MASTER OF EDUCATION IN THE ART OF TEACHING (MAT) ALTERNATE ROUTE EFFECTIVENESS PROGRAM – SECONDARY EDUCATION 2014-2015

EXPANDED STATEMENT OF INSTITUTIONAL MISSION	OUTCOMES	ASSESSMENT CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES	ASSESSMENT RESULTS	USE OF RESULTS
University Mission: As a Christian university which embraces its Baptist heritage and namesake, William Carey University provides quality educational programs, within a caring Christian academic community, which challenge the individual student to excel in scholarship, leadership, and service in a	1. MAT interns use an understanding of individual and group motivation and behavior to build a learning environment and classroom management strategies that encourage positive social interaction, active engagement in learning, and self-motivation. (INTASC Principle 5) (WCU Goal 1:1)	1. A. As documented by the Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report, teacher perceptions of professional competencies will meet or exceed 90% positive rating.		
diverse global society.		1. B. As documented by the		
Expanded Statement of Mission:		Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report, principal		
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Provide academic programs to promote student learning		teacher's professional competencies will meet or exceed		
2. Promote Christian development and		95% positive rating.		
social responsibility				
3. Serve Baptist churches, associations, and conventions		2. A. In EDU 606, Designing an		
4. Provide an environment that	2. MAT interns understand how	Interdisciplinary Unit, the target population will achieve a		
supports student learning 5. Strengthen organizational and	students differ in their approaches to learning and create instructional	minimum of 85% on each		
operational effectiveness	opportunities that are adapted to diverse learners. (INTASC Principle 3) (WCU	indicator for Interdisciplinary Rubric.		
6. Strengthen financial resources	Goal 1.1)			
Goal for Departmental Program/Unit:				
Education Goals:				
Consistent with the Interstate New Teacher Assessment and Support Consortium				
(INTASC) AND NCATE Standards, William Carey University seeks to prepare teachers				
who:				
apply current research and technology related to the teaching-learning-assessment				
process;				
2. respond sensitively to individual differences and diversity;				
3. understand and anticipate the needs of a				
global society;				
4. plan and implement learning experiences that support the highest level of student				
potential;				

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4. Students in the Master of Education in Art of Teaching (M.A.T.) will be literate consumers of research literature, be able to apply best practice research to assessment techniques, and be able to present best practice research information to colleagues. (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.2)	4. A. In EDU 650, 80% of the students will be able to create, using a performance based assessment model, a criterions referenced test, obtaining a minimum of 80% out of 100% met Exemplary Standards.	

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	4. B. In EDU 620, 80% of the students will be able to write an introduction for a research plan using a rubric and earning a ranking of Target, Emerging or Novice. Criterion: Introduction, Statement of Topic, Review of Literature, Statement of General Issue and Hypothesis, Participants, Instrument Addressing Technical Issues, Design, Procedures to be Used, Analysis of Data, and References.	

Acceptable, Emerging, and Novice.

	4. D. In EDU 636, Reading and Writing Across the Curriculum, students will achieve a group mean score of 80% (Target and Acceptable combined) when being assessed for assessed for Scholarly Writing.	

5. The teacher candidate will demonstrate content knowledge and performance skills across content pedagogy courses in preparation for the Internship Field Practicum. (EDU Goals 1-7) (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.2, 1.4)	5. A. In EDU 536, Classroom Management, the target population will obtain a score of 85% or higher on the Chapter Presentation Rubric when Target and Acceptable scores are combined.	

	5. B. In EDU 625, Technology in Education, the students will demonstrate their technology competencies at a minimum of 80% Mastery or Proficient using the INTEL Teach to the Future Certification standards. 5. C. In EDU 646, Secondary Methods, students are required to design an Integrated Content Choice Board. The rubric has four performance levels (Target, Acceptable, Emerging, and Unacceptable) with four indicators. Students as a group will reach 80% or higher when Target and Acceptable scores are combined.	
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6. Students in the M.Ed. in Alternate Route will provide evidence of content knowledge, application of that knowledge, and synthesis of that knowledge. (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.4) (EDU Goals 1-7)	6. A. Students will have a mean score of 3.0 or higher on a 5.0 scale on the Comprehensive Examination.	

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Provide academic programs to promote student learning Promote Christian development and social responsibility Strengthen ties with Baptist churches, associations, and conventions Provide an environment that supports		B. As documented by the Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report, principal observations of a developing teacher's professional competencies will meet or exceed 95% positive rating.	1. B. The same issue applies to the second part of the Mississippi Teacher Education Performance report. There is no 2013-2014 report as yet.	B. This is an external evaluation by principals of first year WCU graduates in the classroom.
student learning 5. Strengthen organizational and operational effectiveness 6. Strengthen financial resources Goal for Departmental Program/Unit:	2. MAT interns understand how students differ in their approaches to learning and create instructional opportunities that are adapted to diverse learners. (INTASC Principle 3) (WCU	2. A. In EDU 606, Designing an Interdisciplinary Unit, the target population will achieve a minimum of 85% on each indicator for Interdisciplinary Rubric.	2. A. Designing an Interdisciplinary Unit has ten indicators with four performance levels. There was an N of 57.	2. A. The Student Learning Outcome was exceeded on every indicator and a total group mean 97% (Target and Acceptable). These scores show students have strong competencies in the design of interdisciplinary units. This key
Education Goals: Consistent with the Interstate New Teacher Assessment and Support Consortium (INTASC) AND NCATE Standards, William Carey University seeks to prepare teachers who: 1. apply current research and technology related to the teaching-learning-assessment process; 2. respond sensitively to individual differences and diversity; 3. understand and anticipate the needs of a global society; 4. plan and implement learning experiences that support the highest level of student potential;	Goal 1.1)		(1)Topic or Theme Choice Target 98.25 Acceptable 1.75% Emerging 0% Unacceptable 0% (2) Scan and Cluster Target 94.74% Acceptable 3.51% Emerging 1.75% Unacceptable 0%	assessment will be maintained for the next academic year.
5. continue to reflect, refine, and revise professional practices;6. collaborate with others to promote learning;7. Build caring, reflective decision-makers.			(3) Selection of Broad-Based Standards Target 94.74%	

5. continue to reflect, refine, and revise	Acceptable 1.75%
professional practices;	Emerging 1.75%
6. collaborate with others to promote learning;	Unacceptable 1.75%
7. Build caring, reflective decision-makers.	Unacceptable 1.75%
	(4) Construction of Know/ Do/
	Be/ (BD) Umbrella
	Target 84.21%
	Acceptable 7.02%
	Emerging 8.77%
	Unacceptable 0%
	(5) Construction of Web
	Target 91.23%
	Acceptable 8.77%
	Emerging 0%
	Unacceptable 0%
	Unacceptable 0%
	(6) Big Understandings answer
	Big Questions
	Target 89.47%
	Acceptable 3.51%
	Emerging 1.75%
	Unacceptable 5.26%
	(7) Creating Big Questions
	Target 92.98%
	Acceptable 3.51%
	Emerging 3.51%
	Unacceptable 0%
	Onacceptable 076
	(8) Description of Big Assessment Task
	Target 94.74%
	Acceptable 5.26%
	Emerging 0%
	Unacceptable 0%
	(9) Task Specific Rubric
	Target 87.72%
	Acceptable 10.53%
	Emerging 0%
	Unacceptable 1.75%
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Target 89.47% Acceptable 8.77%

Nurtures an appreciation of the fine arts – Mean 4.5 S.D. 0.9
Provides basic professional training in selected areas – Mean 4.6 S.D. 0.7
Develops responsible leaders and citizens – Mean 4.7 S.D. 0.8
The primary aims of faculty and staff are to provide for each student effective instruction, proper example, judicious counsel, and loving concern – Mean 4.8 S.D. 0.7
In striving to reach these objectives, William Carey University seeks to have each individual within the University community — students, faculty, staff, and administrators — attain his/her highest potential Mean 4.8 S.D. 0.7
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N=69 Main Campus Promotes the practice of
Christian Principles – Mean 4.7 S.D. 0.8 Provides an atmosphere in which persons of different faiths, cultures, and nationalities can be challenged intellectually, but also can develop spiritually, morally, emotionally, socially, and physically – Mean 4.8 S.D. 0.9
Emphasizes the cultural values of the arts and sciences – Mean 4.5 SD 0.8
Teaches effective communication – Mean 4.6 S.D. 0.8
Stimulates critical thinking – Mean 4.7 S.D. 0.7

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		Maintains a high level of scholarship – Mean 4.6 S.D. 0.9 Develops talent and recognizes achievement – Mean 4.5 S.D. 0.9 Nurtures an appreciation of the fine arts – Mean 4.5 S.D. 0.9 Provides basic professional training in selected areas – Mean 4.6 S.D. 0.7 Develops responsible leaders and citizens – Mean 4.7 S.D. 0.7 The primary aims of faculty and staff are to provide for each student effective instruction, proper example, judicious counsel, and counsel, and loving concern – Mean 4.8 S.D. 0.7 loving concern – Mean 4.8 S.D. 0.7 lin striving to reach these objectives, William Carey University seeks to have each individual within the University community – students, faculty, staff, and administrators – attain his/her highest potential Mean 4.8 S.D. 0.7 Total Mean 4.7 S.D. 0.7	

3. B. At the time of the comprehensive examination, all candidates are surveyed using the Graduate School of Education Exit Survey was administred with the following results. HATTIESBURG CAMPUS with a roll 1 categories. The Student Learning Outcome is that graduates will be following results. HATTIESBURG CAMPUS with the following results. HATTIESBURG CAMPUS with the following results. HATTIESBURG CAMPUS with the following results. HATTIESBURG CAMPUS with no foll 9 Alternate Route graduates, the 11 categories. 3. B. The 2013-2014 the Graduate School of Education Exit Survey as administred with the following results. HATTIESBURG CAMPUS with no foll 9 Alternate Route graduates, the 11 categories are: Advisor Guidance 4.36 Facilities 4.47 Technology 4.89 Best Practices 4.68 Scholurly Writing 4.47 Research Skills 4.2 Class Availability 4.58 Individual Needs 4.47 Mission 4.53 Total Mean: 4.52 TRADITION CAMPUS With an N of 8 Alternate Route Secondary graduates, the 12 categories are: Advisor Guidance 4.37 Faculty Expertise 4.75 Library 4.37 Facilities 4.75 Technology 4.37 Best Practices 4.37 Facilities 4.75 Technology 4.37 Best Practices 4.37		T		1
Scholarly Writing 4.87 Research Skills 4.87 Class Availability 4.75 Individual Needs 4.5 Mission 4.75 Diversity 4.5 Total Mean: 4.6		comprehensive examination, all candidates are surveyed using the Graduate School of Education Exit Survey. There are 11 categories. The Student Learning Outcome is that graduates would have a mean of 4.0 or higher in	Graduate School of Education Exit Survey was administered with the following results. HATTIESBURG CAMPUS With an N of 19 Alternate Route graduates, the 11 categories are: Advisor Guidance 4.36 Faculty Expertise 4.52 Library 4.36 Facilities 4.47 Technology 4.89 Best Practices 4.68 Scholarly Writing 4.47 Research Skills 4.42 Class Availability 4.58 Individual Needs 4.47 Mission 4.53 Total Mean: 4.52 TRADITION CAMPUS With an N of 8 Alternate Route Secondary graduates, the 12 categories are: Advisor Guidance 4.37 Faculty Expertise 4.75 Library 4.37 Facilities 4.75 Technology 4.37 Best Practices 4.37 Scholarly Writing 4.87 Research Skills 4.87 Class Availability 4.75 Individual Needs 4.5 Mission 4.75 Diversity 4.5	was met in all 11 categories and the total mean of 4.52 for the Hattiesburg campus and 12 categories with a total mean of 4.6 for the Tradition campus. This indicates a strong positive affirmation of the program by graduating candidates in the

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4. Students in the Master of Education in Art of Teaching (M.A.T.) will be literate consumers of research literature, be able to apply best practice research to assessment techniques, and be able to present best practice research information to colleagues. (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.2)	4. A. In EDU 650, 80% of the students will be able to create, using a performance based assessment model, a criterions referenced test, obtaining a minimum of 80% out of 100% met Exemplary Standards.	4. A. The EDU 450/650 Test Project (N=92) has four indicators: (1)Common Core Standards and State Frameworks Specific Learning Outcomes. Target 73.91% Acceptable 16.3% Emerging 8.7% Unacceptable 1.09% (2) Assessment Content appropriate for a mini-unit Target 90.11% Acceptable 6.59% Emerging 2.2% Unacceptable 1.1% (3) SLOs and Test Questions match Target 83.52% Acceptable 7.69% Emerging 4.4% Unacceptable 4.4% (4) Appropriate test question rules Target 71.11% Acceptable 18.89% Emerging 7.78% Unacceptable 2.22% Target 79.67% Acceptable 12.36% Emerging 5.77% Unacceptable 2.2%	4. A. The Student Learning Outcome was exceeded with the majority of the candidates able to design effective assessments matched to student learning outcomes.

		4. B. In EDU 620, 80% of the students will be able to write an introduction for a research plan using a rubric and earning a ranking of Target, Emerging or Novice. Criterion: Introduction, Statement of Topic, Review of Literature, Statement of General Issue and Hypothesis, Participants, Instrument Addressing Technical Issues, Design, Procedures to be Used, Analysis of Data, and References.	4. B. There are eleven indicators with the following results: (1)Cover Page Target 100% Emerging 0% Novice 0% (2) Introduction Target 91.3% Emerging 4.35% Novice 4.35% (3) Statement of Topic of Interest Target 100% Emerging 0% Novice 0% (4) Review of Literature Target 69.57% Emerging 30.43 Novice 0% (5) State of General Issue / Hypothesis Target 73.91% Emerging 26.09% Novice 0% (6) Participants Target 82.61% Emerging 17.39% Novice 0% (7) Instrument / Addressing Technical Issues (Validity and Reliability) Target 65.22% Emerging 30.43% Novice 4.35%	4. B. The Student Learning Outcome was met in six of the eleven indicators with a total group mean of 81%. The indicators that did not meet the S.L.O. were aligned with research writing components: Review of Literature, Statement of Hypothesis, Instrument Validity and Reliability, Design, and Analysis. Faculty are planning to revise this rubric for the 2014-2015 academic year.
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		(8) Design	-
		Target 60.87%	
		Emerging 21.74%	
		Novice 17.39%	
		(9) Procedures to be Used	
		Target 95.65%	
		Emerging 4.35%	
		Novice 0%	
		(10) Analysis of Data	
		Target 52.17%	
		Emerging 29.09%	
		Novice 21.74%	
		(11) References	
		Target 100%	
		Emerging 0%	
		Novice 0%	
		Total Group Means	
		Target 81.03%	
		Emerging 14.25%	
		Novice 4.35%	
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	4. C. EDU 620, Teacher as a Researcher, introduces and	4. C. In the Annotated	
	develops research writing skills	Bibliography, the N was 113	
	for graduate students entering	with three indicators.	
	into the graduate program. The Annotated Bibliography is a key	(1) Five Appropriate Research Selections	
	component of the research writing	Target 94.69%	
	program. The Student Learning	Acceptable 3.54%	4. C. In the Annotated Bibliography
	Outcome will be a group mean of 85% or higher when Target and	Emerging 0.88%	(N=113), the Student Learning
	Acceptable are aggregated. There	Novice 0.88%	Outcome was exceeded (93.99%).
	are three indicators with four	(2) Appropriate Summary of	
	performance levels: Target,	Research and Quality of	
	Acceptable, Emerging, and Novice.	Writing	
		Target 59.29%	
		Acceptable 25.66%	
		Emerging 14.16%	
		Novice 0.88%	
		(3) Recommendation /	
		Reflection	

	4. D. In EDU 636, Reading and Writing Across the Curriculum,	Target 90.65% Acceptable 8.41% Emerging 0% Novice 0.93% TOTAL GROUP MEANS Target 81.38% Acceptable 12.61% Emerging 5.11% Novice 0.9%	4. D. The Student Learning Outcome was met in only one
	students will achieve a group mean score of 80% (Target and Acceptable combined) when being assessed for assessed for Scholarly Writing.	in the Scholarly Writing rubric. (1)Synthesis Target 35% Acceptable 10% Emerging 55% Unacceptable 0% (2) Application Target 77.78% Acceptable 22.22% Emerging 0% Unacceptable 0%	indicator: Application. Synthesis, Reflection, and Clarity were well below the minimum S.L.O. Standard. This is an important indicator that the Research Writing Initiative needs more focus with a variety of writing projects.
		(3) Reflection Target 35% Acceptable 10% Emerging 55% Unacceptable 0% (4) Clarity Target 35% Acceptable 10% Emerging 35% Unacceptable 20%	
		Total Group Means Target 40.58% Acceptable 11.59% Emerging 42.03% Unacceptable 5.8%	

	5. B. In EDU 625, Technology in Education, the students will demonstrate their technology competencies at a minimum of 80% Mastery or Proficient using the INTEL Teach to the Future Certification standards. 5. C. In EDU 646, Secondary Methods, students are required to design an Integrated Content Choice Board. The rubric has four performance levels (Target, Acceptable, Emerging, and Unacceptable) with four indicators. Students as a group will reach 80% or higher when Target and Acceptable scores are combined.	in Education, the students will demonstrate their technology competencies at a minimum of 80% Mastery or Proficient using the INTEL Teach to the Future Certification standards. 5. C. The Integrated Content Choice Board has four indicators: (1)Familiarity with Frameworks and Common Core Target 53.85% Acceptable 39.74% Emerging 6.41%	5. B. In the Technology Unit Design, all indicators exceeded the S.L.O. 5. C. The Integrated Content Choice Board develops the skills of secondary teachers to apply differentiated instruction to the learning needs of all students. The Student Learning Outcomes were exceeded on every indicator.
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6. A. The Student Learning 6. A. 100% of the M.Ed. 6. Students in the M.Ed. in Alternate 6. A. Students will have a mean Outcome was met with 100% Route will provide evidence of content score of 3.0 or higher on a 5.0 Secondary Education Art of passing the comprehensive knowledge, application of that scale on the Comprehensive Teaching (MAT) graduate examination in Fall 2013, Spring knowledge, and synthesis of that students in 2013-2014 earned Examination. 2014, and Summer 2014. knowledge. (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.4) (EDU an overall score of 3.0 or Goals 1-7) higher on the written The Summer 2014 examination was comprehensive examination. the first time the examination was aligned to ACEI objectives and the In Summer 2014, the school data analyzed. All standards met the coded the examination S.L.O. goal of 3.0 or higher. questions by content area standards with the following In the Spring 2014 a Comprehensive results: Examinations review guide was disseminated for the first time. The review video will be updated for the On a Likert scale of 1-5 with 5 Fall examination. being Excellent N=23Note should be taken concerning Technology with a score of 4.9. This strong score is due to the term SECONDARY METHODS by term updating of the EDU 625 Mean 3.5 Technology in Education course. NCSS Social Studies -Standard 1.5 NSTA Science - Standard 6.b NCTM Mathematics -Standard 8.4 NCTE English - Standard 4.3 NASPE Physical Education -Standard 3.4 NEEDS OF DIVERSE **STUDENTS** Mean 3.1 NCSS Social Studies -Standard 1.4 NSTA Science - Standard 8.a NCTM Mathematics -Standard 7.5 NCTE English - Standard 4.10 NASPE Physical Education -Standard 3.5 **INTEGRATED** CURRICULUM Mean 3.6 NCSS Social Studies -Standard 1.5 NSTA Science - Standard 6.1

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	NCTM Mathematics - Standard 8.7
	NCTE English - Standard 3.3, 3.4
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	TECHNOLOGY Mean 4.9
	NCSS Social Studies - Standard 1.8
	NSTA Science - Standard 1.C
	NCTM Mathematics - Standard 6.1
	NCTE English - Standard 3.6
	NASPE Physical Education - Standard 3.7
	TRENDS IN EDUCATION
	Mean 4.4
	NCSS Social Studies - Standard 1.5
	NSTA Science - Standard 10.c
	NCTM Mathematics - Standard 7.4
	NCTE English - Standard 2.5
	NASPE Physical Education - Standard 5.3
	LEARNING AND MOTIVATION
	Mean 4.1
	NCSS Social Studies - Standard 1.4
	NSTA Science - Standard 2.A
	NCTM Mathematics - Standard 16.3
	NCTE English - Standard 4.3
	NASPE Physical Education - Standard 3.1

MASTER OF EDUCATION IN THE ART OF TEACHING (MAT) ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY ALTERNATE ROUTE EFFECTIVENESS PROGRAM 2012-2013

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in a diverse global society.	(INTASC Principle 5) (WCU Goal 1:1)			
Provide academic programs to promote student learning Promote Christian development and social responsibility Strengthen ties with Baptist churches, associations, and conventions		1.B. As documented by the Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report, principal observations of a developing teacher's professional competencies will meet or exceed 95% positive rating.	1.B. At this time the Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report has not been released for 2012-2013. There is no data.	1.B. Will continue to maintain this report as a key assessment for 2013-2014.
Provide an environment that supports student learning Strengthen organizational and operational effectiveness Strengthen financial resources		1.C Professional Dispositions are measured during the Student Teaching Internship. There are five rankings: Not Met, Novice, Emergent, Professional, and	1.C. There fourteen dispositions with the following candidate combined mean scores (<i>Professional and Mastery</i>): • Dependability and	1.C. The S.L.O. was exceeded in every disposition. This is a strong recommendation for our interns who are presently serving in schools and are becoming models of teaching
Goal for Departmental Program/Unit: Education Goals: Consistent with the Interstate New Teacher Assessment and Support Consortium (INTASC) AND NCATE Standards, William Carey University seeks to prepare teachers who: 1. apply current research and technology related to the teaching-learning-assessment process; 2. respond sensitively to individual differences and diversity; 3. understand and anticipate the needs of a global society; 4. plan and implement learning experiences that support the highest level of student potential; 5. continue to reflect, refine, and revise professional practices; 6. collaborate with others to promote learning; 7. Build caring, reflective decision-makers.		Mastery. 85% of the teacher candidate population will rank Professional or Mastery on each of the dispositions.	 Bependability 95%; Respect 97%; Commitment and Initiative 96%; Responsiveness 97%; Collaboration 96%; Open mindedness 97%; Knowledge 97%; Communication 96%; Confidentiality 97%; Academic Honesty 99%; Appearance 99%; Teaching Effectiveness 95%; Fairness 99%; Lack of Bias 99%; 	effectiveness.

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 5. continue to reflect, refine, and revise professional practices; 6. collaborate with others to promote learning; 7. Build caring, reflective decision-makers. 	2. MAT interns understand how students differ in their approaches to learning and create instructional opportunities that are adapted to diverse learners. (INTASC Principle 3) (WCU Goal 1.1)	2.A. In EDU 606, <i>Designing an Interdisciplinary Unit</i> , the target population will achieve a minimum of 85% at the <i>Target</i> performance level on each indicator.	 Total Percentage 98%. 2.A. In the <i>Designing an Interdisciplinary Unit Project</i>, there are ten indicators with a <i>Target</i> score: Topic or Theme 99%; Scan and Cluster 97%; Select of broad based Standards 95%; Construction of Know/Do/Be (BD) Umbrella 88%; Construction of Web 93%; 	2.A. The S.L.O. was met in nine of the ten indicators with <i>Creating Big Questions</i> evaluated at 79%. This project will continue to be a key assessment for the program.
	MAT Interns are able to reflect on their professional competencies and	3.A. In EDU 640, each candidate must design <i>An Interdisciplinary</i>	 Big Understandings answer Big Questions 89%; Creating Big Questions 79%; Description of Big Assessment Task 93%; Task Specific Rubric 97%; Unit Relevance 94%; Total Percentage 92%. 3.A. There are eight components to the 	3.A. The. S.L.O. was exceeded in all
	their sense of preparation for the classroom. Through this reflection, teachers are able to plan their future professional development. (INTASC Principle 10) (WCU Goal 1.1)	Unit. The candidates will score 85% or higher when the two highest performance level (Artisan and Experienced) scores are combined.	Interdisciplinary Unit. The N for 2012-2013 was 132. The combined scores are: • Topic and Topical Theme 99%; • Unit Overview 96%; • Generalizations 96%; • Guiding Questions 98%; • Teaching Strategies 99%; • Culminating Task with Rubric 99%; • Lesson Plan 98%; • Overall Design 99%; • Total Percent 98%.	areas. This is a culminating activity for the graduate students and will remain a key assessment for 2013-2014.

4. Students in the Master of Education in Art of Teaching (M.A.T.) will be literate consumers of research literature, be able to apply best practice research to assessment techniques, and be able to present best practice research information to colleagues. (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.2)	4.A. In EDU 646, Secondary Methods, candidates must complete an <i>Integrated Unit Choice Board</i> to demonstrate their ability to differentiate instruction. The candidates will earn 80% or higher on the Performance Level <i>Excellent</i> .	4.A. The Integrated Unit Choice Board has four components. The N was 162 students. The scores for Excellent are: • Familiarity with the Frameworks and Common Core 94%; • Activities Alignment with State Frameworks and Common Core 91%; • Activities Alignment with Learning Styles 93%; • Measurable and Appropriate Assessments 83%; • Total percentage 90%.	4.A. The S.L.O. was exceeded in every component. This is a key assessment indicating that the school's secondary graduate students can differentiate instruction.
	4.B. In EDU 630, History and Philosophy of Education, the candidates were assessed in their ability to compose an Annotated Bibliography. Eighty percent of the candidates must complete five components at <i>Exceeds Expectations</i> or higher.	4.B. The <i>Annotated</i> Bibilography has scores in five components: • Cover page 98%; • Appropriate Choice for Readings 100%; • APA 97%; • Completeness of summary 99%; • Document Format 95%; • Total 98%.	4.B. The S.L.O. was exceeded in all components. It was encouraging to see that APA formatting was demonstrated at 97%.
	4.C. In EDU 620, eighty percent of the students will be ranked either <i>Mostly Meets Expectations</i> or <i>Exceeds Expectations</i> when evaluating research through the annotated bibliography model.	4.C. The Annotated Bibliography Model has nine indicators. The Hattiesburg campus had an N of 303. Hattiesburg candidates' average percent scores are listed below:	4.C. The S.L.O. was exceeded in every category. The Key Assessment will be maintained since it is vital to the school's impetus on professional writing.

5. The teacher candidate will demonstrate content knowledge and performance skills across content pedagogy courses in preparation for the Internship Field Practicum. (EDU Goals 1-7) (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.2, 1.4)	5.A. In EDU 572, Survey of the Exceptional Child, the target population will reach a mean of 85% or higher on the two highest ratings (Target and Acceptable) on the Annotated Bibliography Rubric.	5.A. The Annotated Bibliography has seven components. The combined scores (Target and Acceptable) are: • Title page formatting 96%; • Abstracts 98%; • Summary of Contents of Each Reference 97%; • Personal Reflection 95%; • Variety of Sources; References Appropriate to Topic 91%; • Mechanics 99%; • References and APA Style 94%; • Total 96%.	5.A. The S.L.O. was exceeded in all components. The importance of this data is the school's commitment to professional writing by the graduate students. This is a key indicator.
	5.B. In EDU 536, Classroom Management, the target population will obtain a score of 90% or higher on the Management Theory Presentation.	5.B. There were five components. The combined scores for Excellent and Acceptable were: • Organization 85%; • Delivery 98%; • Hand-outs/ Visual Aids/ Technology 97%; • Content of Activity 99%; • Uses Time Frame Effectively 86%; • Total 91%.	5.B. The S.L.O. was exceeded in three of the five components but was not met in Organization (85%) and Uses Time Frame Effectively (86%). The key assessment will be maintained for 2013-2014.
	5.C. In EDU 625, Technology in Education, the students will demonstrate their technology competencies at a minimum of 85% Exceeds Expectations in the <i>Technology Integrated Unit Project</i> . There are eight components in the rubric.	5.C. In EDU 625, there are eight components: Synthesis of Knowledge 100%; Organization 100%; Teaching Across the Curriculum 91%; Standards Based Common Core Standards are Integrated 100%; Language Arts Skills 95%; Multiple	5.C. The S.L.O. was met in all components. This is a key assessment for technology and will be maintained in 2013-2014.

	Intelligences and Accommodations 98%; • Depth of Procedures 84%; • Technology Integration 95%; • Total Mean 95%.	

MASTER OF EDUCATION IN THE ART OF TEACHING (MAT) ALTERNATE ROUTE EFFECTIVENESS PROGRAM 2011-2012

EXPANDED STATEMENT OF INSTITUTIONAL MISSION	OUTCOMES	ASSESSMENT CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES	ASSESSMENT RESULTS	USE OF RESULTS
University Mission: As a Christian university which embraces its Baptist heritage and namesake, William Carey University provides quality educational programs, within a caring Christian academic community, which challenge the individual student to excel in scholarship, leadership, and service in a diverse global society.	1. MAT interns use an understanding of individual and group motivation and behavior to build a learning environment and classroom management strategies that encourage positive social interaction, active engagement in learning, and self-motivation. (INTASC Principle 5) (WCU Goal 1:1)	1.A. As documented by the Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report, teacher perceptions of professional competencies will meet or exceed 90% positive rating.	1.A. In the 2011 Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report, alternate route preparation teachers (N=41) graduating from William Carey University surveyed 98% positive agreement on all 33 questions: 1) Planning and Preparation	1.A. The S.L.O. will be maintained for the 2012-2013 academic year. All categories exceeded the S.L.O. of 90%. There is a strong positive perception of success on the part of the M.A.T. Intern Teachers. The S.L.O. will be continued during the 2012-2013 academic year.
Expanded Statement of Mission:			99%;	
 Provide academic programs to promote student learning Promote Christian development and 			2) Communication and Interaction 99%;	
social responsibility 3. Strengthen ties with Baptist churches, associations, and conventions			3) Teaching for Learning 100%;	
Provide an environment that supports student learning Strengthen organizational and			4) Management of the Learning Environment 100%:	
operational effectiveness 6. Strengthen financial resources			5) Assessment of Student Learning 100%;	
Goal for Departmental Program/Unit:			6) Quality of Teacher Education Program100%	
Education Goals: Consistent with the Interstate New Teacher Assessment and Support Consortium (INTASC) AND NCATE Standards, William Carey University seeks to prepare teachers who: 1. apply current research and technology related to the teaching-learning-assessment process; 2. respond sensitively to individual differences and diversity; 3. understand and anticipate the needs of a global society; 4. plan and implement learning experiences that support the highest level of student potential; 5. continue to reflect, refine, and revise professional practices; 6. collaborate with others to promote learning; 7. Build caring, reflective decision-makers.		1.B. As documented by the Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report, principal observations of a developing teacher's professional competencies will meet or exceed 95% positive rating.	I.B. The Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report also requires principals to rate first year educators from William Carey University. There were 30 principals evaluating first year alternate route teachers (N=30). There was a positive rating of 93% across all scores. 1) Planning and Preparation 95%; 2) Communication and Interaction 97%;	1.B. The S.L.O. will be maintained for the 2012-2013 academic year. Five out of the six categories exceeded the S.L.O. of 95% positive rating. Assessment of Student Learning was 82%. The glaring score is the Assessment of Student Learning. All districts are in major changes due to the common core and analysis of data. Our faculty is re-evaluating the assessment teacher preparations offered in the MAT program. The S.L.O. will be continued during the 2012-2013 academic year.

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5. continue to reflect, refine, and revise		3) Teaching for Learning 96%;	
professional practices; 6. collaborate with others to promote learning;		4) Management of the	
7. Build caring, reflective decision-makers.		Learning Environment 96%:	
7. Build caring, refrective decision-makers.		Learning Environment 9070.	
		5) Assessment of Student	
		Learning 82%;	
		6) Quality of Teacher	
		Education Program 94%.	
		1.C. The target teacher	
	1.C Professional Dispositions are	candidate population was	1.C. The S.L.O. as exceeded in
	measured during the Student	n=46. There are fourteen	every disposition. The total teacher
	Teaching Internship. There are	Professional Dispositions:	candidate Professional Dispositions
	five rankings: Not Met, Novice,	1	mean was ranked as follows:
	Emergent, Professional, and Mastery. 80% of the teacher	(1) Dependability and	Not Met – 0% Novice – 1%
	candidate population will rank	Reliability	Emergent – 1.5%
	Professional or Mastery.	Professional 15%; Mastery	Professional – 11%
	Trolessional of Wastery.	78%;	Mastery – 86%.
			This is considered a key assessment
			for evaluate teacher effectiveness
		(2) Respect	
		Professional 7%; 91%	
		Mastery;	
		(3) Commitment and Initiative	
		Professional 11%; Mastery 86%;	
		8070,	
		(4) Responsiveness	
		Professional 9%; Mastery	
		86%;	
		(5) Collaboration	
		Professional 11%; Mastery	
		87%;	
		(6) Open Mindedness	
		Professional 13%; Mastery	
		84%;	
		(7) 1/2 1 1 1 1 1	
		(7) Knowledgeable	
		Professional 11%; Mastery	
		84%;	
		(8) Communication	
		Professional 20%; Mastery	
		78%;	
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		(9) Confidentiality	
		Professional 10%; Mastery	
		89%;	
		(10) Academic Honesty	

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		Professional 6%; Mastery 91%;	
		(11) Appearance Professional 4%; Mastery 95%;	
		(12) Teaching Effectiveness Professional 17%; Mastery 78%;	
		(13) Fairness Professional 9%; Mastery 89%;	
		(14) Bias Professional 6%; Mastery 93%;	
2. MAT interns understand how students differ in their approaches to learning and create instructional opportunities that are adapted to diverse learners. (INTASC Principle 3) (WCU Goal 1.1)	2.A. In EDU 606, Designing an Interdisciplinary Unit, the target population will achieve a minimum of 85% on each indicator for Interdisciplinary Rubric.	2.A. There were ten indicators in the Interdisciplinary Unit: Topic or Theme Choice (97%); Scan and Cluster (91%); Selection of Broadbased Standards (97%); Construction of Know/Do/Be (BD) Umbrella (91%); Construction of Web (82%); Big Understandings Answer Big Questions (71%); Creating Big Questions (88%); Description of Big Assessment Task (94%); Task Specific Rubric (97%) and Unit Relevance (90%).	2.A. The S.L.O. was exceeded in all areas save Construction of Web (82%) and Big Understandings Answer Big Questions (71%). This is a significant improvement over the last year's assessment. Students were having trouble articulating the difference between topical and concept-based models of curriculum and instruction. I began using a hands-on activity at the first "face to face" meeting where students were divided into groups of four or five. The small groups were given a container with Play-Doh and a card which included a statement. The groups were to read the statement and then create an image with the Play-Doh that represented the image. The groups had different statements. Statement #1: A bird has a beak. Statement #2: Life forms are equipped with the tools needed to survive. After creating the different images, the groups had created. Once all statements were disclosed, a discussion took place about how one statement was a fact and the other was an enduring understanding. This led into the difference between a topical and

3. MAT Interns are able to reflect on their professional competencies and their sense of preparation for the classroom. Through this reflection, teachers are able to plan their future professional development. (INTASC Principle 10) (WCU Goal 1.1)	3.A. In the 2011 Exit Interview for Master of Education graduates, the target population will rank the five indicators at 4.0 out of 5.0 (Likert Scale).	3.A. There were 55 respondents at Hattiesburg and 104 respondents at Tradition. There were five indicators: (1) Professors teach with effective communication skills (Hattiesburg 4.5; Tradition 4.6); (2) Professors stimulate critical thinking (Hattiesburg 4.7; Tradition 4.7); (3) Professors maintain high levels of scholarship (Hattiesburg 4.6; Tradition 4.6); (4) Professors develop talent and recognize achievement (Hattiesburg 4.7; Tradition 4.5) (5) Professors provide professional training (Hattiesburg 4.7; Tradition 4.7).	and instruction. Students were also having trouble developing a horizontal and vertical scan and cluster, so I demonstrated how to take hard copies of the State Frameworks for each subject being integrated in the Unit Design and use highlighters to determine the objectives in each subject area that could be taught as a unit. Then I incorporated a small group activity where teachers were given hard copies of three subject areas for a grade level out of the State Framework, and were instructed to use highlighters to determine which objectives in each subject could taught as a unit. This helped the teachers understand the process. 3.A. This key assessment is used across the university as an institutional effectiveness tool. The S.L.O. was met and will be maintained for 2012-2013.

4. Students in the Master of Education in Art of Teaching (M.A.T.) will be literate consumers of research literature, be able to apply best practice research to assessment techniques, and be able to present best practice research information to colleagues. (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.2)	4.A. In EDU 650, 80% of the students will be able to create, using a performance based assessment model, a criterions referenced test, obtaining a minimum of 80% out of 100% met Exemplary Standards.	4.A. Twenty-three teacher interns completed the Test Project. There were eight indicators: (1) Cover page format (91% Exemplary; 4% Meets Minimum Standard; 1 intern Needs further development); (2) MS Benchmarks and SLOs (78% Exemplary; 17% Meets Minimum Standards); (4) Test Blueprint (87% Exemplary; 4% Meets Minimum Standards); (5) Test Key (82%; 13% Meets Minimum Standards); (6) Age Appropriate (95% Exemplary); (7) Content Appropriate for a mini-unit (87% Exemplary): (8) SLOs and Test Questions (82% Exemplary; 4% Meets Minimum Standards); (9) Test Question Rules (78% Exemplary; 17% Meets Minimum Standards). Total mean – 85% of the intern population scored Exemplary in the Test project.	4.A. The S.L.O. was met for the Test Project in EDU 650. There were two indicators that will need continued emphasis by faculty in future classes: Test Question Rules and MS Benchmarks. There has been a revision of class materials based on the new Common Core Standards which should improve scores in these areas.
	4.B. In EDU 650, 80% of the students will be able to share information obtained from the annotated bibliography via an informal presentation obtaining a minimum of 80 out of 100 points on a rubric.	4.B The students achieved a minimum of 94.74 out of 100 points on the annotated bibliography rubric.	4.B. This S.L.O. is maintained as an assessment for the school's commitment to scholarly writing. The S.L.O. was met.
	4.C. In EDU 620, 80% of the students will be able to write an introduction for a research plan using a rubric and earning a ranking of Target, Emerging or Novice. Criterion: Introduction, Statement of Topic, Review of Literature, Statement of General	4.C. Graduate students (n=26) completed the Research Proposal. The Target population meeting all standards was 84.6%. The Emerging population was 15.4%; The Novice population was 0%.	4.C. 84% of the graduate students met the Target standard for writing a Research Proposal. This is an important development as faculty members continue to design more effective writing projects for developing research plans.

	Issue and Hypothesis, Participants, Instrument Addressing Technical Issues, Design, Procedures to be Used, Analysis of Data, and References.		
	4.D. In EDU 620, eighty percent of the students will be able ranked Exemplary when evaluating research through the annotated bibliography model.	4.D. There were five criteria in the rubric.(1) Cover Page, Formatting (89% Exemplary);	4.D. The S.L.O. was exceeded by 15 percentage points. At 95% exemplary there is strong evidence that graduate students are increasing their scholarly writing.
		(2) Ten Entries – Scholarly/peer reviewed (100% Exemplary);	
		(3) Liked/Disliked – Recommendation – Critique (95% Exemplary);	
		(4) Whole Document in Correct Layout (89% Exemplary);	
		(5) Appearance, Font, Etc. (100% Exemplary) Total Project 95% Exemplary	
	4.E. In EDU 636, Reading and Writing Across the Curriculum, 80% of the teacher candidates in the M.A.T. program will achieve a rating of Exemplary when being assessed for Scholarly Writing.	4.E. 97.4% of the target population achieved an overall rating of Exemplary.	4.E. This is an important achievement since the instructors had instituted major changes in training for scholarly writing in the past year. The S.L.O. will be maintained for the 2012-2013 academic year in support of our school learning objective for scholarly writing.
5. The teacher candidate will demonstrate content knowledge and performance skills across content pedagogy courses in preparation for the Internship Field Practicum. (EDU Goals 1-7) (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.2, 1.4)	5.A. In EDU 572, Survey of the Exceptional Child, the target population will reach a mean of 85% or higher on the two highest ratings (Target and Acceptable) on the Journal Article critique rubric.	5.A. The class population reviewed was 61 students. The Journal Article Critique had 86.4% of the population at the highest level – Target; 9.3% were at Acceptable; Minimum Standards was 3.04%; and Unacceptable was 1.17%.	5.A. When the two highest ratings are combined, the total (Target and Acceptable) percentage was 95.7%. This is an important writing component that supports our mission goal to build scholarly writing competence throughout our graduate programs. The S.L.O. was met and will be maintained for 2012-2013.

	5.B. In EDU 536, Classroom Management, the target population will obtain a score of 90% or higher on each research paper indicator.	5.B. The target population earned a 90.1% overall mean on the research paper rubric.	5.B. The S.L.O. was met with performance skills. This important writing goal indicates that the writing mission is succeeding for our graduate students. The S.L.O. will be maintained for 2012-2013.
	5.C. In EDU 602, Trends in Children's Literature, is a required course for the M.A.T. Elementary Education program. There is a literature integrated lesson plan required as part of their training in lesson planning. The target population will achieve 3.5 on a 4 point Likert scale.	5.C. The Literature Integrated Lesson Plan had four components: Theme (3.7); Activities Well Designed and Detailed (3.6); Activities showing evidence of teaching the book (3.6); and Activities Developmentally Appropriate for the age level (3.4).	5.C. The S.L.O. was met and will be maintained for the 2012-2013 academic year.
	5.D. In EDU 625, Technology in Education, the students will demonstrate their technology competencies at a minimum of 80% Mastery or Proficient using the INTEL Teach to the Future Certification standards.	5.D. Module 1 (Teaching with Products) = 92%; Module 2 (Planning My Unit) = 100%; Module 3 (Internet Based Resources = 100%; Module 4 (Creating Samples of Learning) = 100%; Module 5 (Assessing Student Projects) = 77%; Module 6 (Differentiated Instruction) =77%; Module 7 (Facilitating with Technology) = 100%; Module 8 (Showcasing Unit Portfolios) = 95%. The total student mean was 96%. There were two modules (Differentiated Instruction 77% and Assessing Student Portfolios 77%) where the mean did not reach the expected outcome.	5.D. The S.L.O. was exceeded in all areas except for Differentiated Instruction and Assessing Student Projects.

	6. Students in the M.Ed. in Alternate Route will provide evidence of content knowledge, application of that knowledge, and synthesis of that knowledge. (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.4) (EDU Goals 1-7)	6.A. Students will have a mean score of 3.0 or higher on a 5.0 scale on the Comprehensive Examination.	6.A. M.A.T. Elementary Education graduate students in Spring 2011 (N=3) scored on average 3.04; Summer 2012 (N=7) scored 3.28; and Spring 2012 (N=9) scored 3.53. There was a 100% pass rate for all examinees. M.A.T. Secondary Education graduate students in Spring 2011 (N=6) scored on average 3.34; Summer 2012 (N=14) scored 3.04; and Spring 2012 (N=6) scored 3.89 with a 100% pass rate.	6.A. The comprehensive examination will be maintained for the 2011-2012 academic year. The S.L.O. exceeded the 3.0 goal. Faculty in Special Education has recently updated the Special Education EDU 572 curriculum.
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MASTER OF EDUCATION IN THE ART OF TEACHING (MAT) ALTERNATE ROUTE EFFECTIVENESS PROGRAM 2010-2011

EXPANDED STATEMENT OF INSTITUTIONAL MISSION	OUTCOMES	ASSESSMENT CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES	ASSESSMENT RESULTS	USE OF RESULTS
University Mission: As a Christian university which embraces its Baptist heritage and namesake, William Carey University p rovides quality educational programs, within a caring Christian academic community, which challenge the individual student to excel in scholarship, leadership, and service in a diverse global society.	MAT interns use an understanding of individual and group motivation and behavior to build a learning environment and classroom management strategies that encourage positive social interaction, active engagement in learning, and self-motivation. (INTASC Principle 5) (WCU Goal 1:1)	1.A. As documented by the Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report, teacher perceptions of professional competencies will meet or exceed 95% positive rating.	1.A. In the 2010 Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report, alternate route preparation teachers (N=23) graduating from William Carey University surveyed 99% positive agreement on all 33 questions: 1) Planning and Preparation 96.7%;	1.A. The S.L.O. will be maintained for the 2011-2012 academic year. All categories exceeded the S.L.O. of 95% positive rating except for Quality of Teacher Education Program 86% and Knowledge of Federal/State Regulations 82.6%. MAT faculty have been involved in a two year revision process to bring more relevance and content more closely aligned to the real world
Expanded Statement of Mission:			2) Communication and Interaction 97%;	stressors of the first year teacher. The implementation of a fully
Provide academic programs to promote student learning			3) Teaching for Learning 98%;	revised MAT program will create a learning community for this particular client base rather than
 Promote Christian development and social responsibility Strengthen ties with Baptist churches, 			4) Management of the Learning Environment 97.3%:	mingling them with veteran teachers. It is believed that the conversations and fears of the first
associations, and conventions 4. Provide an environment that supports student learning			5) Assessment of Student Learning 100%;	year teachers are silenced by the confidence of veteran teachers in the same graduate classrooms.
5. Strengthen organizational and operational effectiveness6. Strengthen financial resources			6) Quality of Teacher Education Program 86% and	
Goal for Departmental Program/Unit:			7) Knowledge of Federal/ State Regulations 82.6%.	
Education Goals: Consistent with the Interstate New Teacher Assessment and Support Consortium (INTASC) AND NCATE Standards, William Carey University seeks to prepare teachers who: 1. apply current research and technology related to the teaching-learning-assessment process;		1.B. As documented by the Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report, principal observations of a developing teacher's professional competencies will meet or exceed 95% positive rating.	1.B. The Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report also requires principals to rate first year educators from William Carey University. There were 29 principals evaluating first year alternate route teachers (N=29).	1.B. This is a critically important state assessment completed by principals working with W.C.U. first year teachers. The S.L.O. will be maintained for the 2010-2011 academic year. All categories met the S.L.O. except for one – "The Teacher Education program
respond sensitively to individual differences and diversity; understand and anticipate the needs of a			1) Planning and Preparation positive rating of 97.8%;	adequately equipped the teacher with the knowledge, skills, and dispositions to be a successful
global society; 4. plan and implement learning experiences that support the highest level of student			2) Communication and Interaction 99.3%;	teacher" (18% positive rating). There has to be some major discrepancy between the exceptional
potential; 5. continue to reflect, refine, and revise			3) Teaching for Learning 97.8%;	scores first year teachers were rated by their principals and the abysmal

professional practices; 6. collaborate with others to promote learning; 7. Build caring, reflective decision-makers. 5. continue to reflect, refine, and revise professional practices; 6. collaborate with others to promote learning; 7. Build caring, reflective decision-makers.			4) Management of the Learning Environment 97.4%; 5) Assessment of Student Learning 96.7%; 6) Quality of Teacher Education Program 18% and 7) Knowledge of Federal/State Regulations 100%.	score for the teacher education program effectiveness. This has never happened in one of these annual reviews. The conclusion would have to be that no training was much better than a master's degree. The faculty is forced to believe that this is a statistical error.
	2. The teacher candidate will demonstrate content knowledge and performance skills across content pedagogy courses in preparation for the Internship Field Practicum. (EDU Goals 1-7) (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.2, 1.4)	2.A. In EDU 602, Trends in Children's Literature, is a required course for the M.A.T. Elementary Education program. There is a literature integrated lesson plan required as part of their training in lesson planning. The target population will achieve 3.5 on a 4 point Likert scale.	2.A. The Literature Integrated Lesson Plan had four components: Theme (3.90); Activities Well Designed and Detailed (3.85); Activities showing evidence of teaching the book (3.76); and Activities Developmentally Appropriate for the age level (3.95).	2.A. The S.L.O. was met and will be maintained for the 2010-2011 academic year. This is the first time the Integrated Literature Lesson plan has been assessed in EDU 602.
	3. Students in the M.Ed. in Alternate Route will provide evidence of content knowledge, application of that knowledge, and synthesis of that knowledge. (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.4) (EDU Goals 1-7)	3.A. Students will have a mean score of 3.0 or higher on a 5.0 scale on the Comprehensive Examination.	3.A. M.A.T. Elementary Education graduate students (N=15) scored on average 3.2. There was a 100% pass rate for all examinees. M.A.T. Secondary Education graduate students (N=16) scored on average 3.51 across winter, summer, and fall terms with a 100% pass rate.	3.A. The comprehensive examination will be maintained for the 2011-2012 academic year. The S.L.O. exceeded the 3.0 goal.

MASTER OF EDUCATION IN THE ART OF TEACHING (MAT) ALTERNATE ROUTE EFFECTIVENESS PROGRAM 2009-2010

EXPANDED STATEMENT OF INSTITUTIONAL MISSION	OUTCOMES	ASSESSMENT CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES	ASSESSMENT RESULTS	USE OF RESULTS
University Mission: The mission of William Carey University is to provide quality liberal arts and professional education programs within a caring Christian academic community. The individual student is encouraged to develop his or her highest potential in scholarship, leadership, and service. The University collaborates with churches, organizations, and individuals to affirm its Baptist heritage and namesake – William Carey. Expanded Statement of Mission: 1. Provide academic programs to promote student learning 2. Promote Christian development and social responsibility	MAT interns use an understanding of individual and group motivation and behavior to build a learning environment and classroom management strategies that encourage positive social interaction, active engagement in learning, and self-motivation. (INTASC Principle 5) (WCU Goal 1:1)	1.A. As measured by the Student Teacher Assessment Instrument (STAI), the mean score of the teacher candidate population will be a 3.80 or higher on Indicators 23-28 (Management of the Learning Environment) as observed by their University Supervisor.	1.A. Interns as a cohort achieved the following scores: Indicator 23 Building Motivation, learning, and social relationships (3.81); 24 – Differentiated Instruction (3.84); 25 Effective Classroom Management (3.78); 26-Variety of Discipline Strategies (3.72); 27-Fairness and Supportive of Students (3.87); and 28-Using Instructional Time Effectively (3.81). Four of the six indicators exceeded the S.L.O. of 3.85. The overall mean was 3.81.	1A The Teacher Preparation Redesign Project was introduced in Winter 2009 and fully implemented in August 2010. The new Teacher Internship Assessment Instrument (TIAI) is being assessed in the field this next academic year. The S.L.O. will be maintained for the new academic year 2010-2011.
 Strengthen ties with Baptist churches, associations, and conventions Provide an environment that supports student learning Strengthen organizational and operational effectiveness Strengthen financial resources 		1.B. As documented by the Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report, teacher perceptions of professional competencies will meet or exceed 95% positive rating.	1.B. The Mississippi Department of Education Report on Positive Perceptions of New Teachers was issued with a 98% positive rating.	1.B. The S.L.O. will be maintained for the 2010-2011 academic year.
Goal for Departmental Program/Unit: Education Goals: Consistent with the Interstate New Teacher Assessment and Support Consortium (INTASC) AND NCATE Standards, William Carey University seeks to prepare teachers who: 1. apply current research and technology related to the teaching-learning-assessment process; 2. respond sensitively to individual differences and diversity; 3. understand and anticipate the needs of a global society; 4. plan and implement learning experiences that support the highest level of student potential; 5. continue to reflect, refine, and revise		1.C. As documented by the Mississippi Teacher Education Performance Report, principal observations of a developing teacher's professional competencies will meet or exceed 95% positive rating.	1.C. The Mississippi Department of Education Report on Principal Observations of a Developing Teaching's Professional Competencies was issued with a 96% rating.	1.C. This is a critically important state assessment completed by principals working with W.C.U. first year teachers. The S.L.O. will be maintained for the 2010-2011 academic year.

professional practices; 6. collaborate with others to promote learning; 7. Build caring, reflective decision-makers. 5. continue to reflect, refine, and revise professional practices; 6. collaborate with others to promote learning; 7. Build caring, reflective decision-makers.		1.D. Teacher Internship Assessment Instrument (TIAI) was in the testing phase during the 2009-2010 academic year. This internship assessment will replace the present assessment used in the internship program. Student interns will achieve 2.5 or higher on a 3 point Likert scale in 5 major categories.	1.D. The TIAI major categories are: Planning and Preparation 2.37; Communication and Interaction 2.65; Teaching for Learning 2.47; Learning Environment 2.68; and Student Learning 2.51. The overall mean was 2.52.	1.D. The S.L.O. was exceeded. The content application examination is a key assessment for senior student profiles indicating their readiness for internship.
	2. MAT interns understand how students differ in their approaches to learning and create instructional opportunities that are adapted to diverse learners. (INTASC Principle 3) (WCU Goal 1.1)	2.A. When interns are observed by their principal using the EDU 635 Principal Evaluation, the total population will achieve a 3.5 or higher in 20 indicators on a 4 point Likert Scale.	2.A. There were 30 indicators on the principal's internship evaluation: Demonstrates warmth, friendliness and person enthusiasm 3.80; Demonstrates patience, empathy, sensitivity, and understanding of students and parents 3.74; Demonstrates subject area competence throughout internship 3.80; Knows safety measures and how to handle emergency situations 3.67; Works cooperatively with mentor teacher, colleagues, and administrators 3.83; Maintains confidentiality 3.91; Exhibits maturity, common sense, good judgment and professionalism 3.85; Follows policies and procedures of school district 3.89; Accepts supervisory critiques in a positive manner, incorporating suggestions into daily instruction 3.91; Effectively and efficiently incorporates appropriate classroom procedures 3.63; Follows/establishes an appropriate discipline plan and uses a variety of techniques to maintain good classroom discipline 3.59; Participates in professional activities (PTA, staff meetings, etc.) 3.78; Shares and seeks professional materials and ideas 3.71; Uses learning theories appropriate to age/development/ability of students 3.70; Submits lesson plans on time and aligned with school criteria 3.76; Is	2.A. The S.L.O. was met in all indicators for the principal's evaluation of the interns at both campuses. There will be continued emphasis on differentiated instruction, anticipatory sets, and variety of management techniques. The S.L.O. will be continued for 2010-2011.

	2.B. As measured by the "Designing an Interdisciplinary Unit" rubric, teacher candidates in EDU 640 "Curriculum Planning", will achieve a mean score of 3.5 (4 point Likert scale) when developing an interdisciplinary unit covering the indicators: Identified Topic, Topical Theme, Identified Concepts, Five Disciplines, Unit Overview, Generalizations, Guiding Questions, Culminating Performance Task, and Lesson Plan.	punctual and reliable regarding duties, attendance, planning, etc. 3.83; Regularly provides anticipatory set and closure to lessons 3.57; Demonstrates initiative/creativity and seeks to improve teaching 3.83; Demonstrates ability to diagnose student needs and measure student performance according to established criteria and based on objectives 3.59; Exhibits poise and self-confidence while teaching 3.76. Overall Intern Performance Mean – 3.76. 2.B. The S.L.O. (3.5) was not met in five of the nine indicators: Identified Topic 4.00; Topical Theme 3.25; Identified Concepts 3.63; Five Disciplines 3.25; Unit Overview 3.38; Generalizations 3.13; Guiding Questions 3.63; Culminating Performance Task 2.88; One Less Plan 3.88. The overall mean was 3.45.	2.B. The S.L.O. will be continued during the 2010-2011 academic year. This course is required in the alternate route program and the general education program. It shows a significant decline in performance scores when alternate route (first year teachers) are aggregated into the data. This is a key assessment and will be continued.
	2.C. In EDU 606, Designing an Interdisciplinary Unit, the target population will achieve a minimum of 85% on each indicator for Interdisciplinary Rubric.	2.C. There were nine indicators in the Interdisciplinary Unit: Identified Topic (100%); Topical Themes (100%); Identified Concepts (100%); Five Disciplines (76%); Unit Overview (76%); Generalizations (96%); Guiding Questions (100%); Culminating Performance Task (76%); One Lesson Plan (76%).	2.C. The S.L.O. was not met in four areas: Five Disciplines, Unit Overview, Culminating Performance Task, and One Lesson Plan. In five areas, the S.L.O. was exceeded. Faculty plan to move back to the prerequisite EDU 640 to analyze what needs to be strengthened. Also in faculty meeting, professors brought up the issue that secondary graduate students must take EDU 606 without the required prerequisite. The faculty has determined to revisit the M.Ed. Secondary Education degree plan. The S.L.O. will be maintained for the 2010-2011 academic year.

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3. MAT Interns are able to reflect on their professional competencies and their sense of preparation for the classroom. Through this reflection, teachers are able to plan their future professional development. (INTASC Principle 10) (WCU Goal 1.1)	3.A. Using the Alternate Route Program Survey, MAT interns will perceive they are prepared for the classroom. The mean score of the teacher interns will be a 3.5 or higher (On a 4-point Likert scale) on items 1-7 (Teacher Job Satisfaction, Professional Preparation, and Professional Support).	3.A. All indicators exceeded the 3.5 performance goal: 1- How prepared were you, in a technical sense for this first year (3.85); 2-How prepared in relation to other teachers (3.76); 3-How satisfied you are with your decision (3.72); 4-How supportive were the mentor teachers (3.76); 5- How supportive were the administrators (3.91); 6-Support from the EDU 635 faculty (3.90); 7- Effectiveness of EDU 536 Classroom Management and EDU 650 — Tests, Measurements and Evaluation (3.75). The total mean for all indicators was 3.81.	3.A. With the total rating of 3.81, the S.L.O. was met. What was most encouraging was to see the high score for the effectiveness of EDU 536 and 650. This is an important discovery since the new Blue Ribbon MAT Requirements have now been implemented. The S.L.O. will be maintained for 2010-2011.
	3.B. Students will perceive that the Graduate Program in Education is providing a meaningful, effective professional preparation experience. Students will rate all categories at a level of 4.0 or higher out of 5.0 (Likert Scale). Survey queries perceptions of graduates relative to advisor guidance, faculty expertise, library support, classroom facilities, technology implementation, professor pedagogy, student writing, student research skills, individual needs met, applicability of graduate program, internalization of school mission, and student practicum experiences.	3.B. There were four major categories: Scholarly Excellence (4.50) with the four indicators ranging from 4.14 to 4.85; Environment for Learning (4.78) with the four indicators ranging from 4.85 to 4.71); Faculty Concern for Students (4.66) with three indicators ranging from 4.57 to 4.78; and Perceptions of Preparation (4.75) with four indicators ranging from 4.64 to 4.92.	3.B. The S.L.O. survey ratings were exceeded in all categories. The overall survey mean was 4.65. The faculty is encouraged by the high level of confidence held by the graduate students. The S.L.O. will be maintained since it is a key assessment.
	3.C. In the 2009 Graduate Follow-Up Report for Master of Education graduates, the target population will rank the four indicators at 4.0 out of 5.0 (Likert Scale).	3.C. Instruction in courses was ranked at 4.8 with 5.0 being "Excellent". Accessibility of Instructors was ranked 4.8. Quality of Career Counseling was 4.3 and Overall Academic Degree Program was 4.8.	3.C. This key assessment is used across the university as an institutional effectiveness tool. The S.L.O. was met and will be maintained for 2010-2011

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4. Students in the Master of Education in Art of Teaching (M.A.T.) will be literate consumers of research literature, be able to apply best practice research to assessment techniques, and be able to present best practice research information to colleagues. (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.2)	4.A. In EDU 650, 80% of the students will be able to obtain, summarize, and critique empirical information through the annotated bibliography model, obtaining a minimum of 80 out of 100 points on a rubric.	4.A. Approximately 70% of the students achieved a minimum of 80 out of 100 points on this criterion.	4.A. Students were provided an opportunity to redo the assignment for a better grade. This particular class, most of the students chose not to do that. The criterion of 80% will remain the same for now, if fewer than 80% of the students in the summer courses do not achieve and 80 or higher, an adjustment will be made to the assignment, the directions, the rubric, or the percentage.
	4.B. In EDU 650, 80% of the students will be able to create, using a performance based assessment model, a criterions referenced test, obtaining a minimum of 80 out of 100 points on a rubric.	4.B. Approximately 78% of the students achieved a minimum of 80 out of 100 points on this criterion.	4.B. Almost 80% was achieved. Four of the students achieved between 75 and 80 points on this particular assessment. The criterion of 80% will remain the same for now, if fewer than 80% of the students in the summer courses do not achieve and 80 or higher, an adjustment will be made to either the assignment, the directions, the rubric, or the percentage.
	4.C. In EDU 650, 80% of the students will be able to share information obtained from the annotated bibliography via an informal presentation obtaining a minimum of 80 out of 100 points on a rubric.	4.C Approximately 89% of the students achieved a minimum of 80 out of 100 points on this criterion.	4.C. Since almost all students met these criteria, it will remain the same.
	4.D. In EDU 620, 80% of the students will be able to write an introduction for a research plan using a rubric and obtaining a minimum of 80 out of 100 points. The rubric will contain such information but not limited to APA format, purpose statement(s), justification, definition of terms, and potential audience	4.D. Approximately 91% met criteria for this assessment.	4.D. Since nearly all met the minimum criteria, it will remain the same.

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tea pre scc for Wi	G. In EDU 636, Reading and Writing Across the Curriculum, eacher candidates in the M.A.T. rogram will achieve a mean core of 3.5 when being assessed or assessed for Scholarly Writing. These scores will be compared to the data from EDU 11.	4.G. The target population achieved an overall average of 3.70 (goal 3.5) on a 4 point Likert scale with only one individual indicator score below 3.5 (Citations in Text – 3.42).	4.G. The instructor made major adaptations in the Winter and Spring terms which allowed the S.L.O. goals to be met in all areas save <i>citations in text</i> . The S.L.O. will be maintained for the 2010-201 academic year in support of our school learning objective for scholarly writing.
Prome instart co	a.H. In EDU 635, Internship, the re-Post Assessment Summary neasured value-added astruction. The 85% of the urget population will achieve ompetency on each of the four adicators (Objectives, assessment, Data Analysis, and action Plan).	4.H. The target population achieved the following scores on each indicator: Objectives to be assessed (78.6%); The type of assessment (93.4%); The analysis of data (87.7%); and The action plan of remediation and enrichment; names and accommodations for special needs children (81.9%). Overall mean for the target population was 85.4.	4.H. The S.L.O. was not met in two areas: Objectives Assessed 78.6% and the Action Plan of Remediation and Enrichment, names and accommodations for special needs children 81.9%. This is the first year of full implementation. The faculty recognizes the importance of this key assessment and has enhanced course assignments to encompass data-driven planning and assessment. The S.L.O. will be maintained for 2010-2011.

5. The teacher candidate will demonstrate content knowledge and performance skills across content pedagogy courses in preparation for the Internship Field Practicum. (EDU Goals 1-7) (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.2, 1.4)	5.A. In EDU 572, Survey of the Exceptional Child, the target population will reach a mean of 80% or higher on the two highest ratings (excellent, very good) on the Journal Article critique rubric.	5.A.There were ten indicators for the Journal Article Critique. When aggregating ratings across terms, all indicators were rated 100% (excellent, very good). When averaging the ten indicators for each term, the total average was 100%.	5.A. This is an important writing component that supports our mission goal to build scholarly writing competence throughout our graduate programs. The S.L.O. was met and will be maintained for 2010-2011.
	5.B. In EDU 536, Classroom Management, the target population will obtain a score of 90% or higher on each research paper indicator.	5.B. The target population earned a 90.1% overall mean on the research paper rubric.	5.B. The S.L.O. was met with performance skills ranked in the upper ninety percent. This important writing goal indicates that the writing mission is succeeding for our graduate students. The S.L.O. will be maintained for 2010-2011.
	5.C. In EDU 602, Trends in Children's Literature, is a required course for the M.A.T. Elementary Education program. There is a literature integrated lesson plan required as part of their training in lesson planning. The target population will achieve 3.5 on a 4 point Likert scale.	5.C. The Literature Integrated Lesson Plan had four components: Theme (3.90); Activities Well Designed and Detailed (3.85); Activities showing evidence of teaching the book (3.76); and Activities Developmentally Appropriate for the age level (3.95).	5.C. The S.L.O. was met and will be maintained for the 2010-2011 academic year. This is the first time the Integrated Literature Lesson plan has been assessed in EDU 602.
	5.D. In EDU 625, Technology in Education, the students will demonstrate their technology competencies at a minimum of 3.5 on a 4 point Likert scale using the INTEL Teach to the Future Certification standards.	5.D. Hattiesburg Campus – Module 1 (Teaching with Products) = 3.8; Module 2 (Planning My Unit) = 3.85; Module 3 (Internet Based Resources = 3.96; Module 4 (Creating Web Samples) = 3.32; Module 5 (Assessing Student Projects) = 3.89; Module 6 (Planning for Student Success) = 3.89; Module 7 (Webquests, social bookmarking, blogs) = 3.64; Module 8 (Showcasing Unit Portfolios) = 4.0. The total student mean was 3.75. There was one module (Creating Web Samples) were the mean did not reach the expected outcome (3.32).	5.D. All modules save for one exceeded the 3.5 S.L.O. standard. The one module (Creating Web Samples) that did not reach the standard covers a number of cutting edge ideas and is constantly being updated. The faculty continues to upgrade their own training in this area. The S.L.O. will be maintained for the 2010-2011 academic year.

		Tradition Campus – All modules were 4.0 except for Module 2.4 Unit Planning (3.96). See Module Descriptions above.	
	5.E. In EDU 536, Classroom Management, the target population of M.A.T. interns will achieve a mean of 80% or higher in Chapter Presentations using the Presentation rubric.	5.E. There were five rubric indicators with group mean averages: Organization 95%; Delivery of Content 81%; Appropriate Informative Handouts 90%; Content Depth 87.5%; and Effective Use of Time 95.7%. The overall mean was 89.8%.	5.E. The S.L.O. was met with all indicators higher than the 80% performance goal. Lesson presentation is a critical skill for any new teacher. This S.L.O. is indicative of the success of the school's mission to produce effective M.A.T. interns in the classroom. The S.L.O. will be continued for 2010-2011.
6. Students in the M.Ed. in Alternate Route will provide evidence of content knowledge, application of that knowledge, and synthesis of that knowledge. (WCU Goal 1.1, 1.4) (EDU Goals 1-7)	6.A. Students will have a mean score of 3.0 or higher on a 5.0 scale on the Comprehensive Examination.	6.A. M.A.T. Elementary Education graduate students (N=18) scored on average 3.48. There was a 100% pass rate for all examinees. M.A.T. Secondary Education graduate students (N=28) scored on average 3.64 across winter, summer, and fall terms with a 100% pass rate.	6.A. The comprehensive examination will be maintained for the 2010-2011 academic year. The S.L.O. exceeded the 3.0 goal.
	6.B. Faculty of the School of Education will achieve a 4 or higher on a 5 point Likert scale when evaluated by graduate students.	6.B. The S.L.O. was met with faculty performance indicators: Prepares well for class 4.7; Demonstrates professional competency 4.8; Communicates subject clearly 4.6; Stimulates interest in subject matter 4.6; Encourages enthusiasm 4.6; Timely feedback exams/ reports/ actively 4.7; Is accessible outside of class 4.7; Cares about students learning 4.7; Meets class on time and works the full period 4.8; Syllabus well defined and on time 4.9. Overall mean was 4.71.	6.B. These are strong indicators of exceptional faculty performance as assessed by the university faculty assessment. It is important to know that the graduate adjunct ratings were as high or higher as the graduate faculty ratings. Program satisfaction and effectiveness of instruction are exceeding the S.L.O. goal of 4.0.

	6.C. PRAXIS Institutional Summary Report. The PRAXIS scores are received before the intern candidates enter into the program. Therefore it serves as a diagnostic instrument for program adaptation and development. The S.L.O. is the State Cut Score of 153 for program admission.	6.C. M.A.T. Elementary Education Content Knowledge (Test 0014) is taken before a student applies to the School of Education. The average range of scores for 2009-2010 applicants to the Alternate Route Elementary Program was 151 (N=139 examinees). The Mississippi Department of Education cut score is 153.	6.C. The PRAXIS Institutional Report will be maintained for diagnostic purposes with entering M.A.T. candidates. 50% of the examinees taking the test met the Mississippi Department of Education cut score.