

Fall 2014 edTPA candidate survey responses - 115 individuals out of 147 responded (78.2%)

Note: open ended responses are NOT compiled here. See Laura Hart for entire data set.

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response(s)	Count	Percent
Undergraduate	54	46.96%
Graduate	61	53.04%

Which edTPA Product did you complete this semester? (Required Element)

Form Element Type: One Answer Possible

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response(s)	Count	Percent
Early Childhood (B-K)	0	0.00%
Elementary Education – Literacy Only (Tasks 1-3)	62	53.91%
Elementary Education Combination (Tasks 1-4)	0	0.00%
English as an Additional Language	1	0.87%
K-12 Performing Arts	0	0.00%
Middle Childhood (Middle Grades) Language	7	6.09%
Middle Childhood (Middle Grades)	8	6.96%
Middle Childhood (Middle Grades) Science	4	3.48%
Middle Childhood (Middle Grades) Social	1	0.87%
Secondary English Language Arts	13	11.30%
Secondary Mathematics	5	4.35%
Secondary Science	0	0.00%
Secondary Social Studies	9	7.83%
Special Education	0	0.00%
Visual Art	1	0.87%
World Language	4	3.48%

Select your track of study (Required Element)

Form Element Type: One Answer Possible

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response(s)	Count	Percent
Lateral Entry (Not Teach For America)	19	16.52%
Teach For America Lateral Entry	10	8.70%
Graduate Certificate Student Teacher	36	31.30%
Graduate Certificate who is a currently employed Teacher Assistant	0	0.00%
Undergraduate-Yearlong Intern	45	39.13%
Undergraduate-single semester student teacher only	5	4.35%

Perception

For each of the tasks, rate your experience in completing the Task (Required Element)

Form Element Type: Rating Scale

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response Legend: 1 = Very Easy 2 = Easy 3 = Challenging 4 = Very Challenging

Rated Item(s)	Total	Distribution %				Average	Median	Mode	Standard Deviation
		1	2	3	4				
Task 1 (Planning)	115	3.48%	33.04%	52.17%	11.30%	2.71	3	3	0.71
Task 2 (Implementation of Instruction)	115	3.48%	27.83%	53.04%	15.65%	2.81	3	3	0.73
Task 3 (Assessment and Feedback)	115	0.87%	18.26%	50.43%	30.43%	3.1	3	3	0.71
Total	345	2.61%	26.38%	51.88%	19.13%	2.88	3	3	0.74

Pick the three most challenging aspects of the edTPA for you to complete.

Form Element Type: Multiple Answers Possible

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response(s)	Count	Percent
Identifying students assets	12	10.43%
Language Function	51	44.35%
Vocabulary	12	10.43%
Discourse	43	37.39%
Syntax	33	28.70%
Identifying Environment	4	3.48%
Engaged Learning	16	13.91%
Deeper Thinking of Students	39	33.91%
Making connections between practice and research/theory	55	47.83%
Giving feedback	20	17.39%
Assessing whole group	15	13.04%
Assessing three students	20	17.39%
Giving reflections	16	13.91%
Other (Please specify) (Write-in Response)	9	7.83%

Rate your agreement with each of the following: (Required Element)

Form Element Type: Rating Scale

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response Legend: 1 = Strongly Agree 2 = Agree 3 = Disagree 4 = Strongly Disagree

Rated Item(s)	Total	Distribution %				Average	Median	Mode	Standard Deviation
		1	2	3	4				
Completing edTPA will improve my performance as a classroom teacher.	115	5.22%	35.65%	31.30%	27.83%	2.82	3	2	0.9
The content of edTPA reflects effective teaching practices.	115	4.35%	56.52%	20.87%	18.26%	2.53	2	2	0.84
The content of edTPA reflects what I observed in at least one of my cooperating teacher/mentor teacher classrooms.	115	3.48%	56.52%	24.35%	15.65%	2.52	2	2	0.8
Total	345	4.35%	49.57%	25.51%	20.58%	2.62	2	2	0.86

Process

Rate your agreement with each of the following: (Required Element)

Form Element Type: Rating Scale

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response Legend: 1 = Strongly Agree 2 = Agree 3 = Disagree 4 = Strongly Disagree

Rated Item(s)	Total	Distribution %				Average	Median	Mode	Standard Deviation
		1	2	3	4				
The time needed to complete the final edTPA project during my student teaching semester was reasonable.	115	7.83%	45.22%	20.87%	26.09%	2.65	2	2	0.95
Total	115	7.83%	45.22%	20.87%	26.09%	2.65	2	2	0.95

I received feedback on my final edTPA project prior to submission from the following:

Reference Label: feedback

Form Element Type: Multiple Answers Possible

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response(s)	Count	Percent
I received no feedback prior to submission.	51	44.35%
Peer(s)	54	46.96%
Writing Center	1	0.87%
Cooperating Teacher	9	7.83%
University Supervisor	5	4.35%
UNC Charlotte Faculty during support workshops	8	6.96%
Other UNC Charlotte Faculty (not during support workshops)	2	1.74%
Other (Write-in Response)	6	5.22%

Select the time period that most accurately reflects when you completed edTPA

Form Element Type: One Answer Possible

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response(s)	Count	Percent
I followed the recommended target deadlines staggered throughout the semester.	34	29.57%
One month prior to submission date	21	18.26%
Two weeks prior to submission date	20	17.39%
Less than one week prior to submission date	40	34.78%

Preparation

Rate your agreement with each of the following: (Required Element)

Form Element Type: Rating Scale

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response Legend: 1 = Strongly Agree 2 = Agree 3 = Disagree 4 = Strongly Disagree

Rated Item(s)	Total	Distribution %				Average	Median	Mode	Standard Deviation
		1	2	3	4				
My university coursework prepared me to successfully complete Task 1 of edTPA.	115	19.13%	53.91%	17.39%	9.57%	2.17	2	2	0.85
My university coursework prepared me to successfully complete Task 2 of edTPA.	115	13.04%	48.70%	25.22%	13.04%	2.38	2	2	0.87
My university coursework prepared me to successfully complete Task 3 of edTPA.	115	12.17%	43.48%	26.09%	18.26%	2.5	2	2	0.93
Total	345	14.78%	48.70%	22.90%	13.62%	2.35	2	2	0.89

How many edTPA support sessions did you attend? (Required)

Form Element Type: One Answer Possible

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response(s)	Count	Percent
0	9	7.83%
1	13	11.30%
2	13	11.30%
3	26	22.61%
4	7	6.09%
5	5	4.35%
6	0	0.00%
7	0	0.00%
All that were provided	38	33.04%
None that were provided	4	3.48%

To what extent did you have opportunities to practice edTPA tasks, knowledge, and skills prior to student teaching? Check all that apply.

Reference Label: Opportunity to practice

Form Element Type: Multiple Answers Possible

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response(s)	Count	Percent
I have uploaded a practice task for all edTPA tasks in my handbook.	54	46.96%
I have uploaded at least one practice task.	50	43.48%
I have practiced edTPA skills in at least one assignment.	62	53.91%
I have included edTPA knowledge (e.g., academic language demands) in at least one assignment.	53	46.09%
I have practiced digitally recording myself teaching.	62	53.91%
I have reviewed video clips of myself teaching.	73	63.48%
I have practiced strategically selecting video clips of myself that match rubric requirements.	41	35.65%
I have completed written analyses of my teaching.	65	56.52%
I have practiced analyzing whole class assessment data.	54	46.96%
I have practiced analyzing individual student assessment data.	55	47.83%
I have practiced giving individual student feedback.	64	55.65%
I have planned a learning segment focused on my content area.	79	68.70%

Demographics

Please select your gender. (Required Element)

Reference Label: gender

Form Element Type: One Answer Possible

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response(s)	Count	Percent
Male	22	19.13%
Female	93	80.87%

Please select your Ethnicity (Required Element)

Reference Label: ethnicity

Form Element Type: One Answer Possible

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response(s)	Count	Percent
African American	17	14.78%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	0	0.00%
Asian	4	3.48%
Hispanic	4	3.48%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0.00%
White	82	71.30%
Two or More Races	6	5.22%
Prefer not to respond	1	0.87%
Other (Write-in Response)	1	0.87%

Which of the following have you utilized to complete edTPA?

Reference Label: resources used

Form Element Type: Multiple Answers Possible

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response(s)	Count	Percent
edTPA COED resources Moodle project site	95	82.61%
edTPA Student Teaching Moodle support site	98	85.22%
www.edTPA.com	54	46.96%
Video cameras/equipment from the library	24	20.87%
IT help	6	5.22%
The Writing Center	0	0.00%
Other (Write-in Response)	3	2.61%

Please select your age range. (Required Element)

Reference Label: age

Form Element Type: One Answer Possible

Total Individual Response(s): 115 Individual Response(s)

Response(s)	Count	Percent
17-22	20	17.39%
23-28	54	46.96%
29-34	19	16.52%
35-40	7	6.09%
41-46	5	4.35%
47-52	7	6.09%
53 or greater	3	2.61%