

2009 grads
1st year employed
survey 2010

ALL USG INSTITUTIONS

I. CONTENT AND CURRICULUM	<i>n</i>	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	No Answer	Not Applicable
1. I am able to demonstrate broad, current, and specialized knowledge in my field(s).	558		0.5	41.4	57.7		0.4
2. I am able to understand and use content and pedagogical knowledge that is	558	0.2	2.3	43.2	53.4	0.5	0.4
3. I feel well prepared to support literacy development in my students.	558	0.4	6.8	51.8	38.4		2.7
4. I stay current in my field(s) of expertise.	558		0.5	40.0	59.0	0.2	0.4
5. I am able to interpret and construct school, district, and programmatic curricula	558		0.9	42.1	55.7	0.7	0.5
6. I relate my field to other areas of the school and to everyday life.	558		0.5	35.3	63.1	0.5	0.5

II. KNOWLEDGE OF STUDENTS, TEACHING AND LEARNING	<i>n</i>	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	No Answer	Not Applicable
believe that everyone can learn at high levels.	558	0.4	3.3	31.6	63.9	0.4	0.5
8. I demonstrate an understanding of how students develop and learn.	558		0.5	41.4	57.4	0.5	0.2
students identified as needing special education services.	558	0.5	8.9	38.7	51.2	0.4	0.4
10. I communicate effectively with students from diverse cultural backgrounds.	558	0.2	2.9	38.3	57.5	0.4	0.7
11. I use the best professional practices to meet the needs of diverse learners.	558		1.6	39.7	57.5	0.9	0.2
outside of school may influence students' lives and learning.	558		0.4	20.9	78.2	0.4	0.2
relationships with families and communities to support student learning.	558		0.5	33.8	64.6	0.7	0.4

III. LEARNING ENVIRONMENT	<i>n</i>	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	No Answer	Not Applicable
14. I feel confident in my ability to create learning environments that focus on	558		1.7	37.7	59.7	0.7	0.2
15. I am able to manage time, space, activities, technology, and other resources	558		1.8	46.2	51.2	0.6	0.2
16. I implement effective classroom management strategies in all school spaces.	558		3.5	44.2	51.4	0.7	0.2
17. I use knowledge about human motivation and behavior to develop	558		2.0	44.9	52.3	0.6	0.2
18. I use knowledge of students' unique cultures, experiences, and communities to	558	0.2	3.3	45.7	49.2	0.7	0.9

IV. CLASSROOM, PROGRAM AND SCHOOL WIDE ASSESSMENT	<i>n</i>	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	No Answer	Not Applicable
methods appropriate for instructional and programmatic decisions.	558		1.1	48.7	48.9	0.9	0.4
technology to keep accurate and up-to-date records.	558		0.6	37.4	61.3	0.6	0.2
assessment data to communicate knowledgeably and responsibly to students,	558		2.6	39.8	56.1	0.9	0.6

V. PLANNING AND INSTRUCTION	<i>n</i>	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	No Answer	Not Applicable
programs based on knowledge of state and district performance standards, curriculum,	558		0.4	30.5	67.9	0.7	0.6
23. I use a variety of research-based strategies to support learning.	558		1.5	45.8	51.8	0.4	0.6
24. I reflect on my practice and make necessary adjustments to enhance learning.	558	0.2	0.4	32.3	66.4	0.6	0.2
multimedia resources appropriately to maximize learning opportunities for all	558		1.3	36.8	60.7	0.7	0.4

VI. PROFESSIONALISM	<i>n</i>	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	No Answer	Not Applicable
26. I work collaboratively with colleagues and other professionals.	558	0.2	0.7	24.5	74.2	0.4	
27. I communicate respect and concern for all students.	558			18.5	80.5	0.7	0.2
related to rights and responsibilities of students, educators, and families.	558		1.1	26.8	71.2	0.7	0.2
professional conduct, including school and district policies.	558			17.4	82.0	0.6	
30. I treat students equitably.	558		0.2	18.9	80.0	0.4	0.6
31. I play a leadership role in the school community.	558	0.6	7.5	40.8	46.8	0.6	
32. I systematically reflect on teaching and learning to improve my practice.	558		0.7	32.4	66.3	0.4	0.2
reflection, input from others, and career goals.	558			28.1	70.6	0.9	0.4

	<i>n</i>	Percent	Valid Percent
Not Answered	35	6.7	
Yes	465	88.9	95.3
No	23	4.4	4.7
Total	558		

Dalton State College

	<i>n</i>	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	No Answer	Not Applicable
I. CONTENT AND CURRICULUM							
1. I am able to demonstrate broad, current, and specialized knowledge in my field(s).	9			55.6	44.4		
2. I am able to understand and use content and pedagogical knowledge that is appropriate for diverse learners.	9			66.7	33.3		
3. I feel well prepared to support literacy development in my students.	9			55.6	44.4		
4. I stay current in my field(s) of expertise.	9			77.8	22.2		
5. I am able to interpret and construct school, district, and programmatic curricula that reflect state and national content area standards.	9			55.6	44.4		
6. I relate my field to other areas of the school and to everyday life.	9			44.4	55.6		

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II. KNOWLEDGE OF STUDENTS, TEACHING AND LEARNING							
7. I hold high expectations for all because I believe that everyone can learn at high levels.	9			33.3	66.7		
8. I demonstrate an understanding of how students develop and learn.	9			33.3	66.7		
9. I am confident in my ability to work with students identified as needing special education services.	9		11.1	44.4	44.4		
10. I communicate effectively with students from diverse cultural backgrounds.	9		11.1	44.4	44.4		
11. I use the best professional practices to meet the needs of diverse learners.	9			55.6	44.4		

12. I understand how factors inside and outside of school may influence students' lives and learning.	9			33.3	66.7		
13. I establish respectful and productive relationships with families and communities to support student learning.	9			33.3	66.7		

	<i>n</i>	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	No Answer	Not Applicable
III. LEARNING ENVIRONMENT							
14. I feel confident in my ability to create learning environments that focus on engaging all students in learning, collaboratively, and individually.	9			33.3	66.7		
15. I am able to manage time, space, activities, technology, and other resources to provide active and equitable engagement of diverse students and adults in productive tasks.	9			33.3	66.7		
16. I implement effective classroom management strategies in all school spaces.	9			33.3	66.7		
17. I use knowledge about human motivation and behavior to develop strategies for organizing and supporting learning.	9			55.6	44.4		
18. I use knowledge of students' unique cultures, experiences, and communities to sustain culturally responsive classrooms and schools.	9			44.4	55.6		

	<i>n</i>	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	No Answer	Not Applicable
IV. CLASSROOM, PROGRAM AND SCHOOL WIDE ASSESSMENT							
19. I choose, develop, and use assessment methods appropriate for instructional and programmatic decisions.	9			33.3	66.7		
20. I use available resources including technology to keep accurate and up-to-date records.	9			33.3	66.7		
21. I feel competent in my ability to use assessment data to communicate knowledgeably and responsibly to students, parents, community, and school personnel.	9			22.2	77.8		

	n	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	No Answer	Not Applicable
V. PLANNING AND INSTRUCTION							
22. I plan and carry out instruction and programs based on knowledge of state and district performance standards, curriculum, students, learning environments, and assessment data.	9			22.2	77.8		
23. I use a variety of research-based strategies to support learning.	9			55.6	44.4		
24. I reflect on my practice and make necessary adjustments to enhance learning.	9			55.6	44.4		
25. I integrate technology and other multimedia resources appropriately to maximize learning opportunities for all students and monitor and adjust strategies in response to learner feedback.	9			33.3	66.7		

	n	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	No Answer	Not Applicable
VI. PROFESSIONALISM							
26. I work collaboratively with colleagues and other professionals.	9		11.1	33.3	55.6		
27. I communicate respect and concern for all students.	9			33.3	66.7		
28. I understand and implement laws related to rights and responsibilities of students, educators, and families.	9			33.3	66.7		
29. I follow established codes of professional conduct, including school and district policies.	9			33.3	66.7		
30. I treat students equitably.	9			33.3	66.7		
31. I play a leadership role in the school community.	9			77.8	22.1		

32. I systematically reflect on teaching and learning to improve my practice.	9			33.3	55.6		
33. I seek opportunities to learn based on reflection, input from others, and career goals.	9			44.4	55.6		

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Encourage to Attend

No	1	11.1
Yes	8	88.9
Missing/No Answer		

2009 Completers Employed FY2010

Institution	Initial Email*	Bounced Back/ Undeliverable	Contacted (Completed, Started, or Opened Survey)	Eligible Participants	Response Rate	Complete Response Set	Complete Response Rate (Complete Response Set)
Dalton State College	46	13	21	33	63.6	9	27.3
All USG Institutions	3492	712	1007	2780	36.2	558	20.1