

GOVERNORS STATE UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES SECONDARY EDUCATION

Evaluation of Teacher Preparation Program in English

The student teacher should complete this questionnaire during the last two weeks of student teaching. The completed form should be submitted to the university supervisor.

Personal Data

Date of admission: _____ Date of graduation: _____

Major or academic option: _____

Present occupation (if any): _____

Location: _____

Coursework

As a result of course work, how well prepared am I in each of these subject areas? (Scale: 1 very well prepared; 2 well prepared; 3 somewhat prepared; 4 poorly prepared; NA not applicable).

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|---|---|---|---|---|----|-----|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 1. | English Literature I |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 2. | English Literature II |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 3. | American Literature I |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 4. | American Literature II |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 5. | World Mythology |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 6. | Introduction to Linguistics |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 7. | Modern English Grammar |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 8. | Major English Authors |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 9. | Major Black Authors |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 10. | Major American Authors |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 11. | Contemporary American Literature |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 12. | Children's/Young Adult Literature |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 13. | Bible as Literature |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 14. | Shakespeare's Plays |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 15. | Rhetorical Theory & Practice |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 16. | Foundations of Education |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 17. | Educational Psychology |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 18. | Survey of Exceptional Students |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 19. | Methods of English |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 20. | Developmental Reading in Middle & Secondary Schools |

Advising

21. I was advised of the condition of employment opportunities within teacher education at or near the beginning of my program.
- Strongly agree
 - Agree
 - Disagree
 - Strongly disagree
22. The advising process was clear and adequate.
- Strongly agree
 - Agree
 - Disagree
 - Strongly disagree
23. The advising process was efficient.
- Strongly agree
 - Agree
 - Disagree
 - Strongly disagree
24. When you sought departmental advisement by appointment, your assigned advisor was
- Usually available.
 - Sometimes available.
 - Seldom available.
 - Never available.
25. When you sought departmental counseling, your assigned advisor was
- Usually helpful and informed.
 - Sometimes helpful and informed.
 - Seldom helpful and informed.
 - Never helpful and informed.
26. How satisfactory was the assistance provided by your advisor?
- Very satisfactory
 - Moderately satisfactory
 - Not very satisfactory
 - Unsatisfactory

Teaching Skills and Pedagogy

Please rate your ability to:

- | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|----|-----|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 27. | Create a positive, diverse learning environment |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 28. | Address individual differences. |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | NA | 29. | Use a variety of instructional strategies. |

1	2	3	4	5	NA	30.	Use collaborative learning
1	2	3	4	5	NA	31.	Design curricula based on state and national standards.
1	2	3	4	5	NA	32.	Develop and assess curricula.
1	2	3	4	5	NA	33.	Use small groups to facilitate inquiry.
1	2	3	4	5	NA	34.	Organize classroom experiences effectively.
1	2	3	4	5	NA	35.	Use strategies that recognize multiple intelligence
1	2	3	4	5	NA	36.	Use a variety of technology
1	2	3	4	5	NA	37.	Use a variety of assessment strategies

Services and Facilities

38. How well were you served by the Registrar's Office?
- Very well
 - Adequately
 - Not very adequately
 - Inadequately
39. How satisfactory were the library facilities?
- Very satisfactory
 - Moderately satisfactory
 - Not very satisfactory
 - Unsatisfactory
 - I did not use the library
40. Were the library hours convenient?
- Very convenient
 - Moderately convenient
 - Not very convenient
 - Inconvenient
41. How convenient was the frequency of course offerings?
- Very convenient
 - Moderately convenient
 - Not very convenient
 - Inconvenient
42. Were the courses offered at convenient hours?
- Very convenient
 - Moderately convenient
 - Not very convenient
 - Inconvenient

Field Experiences (100 clock hours)

43. List and rank in order of importance what you consider the overall **strengths** of the pre-student teaching clinical experiences.

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Suggestions</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

44. List and rank in order of importance your suggestions for strengthening the pre-student teaching clinical experiences.

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Suggestions</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Practicum (Student Teaching)

45. List and rank in order of importance what you consider the overall strengths of the student teaching practicum.

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Comments</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

46. List and rank in order of importance your suggestions for strengthening the student teaching practicum.

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Comments</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Overall Estimates

Where appropriate, write your comments in the space provided under each question. Use the reverse side of the paper if necessary.

47. Indicate in order of importance (1 for most, 2 for next, etc.) the factors which attracted you to your teacher education program.

(a) _____Program highly regarded

- (b) ____GSU highly regarded
- (c) ____Location
- (d) ____Availability of courses
- (e) ____Other, please list: _____

48. Concerning your total program experience, which best describes the way you feel:
- a. Very satisfied
 - b. Moderately satisfied
 - c. Moderately dissatisfied
 - d. Dissatisfied

49. Which, if any, of the following gave you unusual difficulty (please circle).

Comments

- | | |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| (a) ____ Registration | _____ |
| (b) ____ Advisor | _____ |
| (c) ____ Faculty | _____ |
| (d) ____ Parking | _____ |
| (e) ____ Dining Facilities | _____ |
| (f) ____ Graduation Procedures | _____ |
| (g) ____ Department | _____ |
| (h) ____ Registrar's Office | _____ |
| (i) ____ Business Office | _____ |
| (j) ____ Financial Aid | _____ |
| (k) ____ Veterans' Affairs | _____ |
| (l) ____ Health Services | _____ |
| (m) ____ Other (please list) | _____ |

50. What stands out as the most rewarding aspect of your program experience? Why?

51. What inadequacies, problems, or other aspects of your experience did you find frustrating and/or discouraging in the program? Why?

52. How could they be improved?

53. Taking everything into consideration, would you recommend the program you took to someone else? Comment, if you wish.