individual learner needs is integrated throughout the curriculum in this program.

Contextual Information

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Contextual Information

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The mission of the College of Education is to prepare caring, knowledgeable teachers who are responsive to a diverse student population, and are willing and able to promote social justice. There is particular focus on the needs of urban learners in P-12 settings and providing advocacy for all students, but particularly traditionally under-served populations. The college recently had a successful accreditation site visit. We have taken the areas for improvement very seriously and have established committees and task forces to address each area. Several innovative initiatives are underway, including one dedicating to recruiting African American males into teacher preparation programs. We are in the process of revising our assessment system. We have increased our staff to include a data analyst and we utilize TK20 to gather and analyze assessment data and student learning outcomes. Lastly, the state of New Jersey Report indicates that candidates trained at NJCU have one of the highest persistence/retention rates in the field, particularly in high-need urban areas, over the course of the candidates first 3 years.

Supporting Files

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Certification of submission

☒ I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information in this report is accurate and complete and conforms to the definitions and instructions used in the *Higher Education Opportunity Act, Title II: Reporting Reference and User Manual*.

NAME OF RESPONSIBLE REPRESENTATIVE FOR TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAM:

Dr. Deborah Woo

TITLE:

Interim Dean, College of Education

Certification of review of submission

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NAME OF REVIEWER:

Liz Hickey

TITLE:

Data Analyst