

STEPHEN F. AUSTIN STATE UNIVERSITY
NACOGDOCHES, TEXAS

SFA Educator Preparation Advisory Council

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11:30-1:00



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Stephen F. Austin State University

Educator Preparation Program

Challenging Minds, Changing Lives -
One Lumberjack at a Time



Welcome

- Introductions
- Approval of summary notes
- Dr. Abbott ---News & Updates
 - SFA
 - Educator Preparation
 - Perkins College of Education





EPP Advisory Council Purpose

- TO ASSURE THAT APPROPRIATE STAKEHOLDERS INCLUDING SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY PARTNERS ARE INVOLVED IN PROGRAM EVALUATION, IMPROVEMENT, AND IDENTIFICATION OF MODELS OF EXCELLENCE.





ACCREDITATION ACTION REPORT

James I. Perkins College of Education
Stephen F. Austin State University
Nacogdoches, Texas

Accreditation Council October 2021
Accreditation Application Date:

*This is the official record of the Educator Preparation Provider's accreditation status.
The Educator Preparation Provider should retain this document for at least two accreditation cycles.*

ACCREDITATION DECISION

Accreditation is granted at the initial-licensure level. This Accreditation status is effective between Fall 2021 and Fall 2028. The next site visit will take place in Spring 2028.

Accreditation is granted at the advanced-level. This Accreditation status is effective between Fall 2021 and Fall 2028. The next site visit will take place in Spring 2028.

SUMMARY OF STANDARDS

CAEP STANDARDS	INITIAL-LICENSURE LEVEL	ADVANCED-LEVEL
STANDARD 1/A.1: Content and Pedagogical Knowledge	Met	Met
STANDARD 2/A.2: Clinical Partnerships and Practice	Met	Met
STANDARD 3/A.3: Candidate Quality, Recruitment, And Selectivity	Met	Met
STANDARD 4/A.4: Program Impact	Met	Met
STANDARD 5/A.5: Provider Quality Assurance and Continuous Improvement	Met	Met





Thank You

Thank you CAEP Site Visit Participants!

"Alone we can do
so little; together
we can do so
much."

Helen Keller



EPP Advisory Council Members

David Flowers—Huntington ISD Supt

Cindy Nerren—Lufkin ISD—Principal

Sarah Wright—Magnolia ISD

Nathon Boughthon—Cleveland ISD, Asst Supt

Jeff Van Meter—Wylie ISD, Asst Principal

MaryAnn Bentley—SFA Field Supervisor

 **A big
thank
you**
for all your
support.



P-12 Partner Schools

Thank You

Colleen Hill –Garrison ISD --Principal

Stephen Autrey—NACISD –Principal

Andrea Dickson—Brazosport ISD –HR

Paula Harshbarger—NACISD—Principal

Alex Rivera-Pagan—Garland ISD—HR

Kurt Stephens—Lufkin ISD—Deputy Supt

Greg Lozano—CY Fair ISD—HR

Shayla McGrew—Pearland ISD –Principal

Michelle Martin –Cy Fair ISD—HR

Shelly Slaton—Lufkin ISD—Asst Supt



Cooperating Teachers

Anna Osterman—Northside ISD (San Antonio)

Jeff Bellgardt—Mt. Enterprise ISD

Kiera Cox—Austin ISD

Robin Hornback—Humble ISD

Shelly Binford—Central Heights ISD

Thank You



Certification and Testing Information

- Certification and testing waivers issued by TEA have expired
 - Candidates must complete coursework, field experience (clinical teaching/practicum), testing and degree requirements in order to be recommended for certification.
- Testing waiver issued by SFA has expired
 - Candidates must complete the content test prior to clinical teaching.



Clinical Teacher Pathways and Partnerships



SFA Clinical Teachers as Educational Aides

- Number of educational aides who completed clinical teaching through their education educational aide duties:
 - Fall 2021- 20
 - Spring 2022 – 30 as of 11/9/2021
- **New guideline for paraprofessionals working during clinical teaching**
 - Be employed in the para position at **least 6 months prior to clinical teaching** and certified as an educational aide
 - Perform instructional duties such as lesson planning, delivering instruction, implementing classroom management plan, grading, etc. **in the grade and content area in which they are seeking certification for the entire school day.**
- Any suggestions on enhancing this experience?
- **Encourage your educational aides/paraprofessionals to enroll in one of our online certification programs!**
 - Core Subjects EC-6
 - All Areas of Middle Level Grades (4-8)
 - Special Education



Candidate Data

- TEA Principal Survey
- TEA Teacher Survey
- Student Growth Results
 - Based on STAAR results



TEA Principal & Teacher Survey Results

Principal Survey

81% of **first-year teachers** were appraised as "sufficiently prepared" or "well prepared" by their EPP.

- 70% required by TEA

Teacher Survey

83% of **first-year teachers** responded that they were "sufficiently prepared" or "well prepared" by their EPP.

- 70% required by TEA



K-12 Student Growth Results

TAC 229(a)(3)

- Summary:

- The growth of students taught by beginning teachers as indicated by the STAAR Progress Measure, determined at the student level and aggregated at the teacher level.
- The first two academic years for which the Texas Education Agency (TEA) has data necessary to calculate this performance standard following the 2019-2020 academic year will be reporting years only and will not be used to determine accreditation status

- SFASU Results

- 79.90% of beginning teachers from the EPP met the individual performance threshold
- 70% required by TEA



FY 2021 Annual LBB Performance Measure Report (1 Year After Graduation)

LBB Performance Measure Report

Total Teacher Education Graduated	379
Total Graduates Certified	353
Certification Rate	93.1
Not Certified but Recommended	0
Not Certified but Recommended Percent	0
Not Recommended but Tested	26
Not Recommended but Tested Percent	6.9
Not Recommended or Tested	0
Not Recommended or Tested Percent	0.0



How's it going?

How can we help?

- SFA Teacher Job Fair
 - Destini Walker – Career Coordinator, Center for Career and Professional Development
- Let us help you promote your upcoming job fairs
 - Email information to edcertfield@sfasu.edu



SFA Spring 2022 Teacher Job Fair

April 1st, 10:00am – 1:00pm

BPSC

Grand and Twilight Ballrooms

<https://www.sfasu.edu/ccpd>

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Celebrations/ Points of Pride/Questions



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Items from the Floor



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Adjourn

Next Meeting:

March 2, 2022

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