

**INSTITUTIONAL PROFILE FOR SOUTHERN OREGON UNIVERSITY
TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAMS**

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Level of Program and Content Areas Offered for Initial Teacher License	Undergraduate: Elementary Education Graduate: Master of Arts in Teaching (Elementary and Secondary), Special Education
Program Options	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Full time program during the day ✓ Evening or weekend program ✓ Online or hybrid program
Student Supports and Scholarships	All initial licensure programs are cohort based; Minority Outreach Programs offer incentives and supports for culturally and linguistically diverse candidates.
Community College Articulation Agreements	Rogue Community College, Klamath Community College, Southwest Oregon Community College
Nationally Accredited	State accreditation through Oregon TPSC; National accreditation: pending
Number of 2017-18 Graduates from Initial Licensure Program	N = 90
Percentage of 2017-18 Initial Licensure Graduates who are Racially Diverse	10% (N = 9)
Number of 2017-18 Full-time Educator Preparation Faculty Members who are Racially Diverse	19% (N = 3)
Educator Preparation Program Admission Requirements	Volunteer or paid experience in public schools with letters of recommendation; entrance interview; writing sample; verification of pre-requisite coursework; 3.0 gpa
Percent of 2016-17 Program Completers Hired in 2017-18 in Oregon Public Schools	78%
School Partnerships for Clinical Placements	Our programs are heavily field based with candidates spending approximately 1000 hours within k-12 schools. Clinical experiences include time in targeted support programs working with historically underserved populations.

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Unique Attributes and Points of Pride

Satellite programs in Klamath Falls and Coos Bay enable aspiring teachers to complete all fieldwork and the majority of academic coursework within their local community. The SOU Early Childhood Development program recognized among best online Bachelor's degrees in Early Childhood Education.