

2020 - 2021
Purdue University Teacher Education Program (TEP)
Candidate Checklist

Requirements for Gate A: Admission to the TEP

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| Date: | |
| | Satisfy all GPA requirements. _____ Overall _____ Professional Education _____ Content Area |
| | Complete Professional Education courses with a grade of "C-" or higher and no "I" (Incomplete) grade. |
| | Professional Education courses required prior to Gate A are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Most programs - EDCI 20500, EDCI 28500, EDPS 23500, EDPS 26500. • Early Childhood - HDFS 21000, HDFS 26000 or EDPS 26500, HDFS 31000, HDFS 41200. |
| | Adhere to the Criminal Background Check Policy required throughout the TEP. |
| | Complete the Teaching Beliefs and Mindsets Survey |
| | Complete and <u>submit</u> the online TEP Application by the end of the Sophomore year at https://discover.education.purdue.edu/tepapp/ . |

**Effective July 1, 2019 the Indiana State Legislature eliminated the state mandated admission requirement for the Basic Skills Competency Assessment. On September 4, 2019, the Purdue University Teacher Education Council (TEC) reviewed and eliminated this requirement for candidates of the Teacher Education Program.*

Requirements for Gate B: Student Teaching

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| Date: | |
| | Satisfy all GPA requirements. _____ Overall _____ Professional Education _____ Content Area |
| | Complete Professional Education courses with a grade of "C-" or higher and no "I" (Incomplete) grade. |
| | Meet satisfactory performance assessments as defined by faculty (Teacher Education Assessment Portal and edTPA). |
| | Adhere to the Criminal Background Check Policy required throughout the TEP. |
| | Complete the Teaching Beliefs and Mindsets Survey |
| | Register for the mandatory student teaching Clinical Acceptance Process (CAP) workshop provided by the Office of Clinical Practice. _____ Complete in January the year before you plan to student teach. |
| | Attempt <u>all</u> required Pearson content test(s) before the student teaching semester.* <u>Testing Deadlines:</u> _____ November 15 for Spring Student Teaching _____ June 15 for Fall Student Teaching <i>*For Fall 2020 and Spring 2021 student teachers the TEC Executive Committee approved a COVID-19 waiver for attempting the content test(s) as a requirement for Gate B, student teaching. The content test(s) are still required for licensure. Complete testing as soon as possible.</i> |

Requirements for Gate C: Recommendation for Licensure

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| Date: | |
| | Satisfy all GPA requirements. _____ Overall _____ Professional Education _____ Content Area |
| | Complete student teaching or internship with a minimum grade of "C-." |
| | Meet satisfactory performance assessments as defined by faculty (Teacher Education Assessment Portal and edTPA). |
| | Successfully complete the required Pearson pedagogy test. |
| | Successfully complete all required Pearson content test(s). |
| | Verify that required number of clock hours have been completed and received by your advisor (Agriculture Education and Family & Consumer Science only). |
| | Receive degree or verification of program completion. |
| | Resolve financial holds on academic records (if applicable). |
| | After <u>all</u> the above steps are completed 100%, including testing, apply online via Licensing Verification and Information System (LVIS) at https://license.doe.in.gov/ *Complete and upload CPR/Heimlich Maneuver/AED certification or card (both sides). *Complete and upload documentation of Suicide Prevention certification. |
| | Allow four to six weeks for Purdue University to evaluate and the Indiana Department of Education (IDOE) to grant the Indiana License. |
| | After receipt an Indiana License, apply for out-of-state licensure (if desired). |

GPA Requirements:

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| Overall GPA Minimum | Most Majors | 2.50/4.00 |
| | Early Childhood Elementary Education Exceptional Needs/Special Education Family and Consumer Sciences | 2.80/4.00 |
| | Social Studies | 3.00/4.00 |
| Professional Education GPA Minimum | All Majors | 3.00/4.00 with grades of "C-" or higher and no "I" grade. |
| Content GPA Minimum* | Most Majors | 2.50/4.00 |
| | Early Childhood | 2.80/4.00 |
| *The Elementary Education, Dual Elementary Education and Exceptional Needs, and Exceptional Needs majors do not have a content GPA separately calculated. The content GPA is the same as the professional education GPA. | | |

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| TEP Application Form | https://discover.education.purdue.edu/tepapp/ See your advisor for the current key code when you are ready to apply. |
| Testing Information | https://www.education.purdue.edu/teacher-preparation/licensure/testing/ |
| Pearson Testing | http://www.in.nesinc.com/Home.aspx |

For complete details, go to <https://www.education.purdue.edu/teacher-preparation/teacher-education-program/>