2012 First Year Teacher Survey



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1. Are you currently teaching? Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license? **Traditional Alternative Certification** Certification (State Department of (Completed a **Education Alternative** Response university **Placement Program, Troops** education degree **Totals** to Teachers, with a student Paraprofessional, Teach for teaching America or ABCTE) component.) 100.0% 100.0% 100.0% Yes (433)(185)(618)0.0% 0.0% 0.0% No (0) (0) (0) answered question 433 185 618

2. In what type of school do you teach?

	_	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals	
Rural	36.7% (157)	33.0% (61)	35.6% (218)	
Urban	38.6% (165)	51.4% (95)	42.4% (260)	
Suburban	24.8% (106)	15.7% (29)	22.0% (135)	
answered question	428	185	613	
		skipped question	5	

3. Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?

	_	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals	
Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	100.0% (433)	0.0%	70.1% (433)	
Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	0.0% (0)	100.0% (185)	29.9% (185)	
answered question	433	185	618	
		skipped question	0	

4. From which institution did you receive recommendation for teacher certification? (If you were alternatively certified please select Oklahoma State Department of Education)

		Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals	
Oklahoma State Department of Education	3.7%	83.9%	28.4%	
	(15)	(151)	(166)	
Out of State University	10.1%	2.2%	7.7%	
	(41)	(4)	(45)	
Bacone College	0.2%	0.6% (1)	0.3%	
Cameron University	4.7%	1.1%	3.6%	
	(19)	(2)	(21)	
East Central University	4.2%	0.6%	3.1%	
	(17)	(1)	(18)	
Langston University	1.0%	0.0%	0.7%	
	(4)	(0)	(4)	
Mid-America Christian University	0.2%	0.6% (1)	0.3%	
Northeastern State University	18.8%	1.7%	13.5%	
	(76)	(3)	(79)	
Northwestern Oklahoma State University	4.7%	0.0%	3.2%	
	(19)	(0)	(19)	
Oklahoma Baptist University	1.5% (6)	0.0%	1.0%	
Oklahoma Christian University	3.0%	0.0%	2.1%	
	(12)	(0)	(12)	

Oklahoma City University	0.7% (3)	0.0%	0.5% (3)
Oklahoma Panhandle State University	0.2% (1)	0.0% (0)	0.2%
Oklahoma State University	11.6% (47)	1.1% (2)	8.4% (49)
Oklahoma Wesleyan University	0.7%	0.6% (1)	0.7%
Oral Roberts University	0.7%	0.6% (1)	0.7%
St. Gregory's University	0.2%	0.0% (0)	0.2%
Southeastern Oklahoma State University	4.2% (17)	1.1% (2)	3.2% (19)
Southern Nazarene University	3.0% (12)	0.0% (0)	2.1% (12)
Southwestern Oklahoma State University	2.7% (11)	0.0% (0)	1.9% (11)
University of Central Oklahoma	15.3% (62)	2.8% (5)	11.5% (67)
University of Oklahoma	6.9% (28)	2.2% (4)	5.5% (32)
University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma	1.5% (6)	0.0% (0)	1.0%
The University of Tulsa	0.0%	1.1% (2)	0.3%
Other (please specify)	42 replies	14 replies	56
answered question	405	180	585
		skipped question	33

5. Please indicate your level of understanding of each of the following:

			h teaching route did you our teaching license?	
		Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
How students learn and develop.	Poor	0.0%	0.0%	
	Weak	1.0% (4)	5.9% (10)	
	Adequate	9.9% (39)	25.4% (43)	
	Good	44.9% (177)	41.4% (70)	
	Strong	44.2% (174)	27.2% (46)	
		394	169	563
How students vary in their approaches to learning.	Poor	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	
	Weak	0.5% (2)	5.3% (9)	
	Adequate	7.8% (31)	20.6% (35)	
	Good	35.4% (140)	41.2% (70)	
	Strong	56.2% (222)	32.9% (56)	
		395	170	565

Curriculum integration processes.	Poor	0.3% (1)	2.4% (4)	
	Weak	3.6% (14)	12.0% (20)	
	Adequate	16.6% (65)	29.9% (50)	
	Good	47.3%	38.9%	
	Good	(185) 32.2%	(65) 16.8%	
	Strong	(126)	(28)	
		391	167	558
The process of continuous lifelong learning, the concept of making learning enjoyable, and the need for a willingness to change when the	Poor	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	
change leads to greater student learning and development.	Weak	0.8% (3)	2.4% (4)	
	Adequate	6.5% (26)	14.2% (24)	
	Good	26.4% (105)	38.5% (65)	
	Strong	66.2% (263)	45.0% (76)	
		397	169	566
The legal aspect of teaching including the rights of students and parents/families, as well	Poor	2.3% (9)	7.6% (13)	
as the legal rights and responsibilities of the teacher.	Weak	5.6% (22)	17.1% (29)	
	Adequate	23.7% (94)	22.9% (39)	
	Good	39.6% (157)	29.4% (50)	
	Strong	28.8% (114)	22.9% (39)	
		396	170	566

answered question	397	171	568
		skipped question	50

6. Please indicate how prepare	ed you were to	o perform each	of the following:	
		_	h teaching route did you our teaching license?	
		Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Apply the central concepts and methods of inquiry of the subject matter discipline(s) that I teach.	Not At All Prepared	0.3% (1)	1.2% (2)	
	Inadequately Prepared	3.5% (14)	9.4% (16)	
	Adequately Prepared	20.9% (83)	32.9% (56)	_
	Well Prepared	47.9% (190)	42.9% (73)	
	Very Well Prepared	27.5% (109)	13.5% (23)	
		397	170	567
Create learning experiences that make these aspects of subject matter meaningful for students.	Not At All Prepared	0.0%	1.8%	
meaningful for students.	Inadequately Prepared	3.3% (13)	7.1% (12)	
	Adequately Prepared	17.4% (69)	34.1% (58)	
	Well Prepared	44.9% (178)	41.8% (71)	

	Very Well Prepared	34.3% (136)	15.3% (26)	
		396	170	566
Provide learning opportunities that	Not At All	0.3%	1.8%	
support students' intellectual, social and physical development at all grade	Prepared	(1)	(3)	
levels.	Inadequately	2.3%	8.9%	
	Prepared	(9)	(15)	
	Adequately	21.2%	34.9%	
	Prepared	(84)	(59)	
	Well	45.2%	40.8%	
	Prepared	(179)	(69)	
	Very Well	31.1%	13.6%	
	Prepared	(123)	(23)	
		396	169	565
Create instructional opportunities that	Not At All	0.3%	1.8%	
are adaptable to learners' individual differences.	Prepared	(1)	(3)	
differences.	Inadequately	4.3%	15.5%	
	Prepared	(17)	(26)	
	Adequately	22.0%	32.1%	
	Prepared	(87)	(54)	
	Well	43.2%	33.9%	
	Prepared	(171)	(57)	
	Very Well	30.3%	16.7%	
	Prepared	(120)	(28)	
		396	168	564
ansv	vered question	397	170	567
			skipped question	51

7. Please indicate how prepared you were to perform each of the following in the classroom.

			h teaching route did you our teaching license?	
		Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Use a variety of instructional strategies to encourage students' development of critical thinking, problem solving, and	Not At All Prepared	0.5%	1.2% (2)	
performance skills.	Inadequately Prepared	3.3% (13)	11.2% (19)	
	Adequately Prepared	23.3% (92)	32.4% (55)	
	Well Prepared	38.5% (152)	44.7% (76)	
	Very Well Prepared	34.4% (136)	10.6% (18)	
		395	170	565
Use technology effectively to enhance student learning and to create unique learning opportunities.	Not At All Prepared	1.3% (5)	4.1% (7)	
coarming opportunities.	Inadequately Prepared	7.9% (31)	8.2% (14)	
	Adequately Prepared	24.4% (96)	31.2% (53)	
	Well Prepared	32.5% (128)	35.3% (60)	
	Very Well Prepared	34.0% (134)	21.2% (36)	

		394	170	564
Use best practices related to motivation	Not At All	0.8%	2.9%	
and behavior to create learning	Prepared	(3)	(5)	
environments that encourage positive				
social interaction, self-motivation and active engagement in learning.	Inadequately	5.8% (23)	13.5% (23)	
active engagement in learning.	Prepared	(23)	(23)	
	Adequately	21.3%	28.2%	
	Prepared	(84)	(48)	
	Well	42.6%	39.4%	
	Prepared	(168)	(67)	
	Very Well	29.4%	15.9%	
	Prepared	(116)	(27)	
		394	170	56
Ise a variety of effective communication	Not At All	0.3%	1.8%	
techniques to foster active inquiry,	Prepared	(1)	(3)	
collaboration, and supportive interaction in the classroom.				
	Inadequately	2.8% (11)	8.3%	
	Prepared	(11)	(14)	
	Adequately	22.3%	32.5%	
	Prepared	(88)	(55)	
	Well	44.9%	42.0%	
	Prepared	(177)	(71)	
		29.7%	15.4%	
	Very Well Prepared	(117)	(26)	
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		394	169	56
Plan instruction based upon curriculum	Not At All	1.8%	2.4%	
goals, knowledge of the teaching/learning	Prepared	(7)	(4)	
rocess, subject matter, students' abilities and differences, and the community.	In a day of the	3.0%	9.4%	
and differences, and the community.	Inadequately Prepared	3.0% (12)	9.4% (16)	
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	Adequately	18.3%	35.9%	
	Prepared	(72)	(61)	
	Well	38.6%	35.9%	
	Prepared	(152)	(61)	
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	Very Well	38.3%	16.5%	

	394	170	564
answered question	395	170	565
		skipped question	53

8. Please indicate how prepared you were to perform each of the following in the classroom.

		_	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?	
		Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Adapt instruction based upon assessment and reflection.	Not At All Prepared	0.0%	1.8% (3)	
	Inadequately Prepared	3.8% (15)	6.5% (11)	
	Adequately Prepared	23.8% (94)	35.3% (60)	
	Well Prepared	43.8% (173)	40.6% (69)	
	Very Well Prepared	28.6% (113)	15.9% (27)	
		395	170	565
Understand and use a variety of assessment strategies to evaluate and modify the teaching/learning process.	Not At All Prepared	0.0% (0)	1.2% (2)	
mouny the teaching/learning process.	Inadequately Prepared	4.6% (18)	5.9% (10)	
	Adequately Prepared	22.5% (89)	38.2% (65)	

	Well Prepared	41.8% (165)	40.0% (68)	
	Very Well Prepared	31.1% (123)	14.7% (25)	
		395	170	565
Evaluate the effects of my choices and actions on others (students, parents, and other professionals in the learning	Not At All Prepared	0.0% (0)	0.6% (1)	
community), modify those actions when needed, and actively seek opportunities for continued professional growth.	Inadequately Prepared	2.0% (8)	4.1% (7)	
oonanaaa protooolonal growan	Adequately Prepared	20.8% (82)	35.3% (60)	
	Well Prepared	39.5% (156)	37.6% (64)	
	Very Well Prepared	37.7% (149)	22.4% (38)	
		395	170	565
Foster positive interaction with school colleagues, parents/families, and organizations in the community to actively	Not At All Prepared	0.5% (2)	0.0% (0)	
engage them in support of students' learning and well being.	Inadequately Prepared	2.6% (10)	6.5% (11)	
	Adequately Prepared	17.9% (70)	24.7% (42)	
	Well Prepared	34.4% (135)	39.4% (67)	
	Very Well Prepared	44.6% (175)	29.4% (50)	
		392	170	562
Assist students with career awareness and the application of career concepts to the academic curriculum.	Not At All Prepared	1.5% (6)	1.8% (3)	
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Adequately Prepared	30.4% (119)	34.9% (59)	
Well Prepared	38.0% (149)	36.1% (61)	
Very Well Prepared	23.5% (92)	18.9% (32)	
	392	169	561
answered question	395	170	565
		skipped question	53

9. Please indicate how prepared you were to perform each of the following actions in the classroom.

			Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?	
		Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Develop and use instructional strategies/plans based on the Oklahoma	Not At All Prepared	1.8% (7)	5.3% (9)	
core curriculum (PASS).	Inadequately Prepared	3.8% (15)	16.0% (27)	
	Adequately Prepared	19.7% (78)	35.5% (60)	
	Well Prepared	32.2% (127)	28.4% (48)	
	Very Well Prepared	42.5% (168)	14.8% (25)	
		395	169	564
Incorporate the State teacher evaluation process, "Oklahoma Criteria for	Not At All Prepared	4.3% (17)	9.5% (16)	
Effective Teaching Performance," in designing instructional strategies.	Inadequately Prepared	11.5% (45)	25.0% (42)	_
	Adequately Prepared	28.5% (112)	36.3% (61)	
	Well Prepared	30.3% (119)	21.4% (36)	_
	Very Well Prepared	25.4% (100)	7.7% (13)	

		393	168	561
Implement effective classroom management practices.	Not At All Prepared	2.1% (8)	3.7% (6)	
	Inadequately Prepared	11.3% (44)	14.7% (24)	
	Adequately Prepared	19.0% (74)	25.8% (42)	
	Well Prepared	34.1% (133)	32.5% (53)	
	Very Well Prepared	33.6% (131)	23.3% (38)	
		390	163	553
ansv	vered question	396	170	566
			skipped question	52

10. Please indicate your overall preparedness.

	Through which te		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Not At All Prepared	0.0% (0)	0.6%	0.2%
Inadequately Prepared	4.3% (17)	14.2% (24)	7.3% (41)
Adequately Prepared	23.2% (91)	37.3% (63)	27.4% (154)
Well Prepared	48.1% (189)	41.4% (70)	46.1% (259)
Very Well Prepared	24.4% (96)	6.5% (11)	19.0% (107)
answered question	393	169	562
		skipped question	56

11. What do you consider the strengths of your preparation program? (Please mark all that apply.)

		Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?	
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
I did not complete a teacher preparation program.	1.0%	44.6%	14.2%
	(4)	(75)	(79)
Classroom Management	40.8%	36.9%	39.6%
	(159)	(62)	(221)
Curriculum Integration	39.0%	14.9%	31.7%
	(152)	(25)	(177)
Professors	50.5%	11.9%	38.9%
	(197)	(20)	(217)
Hands-On Experience	65.6%	31.0%	55.2%
	(256)	(52)	(308)
Lesson Planning	62.3%	30.4%	52.7%
	(243)	(51)	(294)
Student Assessment	42.3%	27.4%	37.8%
	(165)	(46)	(211)
Curriculum Development	29.2%	15.5%	25.1%
	(114)	(26)	(140)
Content Knowledge	51.3%	22.6%	42.7%
	(200)	(38)	(238)
Teaching Methods	56.9%	30.4%	48.9%
	(222)	(51)	(273)
PASS Objectives	57.2%	13.1%	43.9%
	(223)	(22)	(245)

Research Methods	17.2%	8.9%	14.7%
	(67)	(15)	(82)
Technology	41.5%	19.6%	34.9%
	(162)	(33)	(195)
Teaching/Learning Styles	71.0%	30.4%	58.8%
	(277)	(51)	(328)
Critical Thinking	36.9%	27.4%	34.1%
	(144)	(46)	(190)
Common Core Standards	12.3%	11.9%	12.2%
	(48)	(20)	(68)
Other (please specify)	2 replies	7 replies	9
answered question	390	168	558
		skipped question	60

12. In which area(s) could you have used additional preparation? (Please mark all that apply.)

	_	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?	
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Classroom Management	47.0%	44.8%	46.4%
	(181)	(73)	(254)
Legal Aspects of Teaching	41.3%	42.9%	41.8%
	(159)	(70)	(229)
Curriculum Development	19.7%	33.1%	23.7%
	(76)	(54)	(130)
Discipline/Behavior	50.4%	41.7%	47.8%
	(194)	(68)	(262)
Oklahoma PASS Objectives	10.6%	31.9%	17.0%
	(41)	(52)	(93)
Parent/Community Relations	27.0%	16.6%	23.9%
	(104)	(27)	(131)
Lesson Planning	10.6%	27.0%	15.5%
	(41)	(44)	(85)
Preparation for State Mandated Tests	35.3%	33.1%	34.7%
	(136)	(54)	(190)
Record Keeping Strategies	35.6%	28.2%	33.4%
	(137)	(46)	(183)
Motivational Techniques	26.8%	32.5%	28.5%
	(103)	(53)	(156)
Technology	18.4%	16.6%	17.9%
	(71)	(27)	(98)

IEP/RTI	35.8%	31.3%	34.5%
	(138)	(51)	(189)
Instructional Activities	8.8%	20.2%	12.2%
	(34)	(33)	(67)
ELL Instruction	33.8%	26.4%	31.6%
	(130)	(43)	(173)
Career Goals	13.0%	14.7%	13.5%
	(50)	(24)	(74)
Reading Instruction/Phonics	18.4%	15.3%	17.5%
	(71)	(25)	(96)
Differentiated Instruction	17.7%	34.4%	22.6%
	(68)	(56)	(124)
P-12 School Policy & Procedures	18.2%	21.5%	19.2%
	(70)	(35)	(105)
Common Core Standards	49.1%	39.9%	46.4%
	(189)	(65)	(254)
Other (please specify)	7 replies	2 replies	9
answered question	385	163	548
		skipped question	70

13. Please indicate the number of contact hours with assigned mentor.

	_	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals	
0	24.2%	34.3%	27.2%	
	(93)	(57)	(150)	
1-10 contact hours	25.5%	27.1%	26.0%	
	(98)	(45)	(143)	
11-25 contact hours	15.6%	15.7%	15.6%	
	(60)	(26)	(86)	
26 and over contact hours	34.8%	22.9%	31.2%	
	(134)	(38)	(172)	
answered question	385	166	551	
		skipped question	67	

14. In which field did you receive your degree?

	_	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?	
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Non-Teacher Education Program	0.6%	69.0%	21.9%
	(2)	(98)	(100)
Early Childhood Education	17.2%	2.8%	12.7%
	(54)	(4)	(58)
Elementary Education	48.4%	3.5%	34.4%
	(152)	(5)	(157)
Secondary Education (Math, Science, English, Social Studies)	18.2%	15.5%	17.3%
	(57)	(22)	(79)
Elementary/Secondary Education (Art, Music, PE, Foreign Language, Special Education)	14.3%	7.0%	12.1%
	(45)	(10)	(55)
Advanced Programs (School Counselor, School Psychologist, School Psychometrist, Library Media Specialist, Reading Specialist, Speech Language Patholgist)	1.3% (4)	2.1% (3)	1.5% (7)
answered question	314	142	456
		skipped question	162

15. In which area(s) were you initially recommended for teacher certification? (Please mark all that apply.)

Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
26.4%	13.5%	22.5%
(101)	(22)	(123)
53.0%	14.7%	41.6%
(203)	(24)	(227)
8.9%	16.6%	11.2%
(34)	(27)	(61)
14.6%	21.5%	16.7%
(56)	(35)	(91)
6.0%	3.1%	5.1%
(23)	(5)	(28)
1.3%	4.9%	2.4%
(5)	(8)	(13)
0.3% (1)	0.0%	0.2% (1)
1.6%	2.5%	1.8%
(6)	(4)	(10)
1.6% (6)	1.2% (2)	1.5%
3.7% (14)	0.0%	2.6% (14)
7.0%	8.6%	7.5%
(27)	(14)	(41)
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.) 26.4% (101) 53.0% (203) 8.9% (34) 14.6% (56) 6.0% (23) 1.3% (5) 0.3% (1) 1.6% (6) 1.6% (6)	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)

Agriculture Education	1.0%	1.8%	1.3%
	(4)	(3)	(7)
Business Education	0.8%	14.7%	4.9%
business Education	(3)	(24)	(27)
Facilish	8.1%	14.7%	10.1%
English	(31)	(24)	(55)
Family & Consumer Science	0.3%	3.1%	1.1%
Tunning & Consumer Colonico	(1)	(5)	(6)
Journalism	0.3%	3.7%	1.3%
Journalion	(1)	(6)	(7)
Mathematics	5.5%	13.5%	7.9%
iviatriematics	(21)	(22)	(43)
Science	3.1%	12.9%	6.0%
Science	(12)	(21)	(33)
Social Studies	6.3%	13.5%	8.4%
Social Studies	(24)	(22)	(46)
Speech/Drama/Debate	0.8%	3.7%	1.6%
Speech/Drama/Debate	(3)	(6)	(9)
Technology Education	2.1%	5.5%	3.1%
reclinology Education	(8)	(9)	(17)
Educational Administration	0.3%	0.0%	0.2%
Educational Administration	(1)	(0)	(1)
Library Media Specialist	0.3%	0.6%	0.4%
Library Media Specialist	(1)	(1)	(2)
Reading Specialist	0.3%	0.6%	0.4%
Reading Specialist	(1)	(1)	(2)
Cabaal Carracaling	0.0%	2.5%	0.7%
School Counseling	(0)	(4)	(4)
Cohool Dovobole	0.3%	0.6%	0.4%
School Psychology	(1)	(1)	(2)
Oak and Davids and the	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
School Psychometrist	(0)	(0)	(0)
On each law D. H. L. C.	0.8%	0.0%	0.5%
Speech-Language Pathologist	(3)	(0)	(3)

Gifted & Talented	0.5% (2)	0.6% (1)	0.5% (3)
answered question	383	163	546
		skipped question	72

16. In which additional areas are you cer	tified? (Please m	ark all that apply.)		
		Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals	
None	31.9%	25.5%	30.0%	
	(108)	(37)	(145)	
Early Childhood	23.3%	11.0%	19.6%	
	(79)	(16)	(95)	
Elementary Education	27.1%	11.0%	22.3%	
	(92)	(16)	(108)	
Middle Level Education	10.3%	13.8%	11.4%	
	(35)	(20)	(55)	
Secondary Education	8.0%	15.9%	10.3%	
	(27)	(23)	(50)	
Special Education	7.1%	5.5%	6.6%	
	(24)	(8)	(32)	
Art	1.2% (4)	3.4% (5)	1.9%	
Dance	0.6%	0.0%	0.4%	
English as a Second Language	1.8%	2.1% (3)	1.9%	

2.8% (4)	1.5% (5)	Foreign Language
0.0%	1.2% (4)	Music
4.1% (6)	3.2% (11)	Physical Education/Health/Safety
0.0%	0.6%	Agriculture Education
10.3% (15)	0.0%	Business Education
17.2% (25)	7.1% (24)	English
4.1% (6)	0.6%	Family & Consumer Science
2.8% (4)	0.6%	Journalism
11.7% (17)	8.8% (30)	Mathematics
8.3% (12)	2.9% (10)	Science
11.0% (16)	5.3% (18)	Social Studies
2.8% (4)	0.0%	Speech/Drama/Debate
3.4% (5)	0.0%	Technology Education
0.0%	0.0%	Educational Administration
0.0%	0.0%	Library Media Specialist
0.0%	0.9%	Reading Specialist
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School Counseling	0.0%	2.1% (3)	0.6%
School Psychology	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0%
School Psychometrist	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0%
Speech-Language Pathologist	0.3% (1)	0.0% (0)	0.2%
Gifted & Talented	0.9% (3)	0.0% (0)	0.6%
answered question	339	145	484
		skipped question	134

17. Which is your current primary teaching assignment? (Please mark all that apply.)

	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Not Currently Teaching	0.0% (0)	0.0%	0.0%
Early Childhood	23.5%	12.5%	20.1%
	(91)	(21)	(112)
Elementary Education	36.6%	11.9%	29.1%
	(142)	(20)	(162)
Middle Level Education	11.3%	12.5%	11.7%
	(44)	(21)	(65)
Secondary Education	10.1%	16.7%	12.1%
	(39)	(28)	(67)
Special Education	3.4%	1.2%	2.7%
	(13)	(2)	(15)
Special Education/Early Childhood	1.3%	0.0%	0.9%
	(5)	(0)	(5)
Special Education/Elementary	2.8%	0.6%	2.2%
	(11)	(1)	(12)
Special Education/Secondary	1.5%	1.2%	1.4%
	(6)	(2)	(8)
Art	1.5%	4.8%	2.5%
	(6)	(8)	(14)
Dance	0.5%	0.0%	0.4%
	(2)	(0)	(2)

Fastish on a Consul Language	1.3%	0.6%	1.1%
English as a Second Language	(5)	(1)	(6)
Foreign Language	1.3%	1.8%	1.4%
i Oreign Language	(5)	(3)	(8)
Music	3.1%	0.0%	2.2%
IVIUSIC	(12)	(0)	(12)
Physical Education/Health/Safety	2.8%	3.6%	3.1%
Filysical Education/Health/Salety	(11)	(6)	(17)
Agricultura Education	0.8%	0.6%	0.7%
Agriculture Education	(3)	(1)	(4)
Duair ees Education	0.3%	6.5%	2.2%
Business Education	(1)	(11)	(12)
- "·	9.0%	12.5%	10.1%
English	(35)	(21)	(56)
	0.0%	2.4%	0.7%
Family & Consumer Science	(0)	(4)	(4)
	0.3%	1.2%	0.5%
Journalism	(1)	(2)	(3)
Mathematics	8.5%	16.1%	10.8%
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Saianaa	3.1%	13.1%	6.1%
Science	(12)	(22)	(34)
Social Studies	6.7%	7.7%	7.0%
Social Studies	(26)	(13)	(39)
Speech/Drama/Debate	0.5%	1.8%	0.9%
Speech/Drama/Debate	(2)	(3)	(5)
Tashaslasu Education	1.5%	6.5%	3.1%
Technology Education	(6)	(11)	(17)
Educational Administration	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Educational Administration	(0)	(0)	(0)
Library Manda On antall to	0.0%	0.6%	0.2%
Library Media Specialist	(0)	(1)	(1)
Describes Occasion (0.5%	1.2%	0.7%
Reading Specialist	(2)	(2)	(4)

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kipped question 62

18. Who or what influenced you to become a teacher?

	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Influence of a Former Teacher	47.2%	41.1%	45.3%
	(183)	(69)	(252)
Family Influence	28.9%	25.6%	27.9%
	(112)	(43)	(155)
Experience with children	42.8%	34.5%	40.3%
	(166)	(58)	(224)
Desire to help others	41.5%	51.8%	44.6%
	(161)	(87)	(248)
Personal Calling	50.3%	41.7%	47.7%
	(195)	(70)	(265)
Love of the Subject	26.8%	33.3%	28.8%
	(104)	(56)	(160)
answered question	388	168	556
		skipped question	62

19. Please indicate your teaching experience level:

	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Beginning teacher with one year or less teaching experience in an accredited public school.	87.4% (334)	87.4% (146)	87.4% (480)
Other School Professional (Reading Specialist, School Counselor, School Psychometrist, School Psychologist, Library Media Specialist, or Speech Language Pathologist) with one year or less experience in the position.	1.8% (7)	3.0% (5)	2.2% (12)
Veteran teacher teaching first year in an Oklahoma accredited public school.	11.0% (42)	10.2% (17)	10.7% (59)
answered question	382	167	549
		skipped question	69

20. Do you teach in a Title I school?

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	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Yes	67.5% (260)	62.3% (104)	65.9% (364)
No	18.4% (71)	13.2% (22)	16.8% (93)
Not sure	14.0% (54)	24.6% (41)	17.2% (95)
answered question	385	167	552
		skipped question	66

21. When did you receive your teaching credential?

	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
In the last year	54.6% (212)	58.1% (97)	55.7% (309)
In the last two to four years	32.7% (127)	34.1% (57)	33.2% (184)
More than four years ago	12.6% (49)	7.8% (13)	11.2% (62)
answered question	388	167	555
		skipped question	63

22. How many hours of your degree did you complete on-line?

	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
0	41.9%	59.3%	47.1%
	(162)	(99)	(261)
1-6	33.6%	25.1%	31.0%
	(130)	(42)	(172)
7-12	13.7%	6.6%	11.6%
	(53)	(11)	(64)
13-24	7.8%	3.6%	6.5%
	(30)	(6)	(36)
More than 24	3.1%	5.4%	3.8%
	(12)	(9)	(21)
answered question	387	167	554
		skipped question	64

23. Did you graduate from an Oklahoma high school?

	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Yes	75.0% (288)	59.3% (99)	70.2% (387)
No	25.0% (96)	40.7% (68)	29.8% (164)
answered question	384	167	551
		skipped question	67

24. While in junior high or high school did you participate in one of the following courses or extracurricular clubs that emphasize a career in teacher education?

	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Teacher Cadet	1.9%	1.9%	1.9%
	(7)	(3)	(10)
Pro Team	0.5%	0.0%	0.4%
	(2)	(0)	(2)
Academic Commitment to Education (ACE)	1.6%	0.0%	1.1%
	(6)	(0)	(6)
Leadership, Education and Achievement Program (LEAP)	3.0%	1.2%	2.5%
	(11)	(2)	(13)
Future Educators of America/Future Educators Association (FEA)	3.3%	1.2%	2.6%
	(12)	(2)	(14)
Future Teachers Association	0.8%	0.6% (1)	0.8% (4)
Other Education Class/Club	9.5%	6.2%	8.5%
	(35)	(10)	(45)
No	81.5%	89.5%	84.0%
	(300)	(145)	(445)
answered question	368	162	530
		skipped question	88

25. If you participated in one of the courses or extracurricular clubs above, or a similar program, did this influence you to become a teacher?

	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Yes	10.9% (41)	6.2% (10)	9.5% (51)
No	10.1% (38)	5.6% (9)	8.7% (47)
Did not participate.	79.0% (297)	88.3% (143)	81.8% (440)
answered question	376	162	538
skipped question			80

26. If you participated in one of the courses or extracurricular clubs above, or a similar program, did this help prepare you for college and entrance into teacher education?

	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Yes	11.1% (42)	5.5% (9)	9.4% (51)
No	9.0% (34)	6.7% (11)	8.3% (45)
Did not particpate.	79.8% (301)	87.8% (144)	82.3% (445)
answered question	377	164	541
skipped question			77

27. Please specify your race. (Responses will be used for reporting purposes only.)

	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
American Indian or Alaska Native	10.7% (41)	4.9% (8)	9.0% (49)
Asian	1.6% (6)	3.0% (5)	2.0% (11)
Black or African American	3.1% (12)	6.7% (11)	4.2% (23)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0.5% (2)	0.0% (0)	0.4%
Hispanic	3.4% (13)	4.3% (7)	3.7% (20)
White	84.9% (325)	84.8% (139)	84.8% (464)
Other (please specify)	2 replies	3 replies	5
answered question	383	164	547
		skipped question	71

28. Please specify your gender.

	Through which teaching route did you receive your teaching license?		
	Traditional Certification (Completed a university education degree with a student teaching component.)	Alternative Certification (State Department of Education Alternative Placement Program, Troops to Teachers, Paraprofessional, Teach for America or ABCTE)	Response Totals
Male	14.0% (54)	29.9% (50)	18.8% (104)
Female	86.0% (333)	70.1% (117)	81.2% (450)
answered question	387	167	554
		skipped question	64