CAEP Annual Report, 2025

Measure 2: Satisfaction of Employers and Stakeholder Involvement

A survey was sent to hiring administrators in partner school districts seeking information about the degree to which they are satisfied with the preparation of Western Oregon University educators. A total of eight responses were recorded judging the satisfaction of preparation of 68 teacher candidates who completed in 2023-2024, 2022-2023, or 2021-2022 (three most recent years available).

1. <u>The Learner and Learning</u>. How satisfied are you with new teachers prepared at Western, and their knowledge and skills associated with understanding learning development, learning differences, and different learning environments?

75% Highly Satisfied, 25% Somewhat Satisfied

2. Content Knowledge. How satisfied are you with new teachers prepared at Western, and their knowledge and skills associated with content knowledge and the application of content knowledge in teaching and learning settings?

63% Highly Satisfied, 37% Somewhat Satisfied

3. Instructional Practice. How satisfied are you with new teachers prepared at Western, and their knowledge and skills associated with understanding assessment practices, planning for instruction, and instructional strategies?

50% Highly Satisfied, 50% Somewhat Satisfied

4. Professional Responsibility. How satisfied are you with new teachers prepared at Western, and their knowledge and skills associated with professional learning, ethical practices, leadership, and collaboration?

63% Highly Satisfied, 37% Somewhat Satisfied

5. Overall Satisfaction of Preparation. As you think broadly about new teachers prepared at Western Oregon University, how satisfied are you with their overall preparation?

75% Highly Satisfied, 25% Somewhat Satisfied

6. Overall Satisfaction of Stakeholder Involvement. As you think about the relationship you have with Western Oregon University, how would you rate the degree to which you are satisfied with your ability to provide feedback, inform change, and improve the preparation of educators from Western?

88% Highly Satisfied, 12% Somewhat Satisfied