



Accountability System for Educator Preparation (ASEP) Principal Appraisal of First-Year Teachers

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This report presents results from the principal survey of first-year teachers. In this survey, principals describe the preparation of teachers in six categories of practices. Principals complete surveys for first-year teachers who graduated at any time during the 5 years prior to the reporting period and who taught in the Texas public school system for a minimum of 5 months during the reporting period.

Percentages note the percent of teachers prepared by an EPP who received an average score of Sufficiently Prepared or Well Prepared when all applicable questions were averaged, and within each of the six categories. The overall percentage serves as indicator 2 of the Accountability System for Educator Preparation (ASEP) Accountability Performance Indicators. The percentages within each category are Consumer Information, required by the Texas Education Code. Due to teachers having strengths in different areas and the way the overall indicator is computed, the percentages in the six categories cannot be expected to average to the overall proficiency standard. For details about the survey, visit: <https://tinyurl.com/ydy335z8>

EPP Score: 75

EPP Type: Alternative

Graduates Rated (N): 53

State Average: 73

Region ESC: Edinburg

2017-18 Percentage of First Year Teachers Designated as Sufficiently or Well Prepared

Percentage of First Year Teachers Appraised as Sufficiently or Well Prepared from 2016 – 2018

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	N	2015-16	N	2016-17	N	2017-18
Indicator 2: Principal Appraisal of First-Year Teachers	58	84%	28	71%	53	75%
Classroom Environment	58	91%	28	86%	53	89%
Instruction	58	84%	28	82%	53	81%
Students with Disabilities	55	92%	25	76%	51	84%
English Language Learners	51	89%	27	81%	52	85%
Technology Integration	58	95%	28	93%	53	91%
Use Technology with Data	58	90%	28	86%	53	92%

Alternative - Institutions that offer teacher training that prepares individuals who already hold a baccalaureate degree. These providers include education service centers, school districts, private entities, community colleges, and universities.

Traditional - Institutions that offer teacher training that is part of an undergraduate degree program offered by colleges and universities.

Traditional/Alternative - Institutions that offer both Alternative and Traditional Teacher training.

Source: State Board for Educator Certification (<https://secure.sbec.state.tx.us/SBECOnline/approvedprograms.asp?s=3>)