

Annual Reporting Measures 2021 Report University of Memphis Provider Performance Report College of Education

Data from August 1, 2019 to July 31, 2020

Measure 5 Graduation Rates

Source of Data

University of Memphis Office of Institutional Research

Trend Analysis

Over the past three academic years, undergraduate and graduate Initial Licensure graduation rates have remained stable, but the percent of candidates who complete our undergraduate program within 2 (BSED) or 4 (MAT) years has dropped. This follows trends across the nation. Multiple reasons exist that have to do with trends in the public's perceptions of educators, some candidates see the edTPA as "daunting", and candidates' ability to pass required Praxis exams.

Over the past three academic years, graduate Advanced Licensure graduation rates have remained stable for a 2-year graduation. There are several possible reasons for this that include the lack of teacher compensation mandates for Master's degrees at state and local levels. Additionally, a location-specific Leadership and Policy Studies Administration and Supervision program developed for three specific TN counties that has been fully revamped into an online program with applicants from across the state of TN.

Data

The total number of initial and advanced licensure graduates during the past three academic years and the corresponding rates of graduation from their respective programs.

Graduation Rates for Initial and Advance Licensure

Academic Year	BSED Initial Licensure*			MAT Initial Licensure**			Advanced Licensure**		
	Number BSED Graduated	Percent BSED Graduated	Number in BSED Cohort	Number MAT Graduated	Percent MAT Graduated	Number in MAT Cohort	Number Adv. Graduated	Percent Adv. Graduated	Number in Adv. Cohort
2017-2018	60	80.0%	75	47	63.7%	73	12	66.7%	18
2018-2019	64	82.5%	78	52	63%	82	10	62.5%	16
2019-2020	75	75.7%	99	74	58.3%	127	11	64.7%	17

*4-year graduation rate

**2-year graduation rate