

**William Paterson University
Office of Field Experiences
Principal Feedback on Pre-Service Student Preparedness
Fall, 2007**

1. Are you a WPU Alum?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	30	32.6	33.7	33.7
	No	59	64.1	66.3	100.0
	Total	89	96.7	100.0	
Missing	-1	3	3.3		
Total		92	100.0		

2. Would you be interested in a closer partnership with WPU?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	62	67.4	77.5	77.5
	No	18	19.6	22.5	100.0
	Total	80	87.0	100.0	
Missing	-1	12	13.0		
Total		92	100.0		

3. Would you be willing to speak to a class or serve on a panel?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	59	64.1	71.1	71.1
	No	24	26.1	28.9	100.0
	Total	83	90.2	100.0	
Missing	-1	9	9.8		
Total		92	100.0		

4. Are you aware that WPU regularly offers a Substitute Seminar?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	23	25.0	27.1	27.1
	No	62	67.4	72.9	100.0
	Total	85	92.4	100.0	
Missing	-1	7	7.6		
Total		92	100.0		

5. Are you aware that WPU regularly offers an Institute for Novice Teachers and Mentors?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	33	35.9	38.4	38.4
	No	53	57.6	61.6	100.0
	Total	86	93.5	100.0	
Missing	-1	6	6.5		
Total		92	100.0		

Please indicate the number of student teachers in your building during the last year	1-4	N	56
Please indicate the number of student teachers in your	5-9	N	10
Please indicate the number of student teachers in your	10 and over	N	5

The questions below refer to your overall experiences with student teachers from WPU

	Exemplary	Very Good	Satisfactory	Needs Improvement	Unacceptable	Total	
	5	4	3	2	1	N	Mean
	N	N	N	N	N	N	
1. Adapted instruction to individual differences	16	47	14	1	0	78	4.00
2. Demonstrated mastery of content knowledge	24	41	15	3	0	83	4.04
3. Incorporated New Jersey Core Curriculum Standards	30	41	12	0	1	84	4.18
4. Incorporated appropriate pedagogical knowledge	22	45	16	1	0	84	4.05
5. Utilized a variety of traditional and authentic assessments	18	38	20	1	0	77	3.95
6. Employed the lesson planning process appropriately	31	38	12	0	0	81	4.23
7. Held high expectations for all students	36	33	14	1	0	84	4.24
8. Respected diversity and cultural differences	41	35	7	0	0	83	4.41
9. Demonstrated an openness to learning new ideas	49	26	10	0	0	85	4.46
10. Reflected upon teaching	28	41	10	0	0	79	4.23
11. Exemplified high professional and ethical standards	45	30	9	1	0	85	4.40
12. Demonstrated effective communication skills	24	48	8	2	0	82	4.15
13. Created a safe environment	41	34	9	0	0	84	4.38
14. Managed the learning environment effectively	11	23	32	14	1	81	3.36
15. Developed a sense of community	21	39	17	0	0	77	4.05
16. Posed questions which required critical thinking	17	36	25	3	0	81	3.83
17. Taught for understanding	22	39	22	1	0	84	3.98
18. Worked collaboratively with colleagues and families	32	35	11	1	0	79	4.24
19. Demonstrated resourcefulness	29	35	18	2	0	84	4.08
20. Demonstrated an interest in applying new technologies	24	34	17	2	0	77	4.04

Based on scale where 1=Unacceptable, 2=Needs Improvement, 3=Satisfactory, 4=Very Good, 5=Exemplary

21. Do our pre-service students positively impact the learning of the students in your school? if yes, please describe/give examples.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	79	85.9	98.8	98.8
	No	1	1.1	1.3	100.0
	Total	80	87.0	100.0	
Missing	-1	12	13.0		
Total		92	100.0		

23. Overall, do you believe our pre-service students are adequately prepared to be effective teachers in today's classrooms?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	80	87.0	96.4	96.4
	No	3	3.3	3.6	100.0
	Total	83	90.2	100.0	
Missing	-1	9	9.8		
Total		92	100.0		

