Arkansas State University

College of Education and Behavioral Science

EPP Assessment Day

One-Year Data Reports for 2020-2021



Fall Assessment Day November 12, 2021 Name of Assessment: Completer Satisfaction Survey (Advanced)

Year: 2020-2021

Standard #:

Of the 151 respondents, 52.32% received a promotion as a result of advanced preparation at A-State. And 81.63% completed their program of study in 2 years or less. As the quality of the programs were aligned to the CAEP proficiencies, all indicators were at a mean of at least 4.31 on a 5-point Likert scale. The mean of means was 4.39. This indicates that completers felt that they were well prepared for their area of specialization.

The response rate indicates a challenge. Of 1572 completer surveys sent, only 151 responded which is a 9.61% response rate. Only 51 respondents answered 'yes' or 'no response' to question 3 'Are you employed in the area of specialization completed?' which is only 3.2%. However, we know that some students pursue the degrees for raises rather than higher positions. Through communication in courses, some students indicate that they are pursuing degrees for potential future promotions rather than immediate positions.

The two lowest rated areas of the survey were regarding Diversity and ability to "demonstrate a strong foundation to address current issues and trends within my field of specialization." Although the means were still high, this indicates two areas that we could strengthen.

Reflective of current demographics of educators in America, 81.63% of respondents are white and 95.92% are employed in public schools. While also considered a strength, 73.47% of respondents are employed in 'high needs' schools. This indicates that A-State is providing completers who can and will meet the challenges of high needs schools. Positive responses of the indicators aligned to CAEP proficiencies demonstrates that completers feel confident in their preparation at A-State.