

STUDENT TEACHING PLACEMENT SITES

A goal of the College of Education is to provide student teaching experiences for optimum development of educators who must meet the challenges of schools for the 21st century. Site options are provided at schools where the University has a contract for shared teacher preparation and where sufficient numbers of requests make the site feasible for supervision. **Neither the University nor the student teacher may select specific teachers.** The following policies guide the placement of student teachers: (See complete list of student teacher policies in the Teacher Preparation Handbook.)

1. Students with special problems related to student teaching should confer with the Associate Dean **PRIOR** to placement.
2. Students will be placed only if they have maintained their 2.5 GPA. Students will be dropped if their GPA falls below 2.5 at the end of the semester prior to student teaching.
3. Students request three possible sites from schools with whom SFA has a contract for placing student teachers (see list below). Students are placed in any of the three choices where feasible. If a person cannot be placed in any of the three preferences, he/she is asked to make further choices.

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Local Area:</u></p> <p>Alto Central Heights Center Central Corrigan/Camden Cushing Crocket Garrison Hemphill Henderson Hudson Huntington Jasper</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Houston Area:</u></p> <p>Livingston Longview Lufkin Nacogdoches Palestine Tyler West Sabine Woden</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Dallas Area:</u></p> <p>Clear Creek Conroe Cypress-Fairbanks Humble Kline</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Frisco Keller Lewisville Mesquite Plano Terrell</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Other :</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Hillsboro</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>International:</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Costa Rica</p>
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5. Assignments to specific buildings and to specific teachers are the responsibility of public school administrators.
6. Students may not teach on a campus where members of the immediate family are enrolled or work. Students may not teach in a district where immediate family serves on the Board of Trustees.