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2018 Educator Preparation Program Performance Reports

The New Jersey Department of Education has worked with Educator Preparation Programs (EPPs) at New Jersey colleges and universities to develop Educator Preparation Provider Performance Reports (EPPPRs), which provide information about candidates who teach in New Jersey public schools.

These reports include data about candidates who were prepared at an approved Educator Preparation Program, obtained a Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing (CEAS) or Certificate of Eligibility (CE) between September 1, 2015 and August 31, 2016, and worked in a New Jersey public school as of October 15, 2017.

This is just one tool that can be used to promote the teaching profession and support students of all backgrounds as they consider postsecondary endeavors. The NJDOE encourages school counselors to share these reports with students who are interested in pursuing a career in education.

The EPPPRs summarize and share available data to:
- Equip prospective teachers with empirical information about their teacher preparation program options;
- Supply schools and districts with data about providers and their graduates;
- Provide data on the supply, demand and composition of all recently certified program completers;
- Empower educator preparation programs with information to promote continuous improvement; and
- Promote continuing efforts to support teaching and teacher preparation.

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