Spring 2019
Student Teaching
Information Meeting
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Welcome

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Agenda
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Student Teaching
What is Student Teaching?
WHAT IS STUDENT TEACHING

• Student teaching is your Capstone Project that allows you, after successfully completing the semester, to apply for your Teaching License.

• It is considered to be the most important and challenging component of your teacher preparation program.

• It is a 16-week “Professional Internship.”

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Student Teaching Objectives
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- Planning and Preparation
- Navigation
- Instruction
- Assessment
  - Formative
  - Summative
- Responsibilities
- Behavior Management
- Dispositions
- Relationships
- Guidance for securing that first teaching job
edTPA
edTPA and Handbook

- Preservice assessment process
- Review of authentic teaching materials
- Ability to effectively teach
- Multiple-measure assessment system
- Development of curriculum and practice
- Improve student achievement
- **Required – no exceptions**
- Planning-Instruction-Assessment
- Entered in Brightspace for resources and colloquium requirement
- [www.edTPA.com](http://www.edTPA.com)
Student Teaching Eligibility
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• Admitted to COE
• Complete all program requirements
• 2.5 or higher Cumulative GPA
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• C or higher in ALL professional education courses
• Clean BCI & FBI (good for 360 days. Indicate send findings to you AND Ohio Department of Education for Teacher Licensing)
• Submitted application by deadline
• Approval from Student Teaching Committee
Student Teaching Eligibility
Passing Scores on Content OAEs

Ohio Assessments for Educators
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Early Childhood - 012
Early Childhood-Intervention Specialist - 013
Middle Level - Language Arts - 028
Mathematics - 030
Science - 029
Social Studies - 031
Ohio Assessments for Educators

Intervention Specialists K-12 - 043

AYA:
- Language Arts - 020
- Mathematics - 027
- Science - 024
- Social Studies - 025

Must wait 30 days to retake if you do not pass the first time; there is no limit to retakes.
Ohio Assessments for Educators

Foundations of Reading - 090

Mandate Effective for all those seeking licensure after July 1, 2017

Early Childhood
Middle Level
Intervention Specialists K-12
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Licensing Requirement-taken during student teaching

Assessment of Professional Knowledge (Pedagogical):
001 - Early Childhood
002 - Middle Childhood
003 - AYA
004 - Multi-Age (PK-12)
Student Teaching Placements
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- 50 Mile Radius (some exceptions may be permitted)
- Partnered School Districts
- Diverse Settings
- Public
- Private
- Charter
Placements continued

• What you may NOT do:
  – Make your own placement
  – Student teach in the school you attended
  – Student teach in a school where a relative works or attends
  – Student teach in a school where you work

• Receiving Placement
  – Before you student teach!
    • More information to come
Assessments and Monitoring

- University Supervisor is your connection to the Mentor Teacher and University Office
  - Observations
  - Midterm and Final Evaluations
  - Exit Survey

Student Teaching Website is your key for information and resources during Student Teaching and for licensure information

http://www.uakron.edu/education/current-students/
The Application
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- Can be found on the “Preparing to Teach” Student Teaching link [http://www.uakron.edu/education/current-students/student-teaching/teaching/index.dot](http://www.uakron.edu/education/current-students/student-teaching/teaching/index.dot)
- 30 minutes or less to complete and information not saved so compose your narratives on another doc and copy and paste the information
- Information needs to be written in a professional manner for district staff to read it and make determinations of you before you are even considered
- Considerations for placing: districts/counties/grade bands/grades/subject area (not guaranteed but will consider all input)
- Check website for deadlines for submission based on your licensure (September 3rd applications open)
The Application (continued)

What you must know!

✓ Your Program/Licensure area
✓ Your advisor’s name
✓ School Districts
  ✓ Where you attended
  ✓ Where you graduated and what year
✓ Any relatives working?!?!?
✓ Field
✓ Traveling
✓ Leadership
✓ Honors
✓ Proofread!!!
Social Media
- Facebook, Instagram, etc
  - Clean it up
  - Check likes
  - Check pictures
  - Lock access
  - Check postings

- These things can cost you your placements!
Additional Information
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- UA email - @zips.uakron.edu
- Registration for classes
Support
Support for YOU

• Brightspace
• Office of Teacher Education and Licensure
• Faculty Advisor
• Once in Student Teaching
  – Mentor Teacher
  – University Supervisor
  – Building Staff (administration/support staff, etc)
  – Colloquium
Questions