

PROGRAM COMPLETION QUESTIONNAIRE
(Initial Teacher Certification Programs)
William Paterson University
College of Education

Date: _____

Certification:

Semester

- Fall
 Spring

- Undergrad
 Post-Bac
 MAT
 Visiting
 In-Service

PDS

- Yes
 No

- Art
 P-3
 P-3/K-5
 K-5
 K-5/5-8
 K-5/SPED
- K-12/SPED
 English
 Foreign Language
 Math
 Music
 PE

- Science
 School Nurse
 Social Studies

Directions: Your evaluation of the initial certification program will help us determine the strengths and weaknesses of that program. Please completely fill in the appropriate circles on the rating scale below. You may use a pen or pencil.

	Strongly Agree 5	Agree 4	Not Sure 3	Disagree 2	Strongly Disagree 1
1. I am prepared to adapt instruction for special needs and limited English students	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2. I was adequately prepared to teach content	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3. I am prepared to integrate NJ core curriculum content standards and/or EC Expectations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
4. I am prepared to implement a variety of instructional strategies including cooperative and collaborative learning	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
5. I am prepared to assess students' learning using a variety of assessment strategies	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
6. I am prepared to use the lesson planning process effectively	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
7. I learned to hold high expectations for all students to learn	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8. I am prepared to teach in a manner respectful and appreciative of diverse cultures	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
9. I learned to be open to new ideas and become a lifelong learner	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
10. I have developed a thoughtful educational philosophy based on reflective teaching practice	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
11. I learned to conduct myself in a professional and ethical manner	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
12. I learned to communicate effectively	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
13. I learned to create a physically and psychologically safe learning environment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
14. I am prepared to guide and manage classroom behavior	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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15. I learned to develop a sense of community in the learning environment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
16. I am prepared to use critical thinking strategies across content areas	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
17. I am prepared to focus my instruction on P-12 student learning outcomes to teach for understanding	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
18. I am able to work collaboratively with colleagues and families	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
19. I learned to be resourceful	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
20. I am prepared to integrate technology into instructional activities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
21. I received adequate advisement from my education advisor	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
22. I was well supervised in my practicum field experience(s)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
23. I was well supervised in my student teaching field experience(s)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
24. I received sufficient career development information	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
25. The faculty was knowledgeable, supportive and responsive	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
26. I was well prepared to take the praxis exam (s)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
27. I was adequately informed about procedures for certification	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
28. Preparing my portfolio helped me reflect on my professional preparation and prepare for my job search	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

29. Are you interested in pursuing a graduate degree or additional certifications/endorsements?

- Yes No

If yes, please fill in areas of interest:

- Special Education Library Media Specialist Social Studies Language Arts
 ESL/Bilingual Learning Technologies Counseling Educational Leadership
 Reading Math Early Childhood

30. Comment on the strengths of the certification program, especially those items you have rated "Strongly Agree:"

31. Comment on aspects of the certification program that need improvement, especially those items you have rated "Strongly Disagree:"
