

Assessment of Student Learning Plan (ASLP): **Teaching & Learning (Etep)**

2015-16 Academic Year

A. College, Department, Date

College __College of Management and Human Development____
Department __Teaching & Learning_____
Date __5/27/16_____

B. Contact Person for the Assessment Plan

Name and title _Flynn Ross, Etep Coordinator__

C. Degree Program

Name of Degree Program _Masters of Science in Education, Teaching and Learning
Concentration _____

D. Assessment of Student Learning: Program Assessment

Step 1: Identify the Student Learning Outcomes (SLO's)

- a. Do you have your student learning outcomes published on your department's website? Yes/No
 - i. If yes, please indicate the url:
_http://usm.maine.edu/sites/default/files/teacher-education/teacher_certification_standards.pdf_
 - ii. If no, please list 3-5 of the most important student learning outcomes for your program. **What will students know by the end of your program?**

- b. Please identify **which of your student learning outcome(s) were assessed this past academic year**. (One or more of the outcomes and corresponding assessment plans could come from your department's CORE Course Blueprint(s).
- c. Do you have a **matrix or curriculum map** showing when your student learning outcomes are assessed and in which courses? **Yes/No**
- i. If yes, do you have this map published on your website? Please indicate url or attach a copy of the curriculum map. – **attached file "ETEP Program Assessment Matrix"**
- ii. Assessment Resources link, scroll down to the assessment information list to see examples on "Curriculum Map templates, Curriculum Map SLO's example, and Curriculum Map Embedded Assignments"
<https://usm.maine.edu/assessment/assessment-resources>

Step 2: Assessment Methods Selected and Implemented

- a. Identify which direct measures (other than course grades), that were used to determine whether students achieved the stated learning outcomes for the degree. **See attached file "Teaching Standards"**
- b. Briefly describe when you implemented the assessment activity, and if a scoring rubric was used to evaluate the expected level of student achievement. (This information may be shown on your curriculum map).
See attached TK20 report on Unit assessment file labeled "Report"

Step 3: Using the Assessment results to Improve Student Learning

- a. Briefly describe your unit's process of reviewing the program assessment results (i.e. annual process by faculty committee, etc). **TEAC Accreditation 2014-2016 ETEP Program Retreat 5/26/16 and CTEL grant support Methods Instructor meeting June 22,**
- b. What changes have been or will be made to improve student learning, as a result of using the program assessment results? **Distributed assessment system with assignment rubrics aligned with program standards housed in Tk20 data system.**
- c. Date of most recent program review/self-study? **5/26/16 and 6/22/16**

E..Course Assessment Activities: *Is your program able to report any assessment-related activities at the Course-Level... (i.e. created grading rubrics to use in required courses, examined student progress in entry-level courses, developed a new course, etc)? Please briefly explain any assessment projects.* **Creation of distributed assessment system with a course assignment rubric aligned with program standards from each course housed in Tk20.**

F. Community Engagement Activities in your departmental curriculum:

a. Does your department have a student learning outcome that is related to any community engagement activities? If so, please state the outcome. **For teacher preparation all standards are professional standards aligned with national (INTASC) standards adopted by state Department of Education for initial teacher licensure. These standards are all connected to student teaching/internship in the community.**

b. Please indicate what community engagement activities are included in your program’s curriculum, and whether the activities are required or optional for students in your major.

<u>Community Engagement Activity</u>	<u>Included</u>	<u>Required/Optional</u>	
Student Research (related to a community-based problem)	EDU 643	R	O
Student-Faculty Community Research Project	___	R	O
Internship, or a Field Experience	EDU 613/644	R	O
Independent Study (community-related project)	___	R	O
Capstone Course (community-related project)	EDU 643	R	O
Service-Learning (course-based)	___	R	O
Study Abroad, or an International Program	___	R	O
Interdisciplinary Collaborative Project (community related)	___	R	O
Student Leadership Activities (related to a team project)	___	R	O
Students/Faculty Community Leadership (advisory boards, committees, conference presentations)	___	R	O
Other Activities (not mentioned above):			

c. Please list any courses (i.e. EDU 400) that have a community engagement activity in your program.

Entry-level courses:

Mid-level courses:

Upper-level courses: EDU 644/613; 643