### **IHE Bachelor Performance Report**

## East Carolina University 2014 - 2015

#### Overview of the Institution

<u>ECU</u> has a proud heritage with a mission of teaching, research, and service. Its commitment to the region is an expression of its motto, "*Servire*," or To Serve. Chartered in 1907as East Carolina Teachers Training School (ECTTS), ECU has continually served the region with quality and commitment. In 1972, ECU joined the UNC System, becoming the third largest university in the system, and the College of Education (COE) is its founding college. The UNC System requires constituent institutions who prepare educators to be nationally accredited.

The <u>Mission Statement</u> was revised in 2014 to reflect ECU's goal "To be a national model for student success, public service and regional transformation." ECU is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) to award baccalaureate, master's, and doctoral degrees. ECU's conceptual framework for preparing education professionals focuses on empowering all learners in all educational endeavors and achieving excellence through partnership.

The EPP unit at ECU consistently produces the most educational professionals in the state annually. Many graduates teach and lead in the eastern part of NC within The Walter and Daisy Carson Latham Clinical Schools Network (LCSN) and continue to be valued partners with the EPP and ECU Pirate Nation. In 2009, the COE was awarded an \$8.9 million Teacher Quality Partnership (TQP) grant from the US Department of Education to reform teacher preparation and impact school reform. Several TQP reforms are innovations in the EPP's Pirate CODE, Transformation Initiative. In 2010, the American Association of Colleges of Teacher Education (AACTE) awarded the Edward C. Pomeroy Award for Outstanding Contributions to Teacher Education to the editorial team of the *Journal of Curriculum and Instruction* (JoCI), a COE-supported online journal. More recently, the teacher preparation programs at ECU were studied as part of a Spencer Foundation project on high data use institutions.

#### **Special Characteristics**

In February 2015, ECU hosted its continuing CAEP accreditation visit following the Transformation Initiative (TI )pathway, one of only nine institutions' nationally to pursue this accreditation route. ECU's TI, the Pirate CODE, included a series of coordinated curricular and clinical practice innovations, including: video grand rounds, core instructional strategies, instructional coaching support, co-teaching, and edTPA as a performance assessment. Preliminary findings from the visit gave ECU the highest marks on its TI; final findings will be determined at the CAEP board meeting in October 2015.

In summer 2015, Dean Linda A. Patriarca, dean of the ECU College of Education since 2008 will return to faculty. Dr. B, Grant Hayes will join the ECU College of Education July 30, 2015 as its new dean.

#### **Program Areas and Levels Offered**

East Carolina University\* offers 21 initial teacher preparation programs and 25 advanced preparation programs covering 35 different areas of licensure and two add-on areas (academically gifted and reading). ECU has approved programs in B-K, Elementary, Middle Grades (four areas), Secondary Education (four areas), 15 K-12 teaching areas (art, dance, health, music, physical education, theatre arts, three second languages, six exceptional children areas), and one workforce development education area. In addition, eight Special Services Personnel programs are offered (School Counselor, School Social Worker, School Administrator-Superintendent, School Administrator-Principal, Speech-Language Pathologist, School Psychologist, ITS—Computers, Media Coordinator).

\*As of this report's writing, the University of North Carolina General Administration had recently handed down program closures to its constituent institutions. ECU's program offering, as listed above, is accurate for academic year 2014-15.

# I. SCHOOL/COLLEGE/DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (SCDE) INITIATIVES

# A. Direct and Ongoing Involvement with/and Service to the Public Schools

LEAs/School s with whom the Institution Has Formal Collaborative Plans	Priorities Identified in Collaboration with LEAs/Schools	Name of Partnership Activity	Activities and/or Programs Implemented to Address the Priorities	Start and End Dates	Number of Participants	Sun of
Broadway Elementary School, Broadway, N.C.	Promotion of reading     Global literature     Writing - Transposing     of stories into plays	School of Theater and Dance - ECU - Storybook Theatre	Skyping Activity:  1. Presentation by ECU Theatre Education and Theatre for Youth of Storybook Theatre based on tales from around the world 2. Presentation of Arts Research projects by Broadway Elementary students to ECU students.	Fall 2014- Spring 2015	35	ECU Broad Schoot the fa 2015 Aroud diffetime. favor select Elem presected colled
Belvoir Elementary School	1.Writing - introduction to playwriting 2. Introduction to character development, costume design, set design 3. Oral presentation skills	ECU School of Theatre and Dance - Storybook Theatre - Young Playwright's Project	ECU School of Theatre and Dance Theatre Education and Theatre for Youth students conducted workshops for the Young Playwright's Project at Belvoir Elementary School during the Fall 2014 semester and Spring 2015 semester.	Fall 2014- Spring 2015	35	Stude Elem plays and s plays prese creat
PW Moore Elementary School	1. Promoting Reading2. Storybook Theatre presentation of identified books for book celebration event	ECU School of Theatre and Dance - Storybook Theatre	ECU School of Theatre and Dance Theatre Education and Theatre for Youth students prepared video recordings of theatre presentation of three books for Media Coordinator, Jill S. Turner at PW Moore elementary School, Elizabeth City, N.C.	FEbruary 12, 2015- February 24th, 2015	15 - but shown to school and community	The adram Story Thea Ocea Fish' Fish' Coor stude a rea which them

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	1. Reading					class
	2. Literature					scho
	3. Performance of					prod
	literature					Little
	4. Research and		ECU Storybook Theatre			Islan
Pitt County,	compilation of study		students research and			Story
Beaufort	guides for "The Little		prepared study guides for			each
County	Prince" and Treasure	ECU Storybook	teachers K-2, 3-5, 6-8th		800 at "The	regai
Schools Nash	Island"	Theatre -	grades for the following	E 11 201 4	Little Prince"	desig
Rocky Mount,	5. Discussion with	School of	productions:	Fall 2014-	and 1,000 at	the to
Craven	students following each	Theatre and	"The Little Prince"	Srong	"Treasure	publi
County	performance	Dance	"Treasure Island"	2015	Island"	teach
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			ECU Storybook Theatre			speci
		ECU School of	presented "Global Tales			held
		Theatre and	from Around the World" at			sessi
Beaufort,	1. Reading	Dance -	the Librarian to Librarian			perfo
Nash, Craven,	2. Literature dramatization	Storybook	Networking Summit at	February		dram
Pitt Counties	for the stage	Theatre	ECU Joyner Library.	21st	35	class
			ECU Storybook Theatre			
			students performed "Tales			
			from Around The World for			
			teachers, students, and			
			family members for Belvoir Elementary School's			
			"Bedtime for Belvoir"			
			reading event. Students			
			return to school after hours			
			dressed in pajamas to hear			ECU
		ECU School of	and see Storybook Theatre			perfo
		Theatre and	perform stories for a			Arou
Belvoir	1. Promoting reading2.	Dance -	"bedtime story". Students			stude
Elementary	Global literature3.	Storybook	bring their siblings and	April 16,	400	mem
School	Dramatization of literature	Theatre	parents to the event.	2015	100	wide
	Davalanment of tacabar		eBook integrated in curriculum			
	Development of teacher candidates in Business,		Research conducted			ISLE
DH Conley &	Marketing, and		Proposal Submission			resea
JH Rose	Information Technologies	TQP - ISLES	Data analysis	08/2014	08/2015	publi
3 = 2 = 3 = 3			Storybook Theatre	25.2011		Facili
			performed two shows at			
			Wahl-Coates Elementary			
			School on April 23rd, 2015			Chile
1			- "Tales from Around the			parti
						-
Wahl Coates			World" which included			show
Wahl Coates Elementary School	Promotion of reading and global literature	Storybook Theatre	World" which included multicultural tales, songs and poetry	4/23 - 4/23, 2015	100	show the V ECU

		Atlantic Coast				Conf
		Business,				train
	Software training for	Marketing, and				teach
	teachers dealing with IT	Information				com
	and Instructional	Technology				recei
	Strategies.Expose teachers	Education	Workshops and conference			educ
	to new and emerging	Conference	sessions for 150 teachers in	08/2014 -		towa
Multiple	technologies.	(ACBMITE)	North Carolina	03/2015	150	licen
•		,	Teacher candidates			
			complete an ISLES Module			
			on CTSOs.			
			Teacher candidates			
			complete an assignment			
	ECU teacher candidates		dealing with the			
	learn and evaluate CTSOs		development and			Teac
	(Career and Technical		implementation of CTSOs			deep
	Student Organizations).		in K12 schools.			unde
	ECU teacher candidates in		Teacher candidates			are p
Latham	BITE evaluate the FBLA		participate in a synchronous			the f
Clinical	competition submissions.		virtual video chat regarding			advis
Schools	Both the Web Design and		CTSOs.			knov
Network and	Ecommerce projects were	FBLA	Teacher candidates evaluate	02/2015 -		evalu
beyond	evaluated.	Competition	FBLA competition entries.	04/2015	20	proc
beyond	evaluated.	Competition	TBLA competition entries.	04/2013	20	proc
			The Third Street			
			Community Choir was			
			established in January 2015.			
	Create an opportunity for		Choir rehearsals were held			
	middle school students in		on Monday nights from			
	the community to sing in		4:30-6:00 at the Third Street			
	an after school choir.		Community Center. All			
Third Street	Create an opportunity for		rehearsals were led by			Afte
Community	choral music education	Third Street	choral music education			rehea
Center, Pitt	majors to lead rehearsals	Community	majors enrolled in MUSC			Com
County	in an after school choir.	Choir	3287 and MUSC 3247.	1/15-5/15	20	a con
County	in an area sensor enon.	Chon	3207 and WOSC 3247.	1/13 3/13	20	a coi
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	The Kids Music after		Students in grades 3-5			Mus
	school music program was		attend the Kids Music			after
	created as a teaching lab		program on the campus of			durir
	for music education		ECU. Kids Music meets on			Mus
	majors enrolled in MUSC		Monday afternoons from			enro
	3237. The Kids Music		4:30-5:30 during the fall			all K
	program serves as an after		semester. Music education	September		final
	school music enrichment	Kids Music	majors enrolled in MUSC	2014-		in No
Pitt County	program for students in	After School	3237 lead all Kids Music	November		what
Schools	grades 3-5.		rehearsals.	2014	20	
Schools	grades 3-5.	Program	rehearsals.	2014	20	learı

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			Over 300 students from Pitt			Over
			County Schools arts			Coun
			programs visited campus in			progr
			March to learn more about			Marc
			arts education programs			arts e
			offered at ECU. Students			offere
			were given the opportunity			were
			to participate in art, theatre,			to par
			dance, and music classes,			dance
			attend rehearsals, talk with			attend
Pitt County		Arts Education	admissions counselors, and	March		admi
Schools	Pitt County Schools	Day	tour the campus.	2015	Over 300	tour t
			Teachers and community			Teacl
			members from Pitt County			meml
			Schools were invited to			School
			attend a free workshop on			attend
			beginning ukulele. Master			begin
			teachers were invited to			teach
	Teachers and community		campus to provide a			camp
	members from Pitt County Schools were invited to	East Carolina	workshop experience for			work
Pitt County	attend a free workshop on	Ukulele	beginning ukulele teachers, students, and community	September		begin
Schools	beginning ukulele.	Workshop	members.	2015	110	stude mem
Schools	beginning ukurere.	Workshop	members.	2013	110	IIICIII
			Youth Expressions Art			
			Project is collaboration			
			between the Pitt County			This
			Schools, the Greenville			paren
	The purpose of this		Police Department, and the			pleas
	project is to encourage		School of Art and Design.			in the
	and develop		During 2014-2015 the East			Desig
	interdisciplinary art		Carolina University NC			outco
	projects that can be		Space Grant Collaborative			stude
	exhibited in a public		played a larger role in			School and o
	space. The goal is to		funding the activity. During the fall semester and			
	develop community-wide excitement about		working with art education			were work
	interdisciplinary visual		students and faculty			2014
	media and celebrate		members from across the			proje
	student learning. A		university, the art education			exhib
	priority is to encourage		faculty members developed			Art a
	young learners to	Youth	a suggested exhibition			Green
	visualize the future. The	Expressions	theme and curriculum for			serve
Pitt County	theme of this year's	Interdisciplinar	art works that will be	September	300 young	comn
Public	exhibition was "Out of	y Art Project	displayed in the spring	2014-April	students and	Expre
Schools	Space."	and Exhibition	exhibition.	2015	20 teachers	Art P

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						their
						demo
			The ECU/PCS AIG			learn
			Summer Camp met July 7-9			their
			from 7:45am to noon and		104 paid Pitt	know
			July 10 from 7:45am to		County AIG	chara
			5pm. Camp staff also met		Campers, 4	child
			for 2.5 hours on July 6 for		Pitt County	ment
	#1 Provide an enrichment-		an organizational meeting.		AIG Campers	PCS
	based summer camp		AIG campers took two		receiving	demo
	experience for AIG		courses of their choosing		scholarships	effec
	students in Pitt County #2		and participated in large		for	for re
	Provide a course		group sessions with the		participation,	ECU
	practicum experience for		master teachers. The camp	July 6-12,	2 ECU faculty	instru
	ECU students to		provides a practicum	2014	members, 4	profe
	familiarize them with		experience for the ECU	Planning	Pitt County	camp
	characteristics of gifted		students as the PCS master	occurred	Faculty	totale
	students and teaching		teachers demonstrate	August	members, 85	hours
~	experiences for working	ECU/PCS AIG	effective methods for	2013-July	ECU licensure	week
Pitt County	with gifted children.	Summer Camp	teaching the gifted.	2014	students.	onlin
			Dartnership astablished to			
			Partnership established to provide professional			
			development in ESL for Pitt			Planr
			County teachers who wish			TESI
	Provide professional		to pursue add-on licensure			progr
	development in ESL for		in ESL. Courses may also	Start:		at thi
	Pitt County teachers who	ESL	be applied to the ESL strand	Summer 2	Approximatel	has y
Pitt County	wish to pursue add-on	Professional	in ELEM for the MAEd, or	2014 End:	y 20 planned	Cour
Schools	licensure in ESL.	Development	toward the MAEd in READ	Unknown	for first course	6100

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	We incorporate ECU					
	graduates working in Pitt					
	Co and surrounding					
	counties into					
	programming on campus					
	for our education students					
	to learn about teaching					
	and develop relationships					
	with current in-service		Beginning Educator Panel			
	teachers. KDP is		Fall 2014 - 7 recent ECU			
	partnering with Pitt Co		graduates from Pitt Co and			
	schools such as		surrounding counties came			
	Wintergreen and		to speak to education			
	Robinson to provide		majors from various			* 7
	service for Relay for Life		program areas about the			Very
	(spring 2015). We are		challenges of the first few			prog
	working to develop		years of teaching. This			teach
	partnerships with targeted low SES Pitt Co schools		event was co-sponsored by			for s
			the Elementary Education Club and over 50 students			smal
	to partner with on volunteer projects such as		were in attendance.			servi work
	tutoring, supply and food		Students have signed up to	Targeted		partr
Pitt County	drives, and others		assist WH Robinson and	start date		targe
Schools and	identified by schools (in		Wintergreen Schools with	will be fall		with
surrounding	planning stage Spring		the Pitt County Relay for	2015-	various by	SES
counties	2015).	Kappa Delta Pi	Life event in May 2015.	ongoing	event	date
			Members of the club	8.8		
			participated in Adopt a			
			School activities: created			
			posters for Career Week,			
			tutored individual students,			
			posters for Red Ribbon			
			Week, assisted with a local			
			visit from a published			
			author; Adopt a Teacher			
			activities: paired with a 5th			
			grade teacher at Ridgewood			
			to provide clerical			
			assistance and tutorial help			Men
	To provide opportunities		for given students;			valua
	for realistic experiences for pre-service teachers at		Backpack Pals: collected			field
	East Carolina University		and packed food for needy families over weekends;			profe
	in the Elementary	Elementary	Paired with KDP to host			gaine
	Education Club and	Education	teachers in the field as guest			child
	support for local	Adopts School	speakers for	Fall 2014-	varied by	partr
Pitt	schools/teachers/students.	and Teacher	members/education majors.	ongoing	activity	local
	and the second s			, <u>8</u>		Over
					106 ECU	their
Pitt, Greene,					students, 88	41 u
Beaufort,					PCS Clinical	were
Wayne,	Examine internship				Teachers, 61	teach
Lenoir,	practices for Senior 2				ECU faculty	use i
Martin,	ECU students through a		A 5 hour training session	Various	and University	resea
Edgecombe,	continuing 4th year pilot		was conducted for each	dates	Supervisors,	to stu
and Wilson	study on the effectiveness		participant in the co-	throughout	255 total	teach
Counties	of co-teaching	Co-teaching	teaching program	2014-2015	participants	of in

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Counties throughout NC, but mostly in eastern NC	#1 Provide an affordable professional development experience for NC teachers on effective practices for teaching gifted students #2 Provide an opportunity for teachers of the gifted to network with other teachers, administrators, and leaders in gifted education from around the state #3 Honor an outstanding teacher of the gifted with the Ann Harrison Service Award	AIG Conference	The 8th Annual ECU Gifted Conference was held on September 25, 2014 from 1-6 pm at the Murphy Center on the campus of East Carolina University. The conference included the NC State DPI AIG Coordinator and nationally-known keynote speaker, Ian Byrd, with a keynote titled "So Much More Than Smart Kids." There were 8 breakout sessions in addition to a DPI address on the state of the state and a keynote speech.	September 25, 2014 from 1-6 pm Planning occurred earlier	256 paid conference registrants, 30 free conference registrations for ECU students 10 speakers and ECU faculty 4 vendors = 300 total participants	300 padva educalso their
The Oakwood	Oakwood currently offers dance classes only for grades 5 and above, so our partnership focused on weekly lessons for students in grade 2. (The ECU dance education program created a partnership where faculty and students could engage in teaching dance to young people with the Oakwood School because there are no elementary dance programs in Pitt	Creative Dance	We created a Service Learning version of the course DNCE 2200 Creative Dance for the Elementary Schools. One day per week the students and professor traveled to Oakwood and led a creative dance lesson for the two second grade classes in partnership with the teachers. During our other class meeting each week we reflected on the lessons and engaged in collaborative	September -December	2 ECU students, 1 ECU faculty, 26 second grade students, 3 Oakwood	We t the C integ (Crea Resp with scien and I studi Wolf ECU the p their Thea of the conti
School	County.)	Lessons	planning for future lessons.	2014	faculty	Fall

#### A. Brief description of unit/institutional efforts to promote SBE priorities.

For the 2014-15 report, briefly describe your current efforts or future plans to respond to the recent legislative provisions below.

a) All candidates are prepared to use digital and other instructional technologies to provide high-quality, integrated digital teaching and learning to all students.

For all Initial Licensure Teacher Candidates:

- 1) All students must meet basic technology competencies prior to admission to the teacher education program.
- 2) All teacher education candidates complete an educational technology course, EDTC 4001 or content-specific educational technology course, which includes:
  - a. Digital teaching and the application of using technologies to support instruction and assessment.
  - b. Technology integration required in methods courses beginning in Junior year.
  - c. TPACK lesson plan requirement (EE9) required in all educational technology courses.
- 3) Use of emerging technologies in planning, instruction, and assessment in junior and senior methods courses (e.g., SMART technology, Edmodo, Socrative, Glogster, Weebly and iPads as teaching tools).
  - a. Forthcoming Edthena video annotation
  - b. Emerging technologies identified in partnership with Latham Clinical Schools Network partners and through ongoing conversations with regional technology directors, including site-visits to schools.

SmartBoard Seminar provided for MAT students

IHAT (Irene Howell Assistive Technology) Center Professional Development Sessions

- a. Professional development sessions are offered on an open enrollment basis for all teacher education majors. All non-Special Education teacher candidates take 1-3 sessions on assistive technology through two courses common to all majors: EDTC 4001 and SPED 4010/4020. (Special Education candidates take an average of ten to fourteen assistive technology sessions in the SPED course of study).
- 6) SmartBoard technology integrated into classes and physical classrooms on campus.
- 7) All initial teacher candidates are required to complete electronic portfolios as part of their edTPA portfolio submission.

ECU has fully implemented the edTPA in all program areas. All candidates in all program areas are now using TaskStream to upload and manage their teacher education program and licensure evidences. In addition, faculty and clinical teachers are also using TaskStream to review and provide feedback on candidate work in courses and in the field.

Overall, the ECU teacher preparation programs use a three-tiered approach to technology instruction and integration:

- 1) All teacher education students at ECU are required to take and pass a basic technology skills course, or to pass a challenge exam for the course in order to be officially admitted into the program.
- 2) All students must take and pass an Educational Technology course where the student learns to integrate technology into teaching; use technology tools to manage, analyze and assess the data of their students; and to modify instruction based on the data. This includes utilizing TaskStream and the various software packages related to their content area; SMART boards, some assistive technologies, and commercial reading programs such as READ 3D/Dibbles, et cetera.
- 3) During student teaching, candidates put number two above into practice throughout their student teaching experience. As part of the edTPA, candidates prepare a unit of instruction; administer an assessment on the content of the unit; analyze the data for student pre-understandings and/or misconceptions; teach the unit (modified based on assessment information); administer the post-test; analyze the data for ratio of student and class gains versus losses, and answer faculty-directed reflection questions about the process, the need to re-teach, and how the student would modify the unit for the next time that it is taught. Technology tools are used to accomplish many of these requirements, such as the use of SMART boards for instruction, READ 3D, laptops, Chromebooks, e-textbooks and Google Docs for shared learning.

### Program Specific Technology Competencies and experiences:

- 1) In the History Education/Social Studies Education program area, inclusion of technology standards is a required component of standard HIED lesson planning and unit planning documents.
- 2) In the Reading program area, each course includes digital teaching and the application of using technologies to support instruction and assessment.
- 3) In the Special Education program area:
  - a. Each SPED course embeds between one and three professional development sessions about instructional technology and/or assistive technology that are specifically aimed at integrating universal design for learning principles into instructional planning and practices.
  - b. The SPED 4000 course includes the application of assistive technologies to support assessment and instruction.

### For Candidates in other Educator Preparation Programs:

MSA candidates are provided instruction on instructional technologies and strategies to enhance the K-12 student learning experience. MSA candidates are taught the various funding sources to acquire hardware and software products in order to allow teachers to utilize these tools in the classroom. Additionally, MSA faculty have received a six hour training session with the international company 2Revolutions, regarding the "next generation of learners."

#### For all Teacher Education and Educator Preparation Faculty:

1) College of Education leadership members received an overview of Home Base and Power School. Several sessions have been provided to faculty as a basis introduction on integrating

- understanding, as well as the use of these public school products into our preparation programs.
- 2) All faculty who are teaching instructional methods courses are expected to maintain NC teaching licensure which will include the new digital learning requirements.
- 3) All faculty teaching online are required to complete online teaching professional development and/or modules annually as a part of the institution's SACS accreditation.
  - b) Assess elementary and special education: general curriculum candidates prior to licensure to determine that they possess the requisite knowledge in scientifically based reading and mathematics instruction that is aligned with the State Board's expectations. Describe your efforts for ensuring candidates are prepared for the new Foundations of Reading and General Curriculum licensure exams effective October 1, 2014.

Reading Instruction for Candidates in Elementary Education and Special Education:

- 1) All Elementary Education and Special Education General Curriculum candidates are required to take two reading methods courses as part of their degree program:
  - a. READ 3301 Reading Instruction in the Primary Grades, 3 s.h., includes a practicum experience.
  - b. READ 3302 Reading Instruction in the Intermediate Grades, 3 s.h., includes a practicum experience.
- 2) In addition, Elementary Education and Special Education Adapted Curriculum candidates may elect to add North Carolina Reading Licensure to their degree by completing an additional six courses in reading/literacy.
- 3) mClass Reading 3D instruction is embedded in the reading/literacy coursework that Elementary Education and Special Education General Curriculum candidates must take in their degree programs.
- 4) Candidates are provided the opportunity to use Pearson practice tests that are available online, to gauge their knowledge for both components of the required new Foundations of Reading (FoR) and General Curriculum subtests. Test preparation modules were created in Blackboard to support candidates in the FoR and math subtest areas. Test preparation Modules designed by ECU faculty to align coursework with FoR are available for ELEM and SPED candidates.
- 5) Elementary Education candidates are required to take a Language Arts Methods course as part of their degree program. For Elementary candidates, this course is connected with a K-2 practicum course.
  - a. ELEM 3200 Language Arts in Elementary School, 3 s.h.
  - b. ELEM 3300 K-2 Practicum, 3 s.h.
- 6) Special Education General Curriculum candidates are required to earn dual licensure in reading and Special Education General Curriculum. For Special Education General Curriculum, additional coursework in Language Arts Methods is required.

7) Elementary Education candidates also have the option of a READ concentration or MATH concentration (18 s.h.). These concentrations include both content and methods courses in the designated areas.

Mathematics Instruction for Candidates in Elementary Education and Special Education:

- 1) Special Education General Curriculum, Special Education Adapted Curriculum and Elementary Education candidates are required to take college algebra and three content pedagogy courses:
  - a. MATE 3050. Mathematics and Methods for Grades Pre-K-2 (3) (F,S,SS)
  - b. MATE 3051. Field Experience in Mathematics Grades K-2 (1) (F,S,SS)
  - c. MATE 3060. Mathematics and Methods for Grades 3-6 (4)
- 2) The mathematics education faculty have developed MATE 5251; a course developed to assist candidates with deepening their understanding of mathematics concepts.
- 3) Elementary Education candidates also have the option of a MATH concentration (18 additional hours). The concentration includes both content and methods courses in the designated areas.
  - c) Candidates (preparing to teach in elementary schools) are prepared to apply formative and summative assessments within the school and classroom setting through technology-based assessment systems available in North Carolina schools that measure and predict expected student improvement.

#### For all Initial Licensure Teacher Candidates:

- 1) Candidates will be given experience with a variety of formative and summative assessments. Candidates will develop the ability to use a variety of assessment measures, including appropriate diagnostic and remedial procedures in a clinical or field-based setting, skills in using recent research data in assessment and planning for reading instruction; and understanding of issues, trends, and research in reading.
- 2) All teacher preparation programs integrate assessment in all methods coursework. Candidates take methods in Reading, Science, Social Studies, Mathematics, Educational Technology, Art, Music, Health, Physical Education, and Language Arts.
- 3) Candidates take an Education Psychology course that includes focus on assessment.

Program Specific preparation in formative and summative assessments for candidates preparing to teach in elementary schools:

- 1) Reading Education:
  - a. Many Elementary Education majors complete an academic concentration (18 s.h.) in reading, which leads to an add-on licensure in that area. All Special Education General Curriculum majors are required to earn add-on licensure in reading as part of their program of study.
  - b. Elementary Education majors who do not select reading as an academic concentration, complete a minimum of 9 s.h. in reading-content coursework.

c. ECU Reading Faculty members are trained to use mClass Reading 3D and will model the use of this tool and other appropriate tools in required reading/literacy coursework.

#### 2) Special Education:

- a. SPED Teacher Candidates are given experience with a variety of formative and summative assessments through embedded unit planning assignments during the sophomore, junior and senior years. SPED Candidates complete:
  - i) SPED 3001 Assessing Students with Disabilities; Eligibility and Curriculum Assessments
  - ii) SPED 3004 Managing the Learning Environment; Behavioral Assessments
  - iii) SPED 3005 Introduction to Unit Planning Assignments and Assessments
  - iv) SPED 3100/09-3200/09 Methods Practicum Unit Planning Assignment and Assessments
  - v) SPED 4000 Technology in Special Education; Assistive Technology Evaluations
  - vi) SPED 4320 Senior Internship edTPA; Senior Summative Assessment Integrated Formative and Summative Assessments and Reflective Analysis
  - vii) SPED 4324 Senior Internship Unit Plan during full teaching days

#### 3) Elementary Education:

- a. From the ECU Teacher Quality Partnership Grant, the ISLES modules series has been developed and specifically addresses formative and summative assessment in the classroom. Those modules are embedded in key courses beginning in junior semester and concluding in senior semester.
- b. mClass/Read 3D is a technology based reading assessment program. Implementation of the assessment and interpretation of the data collected are part of required coursework.
- c. Elementary Education candidates are required to take and pass the NCEL tests for initial licensure.

# d. Candidates (preparing to teach in elementary schools) are prepared to integrate arts education across the curriculum.

Candidates in Elementary Education are prepared to:

- a. Integrate arts education across the curriculum through the successful completion of the following required courses:
  - ART 3850 Art in the Elementary School (3)
  - MUSC 3048 Music for Exceptional Children (2)
- b. Create thematic learning segments designed to integrate arts and music as learned in the above two noted courses. Through multiple field placements prior to student teaching, candidates observe, assist, and teach with licensed teachers who integrate the arts in their classrooms.

## II. CHARACTERISTICS OF STUDENTS

# A. Headcount of students formally admitted to and enrolled in programs leading to licensure.

	Full T	ime		
	Male		Female	
Undergraduate	American Indian/Alaskan Native	1	American Indian/Alaskan Native	4
	Asian/Pacific Islander	7	Asian/Pacific Islander	5
	Black, Not Hispanic Origin	13	Black, Not Hispanic Origin	68
	Hispanic	7	Hispanic	10
	White, Not Hispanic Origin	169	White, Not Hispanic Origin	792
	Other	2	Other	9
	Total	199	Total	888
Licensure- Only	American Indian/Alaskan Native		American Indian/Alaskan Native	1
	Asian/Pacific Islander		Asian/Pacific Islander	
	Black, Not Hispanic Origin	2	Black, Not Hispanic Origin	9
	Hispanic		Hispanic	3
	White, Not Hispanic Origin	10	White, Not Hispanic Origin	38
	Other		Other	
	Total	12	Total	51
	Part T	'ime		
	Male		Female	
Undergraduate	American Indian/Alaskan Native		American Indian/Alaskan Native	1
	Asian/Pacific Islander	1	Asian/Pacific Islander	2
	Black, Not Hispanic Origin		Black, Not Hispanic Origin	7
	Hispanic		Hispanic	3
	White, Not Hispanic Origin	12	White, Not Hispanic Origin	69
	Other		Other	
	Total	13	Total	82
Licensure- Only	American Indian/Alaskan Native		American Indian/Alaskan Native	4
	Asian/Pacific Islander	1	Asian/Pacific Islander	4
	Black, Not Hispanic Origin	28	Black, Not Hispanic Origin	123
	Hispanic		Hispanic	10
	White, Not Hispanic Origin	109	White, Not Hispanic Origin	466
	Other	2	Other	8
	Total	140	Total	615

## B. Lateral Entry/Provisionally Licensed Teachers Refers to individuals employed by public schools on lateral entry or provisional licenses.

Program Area	Number of Issued Program of Study Leading to Licensure	Number Enrolled in One or More Courses Leading to Licensure
Prekindergarten (B-K)	21	14
Elementary (K-6)	27	56
Middle Grades (6-9)	64	109
Secondary (9-12)	39	92
Special Subject Areas (k-12)	29	48
Exceptional Children (K-12)	41	85
Vocational Education (7-12)	42	49
Special Service Personnel	0	3
Total	263	456
Comment or Explanation:		

# C. Quality of students admitted to programs during report year.

	Baccalaureate		
MEAN SAT Total	1,178.45		
MEAN SAT-Math	569.82		
MEAN SAT-Verbal	568.91		
MEAN ACT Composite	25.62		
MEAN ACT-Math	25.00		
MEAN ACT-English	24.91		
MEAN PPST-Combined	527.04		
MEAN PPST-Reading	179.94		
MEAN PPST-Writing	176.38		
MEAN PPST-Math	179.62		
MEAN CORE-Combined	488.28		
MEAN CORE-Reading	179.17		
MEAN CORE-Writing	170.12		
MEAN CORE-Math	169.38		
MEAN GPA	3.32		
Comment or Explanation:			
*-Less than five scores reported.			

# D. Program Completers (reported by IHE).

Program Area	Baccalaureate Degree		Undergraduate Licensure Only	
PC Completed program but has not applied for or is not eligible to apply for a license LC Completed program and applied for license	PC	LC	PC	LC
Prekindergarten (B-K)	5	15	1	9
Elementary (K-6)	74	123	4	36
Middle Grades (6-9)	4	24	6	31
Secondary (9-12)	6	47	5	38
Special Subject Areas (K-12)	41	136	1	16
Exceptional Children (K-12)	6	41	1	57
Vocational Education (7-12)		3		11
Special Service Personnel				
Total	133	389	18	198
Comment or Explanation:				

## E. Scores of student teachers on professional and content area examinations.

	2013 - 2014 Student Teacher Licensure Pass Rate			
Specialty Area/Professional Knowledge	Number Taking Test	<b>Percent Passing</b>		
Art	1	*		
Business Education	11	100		
Elementary Education (grades K-6)	293	99		
English	8	100		
Family and Consumer Sciences	7	100		
French	1	*		
Health and Physical Education	1	*		
Middle Grades – Language Arts	8	100		
Middle Grades – Math	9	100		
Middle Grades – Science	12	100		
Middle Grades – Social Studies	3	*		
Marketing Education	1	*		
Math (grades 9-12)	6	100		
Music	1	*		
Physical Education	5	100		
Science (grades 9-12)	11	91		
Social Studies (grades 9-12)	4	*		
Spanish	1	*		
Special Education: Adapted Curriculum	16	100		
Special Education: General Curriculum	48	100		
Institution Summary	447	99		

Comments: Numbers reflect traditional and alternative students (Lateral Entry)

<sup>\*</sup> To protect confidentiality of student records, mean scores based on fewer than five test takers were not printed.

# F. Time from admission into professional education program until program completion.

		Ful	l Time			
	3 or fewer semesters	4 semesters	5 semesters	6 semesters	7 semesters	8 semesters
Baccalaureate degree	81	193	71	13	6	5
U Licensure Only	11	3				
		Par	t Time			
	3 or fewer semesters	4 semesters	5 semesters	6 semesters	7 semesters	8 semesters
Baccalaureate degree	2	2	33	2	1	
U Licensure Only	104	40	40	5	3	5
Comment or Ex	planation					

# **G.** Undergraduate program completers in NC Schools within one year of program completion.

2013-2014		<b>Student Teachers</b>	<b>Percent Licensed</b>	<b>Percent Employed</b>
Bachelor Institu	tion	677	96	69
Bachelor State		4,369	92	63

H. Top10 LEAs employing teachers affiliated with this college/university. Population from which this data is drawn represents teachers employed in NC in 2014-2015.

LEA	Number of Teachers
Pitt Co Schs	1,098
Wake Co Schs	1,086
Johnston Co Schs	559
Wayne Co Schs	492
Craven Co Schs	403
Beaufort Co Schs	332
Lenoir Co Schs	329
Nash-Rocky Mt Schs	319
Onslow Co Schs	301
Carteret Co Schs	268

I. Satisfaction of program completers/employers with the program in general and with specific aspects of the program, as rated on a 1 (lowest) to 4 (highest) scale.

## **III. Teacher Education Faculty**

Appointed full-time in professional education	Appointed part-time in professional education, full-time in institution	Appointed part-time in professional education, not otherwise employed by institution
135	92	45