

Measure 3: Candidates Competency at Program Completion (Initial and Advanced Level)

edTPA Assessment

edTPA is an assessment of teacher education candidates' skills in planning instruction, conducting instruction, and assessment of student learning. It is a nationally used assessment for initial licensure and is scored by professional educators external to Concordia University. The edTPA assessment is required for all teacher candidates and passing it is a requirement for an Illinois teaching license. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic the state waived the requirement for licensure. Because the assessment is a requirement for graduation, CUC decided to have candidates submit the assessment to the university instead of to Pearson. We recognize the limitations of this data but felt it was necessary to hold students to high standards and expectations. All submission were evaluated by COE faculty.

edTPA Fall 2020

Semester	Description	CUC_N	CUC Mean	State Mean	NtlMean
Fall 2020	K-12 Physical Education	1	40	40.5	44.9
Fall 2020	Mid Childhood His	1	41.5	45	42.9
Fall 2020	Secondary English-Language Art	5	44.8	45.7	45.8
Fall 2020	Secondary History/Soc Studies	1	40	44.7	44.1
Fall 2020	Secondary Science	3	43	47	40.5
Fall 2020	Secondary PE	1	39	46.5	43.4
Fall 2020	Elementary	5	42	52	44.3
Fall 2020	K-12 Music	2	46	52.6	49
Fall 2020	Secondary Math	1	40	40.8	40
Fall 2020	Early Childhood	6	41.5	42	40.7

edTPA Spring 2021

Semester	Description	CUC_N	CUC Mean	State Mean	NtlMean
Spring 2021	Early Childhood	2	45	41.8	41.2
Spring 2021	Elementary	13	44	45.5	44.5
Spring 2021	K-12 Music	3	45	45.8	45.2
Spring 2021	K-12 Physical Education	1	45	41.4	39.9
Spring 2021	Secondary English-Language Art	3	49	47	46.5
Spring 2021	Secondary History/Soc Studies	2	43.00	46.5	45.3
Spring 2021	Secondary Mathematics	2	48.50	40.2	40
Spring 2021	Secondary Science	5	39.83	42	41.9
Spring 2021	Special Education	3	45.00	46.8	44.7