# Teacher Certification Program for College Graduates (TCPCG) Student Teaching Evaluation Final Results: World Language Fall 2016 

## Context

This survey is part of the set of surveys administered at key transitions points in the TCPCG program. This survey was administered to the university supervisors of the 6 members of the Fall $2016 \mathrm{IB} / \mathrm{M}$ World Language education cohort.

## Survey Content

- Information about the student teaching placement
- Professional characteristics
- General comments/feedback on the student's performance


## Methodology

The survey was administered using Qualtrics, an online survey tool. An email invitation was distributed to the placement supervisors of all of the students participating in internships. The data collection period was during the last two weeks of November, 2016. A total of 6 surveys were completed (response rate $=6 / 6=100 \%$ ).
All references to individuals/placement sites have been omitted to maintain anonymity.

The data are used for two types of reports.

- Individual-level report. This report was distributed to the individual student, the supervisor, the cooperating teacher, and the advisor.
- Program-level report. This report, which contains aggregate data, was delivered to the academic program.
- Disaggregated results are not reported across campuses, due to no or too few students enrolled in this focus area at the campus.


## Key Findings

- Student teachers were assessed as making outstanding or satisfactory progress across 33 professional standards, with an average score of 2.17 out of 3 points.
- Qualitative feedback from supervisors indicated that the student teachers excelled in designing engaging and innovative lesson plans, and were successful in building rapport with their students.
- Areas for improvement included working on language proficiency, and returning graded work in a timely manner.


## District of Student Teaching

| District | Count |
| :--- | ---: |
| Hartford | $1(16.67 \%)$ |
| Manchester | $1(16.67 \%)$ |
| Newtown | $1(16.67 \%)$ |
| Southington | $1(16.67 \%)$ |
| South Windsor | $2(33.33 \%)$ |

## Grade Level Placement (Check all that apply)

| Grade Level | Count | Grade Level | Count |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| 7 | 1 | 10 | 3 |
| 8 | 0 | 11 | 5 |
| 9 | 3 | 12 | 5 |

## Performance Areas

For each of the students, the following scale will be used to evaluate the teaching candidate:

3: Student is making outstanding progress by effectively planning/implementing instruction to address this standard.
2: Student is making satisfactory progress by making deliberate attempts to address this standard.
1: Student is not making satisfactory progress and still remains weak in addressing this standard.

CT Common Core of Teaching: Planning, Instructing, Assessing, and Adjusting

| Item | 1 | 2 | 3 | Mean |
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| 1. Language Acquisition Theories: Demonstrate an understanding of key principles of language acquisition and create linguistically and culturally rich learning environments. ACTFL 3a | 0 (0\%) | 5 (83.33\%) | 1 (16.67\%) | 2.17 |
| 2. Target language input: Demonstrate an understanding of key principles of language acquisition and create linguistically and culturally rich learning environments. ACTFL 3a, Core Practice 1, InTASC Standard 4 | 0 (0\%) | 4 (66.67\%) | 2 (33.33\%) | 2.33 |
| 3. Negotiation of Meaning: Demonstrate an understanding of key principles of language acquisition | 0 (0\%) | 5 (83.33\%) | 1 (16.67\%) | 2.17 |

and create linguistically and culturally rich learning environments. ACTFL 3a, InTASC 1, Core Practice 4
4. Meaningful Classroom Interaction: Demonstrate an understanding of key principles of language acquisition and create linguistically and culturally rich learning environments. ACTFL 3a, InTASC 3, Core Practice 5
5. Theories of learner development and instruction: Demonstrate an understanding of child and adolescent development to create a supportive learning environment for each student. ACTFL 3b
6. Understanding of relationship of articulated program models to language outcomes: Demonstrate an understanding of key principles of language acquisition and create linguistically and culturally rich learning environments. ACTFL 3a
7. Adapting instruction to address students' language levels, language backgrounds, learning styles:
Demonstrate an understanding of key principles of language acquisition and create linguistically and culturally rich learning environments. ACTFL 3a, InTASC 2, Core Practice 2
8. Adapting instruction to address students' multiple ways of learning: Demonstrate an understanding of child and adolescent development to create a supportive learning environment for each student. ACTFL 3b
9. Candidates anticipate their students' special needs by planning for differentiated alternative classroom activities as necessary. Demonstrate an understanding of child and adolescent development to create a supportive learning environment for each student. ACTFL 3b
10. Critical thinking and problem solving: Demonstrate an understanding of child and adolescent development to create a supportive learning environment for each student. ACTFL 3b, Core Practices 4 and 6
11. Grouping: Demonstrate an understanding of child and adolescent development to create a supportive learning environment for each student. ACTFL 3b, InTASC
12. Use of questioning and tasks: Demonstrate an understanding of child and adolescent development to create a supportive learning environment for each student. ACTFL 3b
13. Integration of Standards into planning:

Demonstrate an understanding of the Standards for Foreign Language Learning in the 21st Century or their recently refreshed version World-Readiness Standards for Learning Languages (2015) and their state
standards and use them as the basis for instructional planning. ACTFL 4a
14. Integration of Standards into instruction: Integrate the goal areas of the Standards for Foreign Language Learning in the 21st Century or their recently refreshed version World-Readiness Standards for Learning Languages (2015) and their state standards in their classroom practice. ACTFL 4b
15. Integration of three modes of communication: Integrate the goal areas of the Standards for Foreign Language Learning in the 21st Century or their recently refreshed version World-Readiness Standards for Learning Languages (2015) and their state standards in their classroom practice. ACTFL 4b, Core Practices 2 and 5
16. Integration of cultural products, practices, perspectives: Integrate the goal areas of the Standards for Foreign Language Learning in the 21st Century or their recently refreshed version World-Readiness Standards for Learning Languages (2015) and their state standards in their classroom practice. ACTFL 4b
17. Connections to other subject areas: Demonstrate an understanding of the Standards for Foreign Language Learning in the 21st Century or their recently refreshed version World-Readiness Standards for Learning Languages (2015) and their state standards and use them as the basis for instructional planning. ACTFL 4a
18. Connections to target language communities: Use the Standards for Foreign Language Learning in the 21st Century or their recently refreshed version WorldReadiness Standards for Learning Languages (2015) and their state standards to select and integrate authentic texts, use technology, and adapt and create instructional materials for use in communication. ACTFL 4c
19. Selection and integration of authentic materials and technology: Use the Standards for Foreign Language Learning in the 21st Century or their recently refreshed version World-Readiness Standards for Learning Languages (2015) and their state standards to select and integrate authentic texts, use technology, and adapt and create instructional materials for use in communication. ACTFL 4c, InTASC 4 and 8
20. Adaptation and Creation of materials: Demonstrate an understanding of the Standards for Foreign Language Learning in the 21st Century or their recently refreshed version World-Readiness Standards for Learning Languages (2015) and their state standards
and use them as the basis for instructional planning.
ACTFL 4 a
21. Plan for assessment: Design and use ongoing authentic performance assessments using a variety of assessment models for all learners, including diverse students. ACTFL 5a
22. Formative and summative assessment models:

Design and use ongoing authentic performance assessments using a variety of assessment models for all learners, including diverse students. ACTFL 5a
23. Interpretive communication: Interpret and report $\quad 0$ (0\%) 4 (66.67\%) 2 (33.33\%) 2.33 the results of student performances to all stakeholders in the community, with particular emphasis on building student responsibility for their own learning. ACTFL 5c
24. Interpersonal communication: Reflect on and analyze the results of student assessments, adjust instruction accordingly, and use data to inform and strengthen subsequent instruction. ACTFL 5b
25. Presentational communication: Interpret and report the results of student performances to all stakeholders in the community, with particular emphasis on building student responsibility for their own learning. ACTFL 5c
26. Cultural perspectives: Design and use ongoing authentic performance assessments using a variety of assessment models for all learners, including diverse students. ACTFL 5a
27. Integrated communication assessments: Design and use ongoing authentic performance assessments using a variety of assessment models for all learners, including diverse students. ACTFL 5a
28. Assessments reflect a variety of models designed to meet needs of diverse learners: Reflect on and analyze the results of student assessments, adjust instruction accordingly, and use data to inform and strengthen subsequent instruction. ACTFL 5b, InTASC 6, Core Practice 10

| 29. Reflect: Reflect on and analyze the results of | $0(0 \%)$ | 4 (66.67\%) | $2(33.33 \%)$ | 2.33 |
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30. Adjust instruction: Reflect on and analyze the results of student assessments, adjust instruction accordingly, and use data to inform and strengthen subsequent instruction. ACTFL 5b
31. Incorporate results and reflect on instruction: Interpret and report the results of student performances to all stakeholders in the community, with particular emphasis on building student responsibility for their own learning. ACTFL 5c

| 32. Interpret and report progress to students: Interpret and report the results of student performances to all stakeholders in the community, with particular emphasis on building student responsibility for their own learning. ACTFL 5c | 1 (16.67\%) | 5 (83.33\%) | 0 (0\%) | 1.83 |
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| 33. Communicate with stakeholders: Interpret and report the results of student performances to all stakeholders in the community, with particular emphasis on building student responsibility for their own learning. ACTFL 5c | 0 (0\%) | 6 (100\%) | 0 (0\%) | 2.00 |

## Final Grade

| Grade | Count |
| :--- | ---: |
| A | $3(50.00 \%)$ |
| A- | $1(16.67 \%)$ |
| B+ | $1(16.67 \%)$ |
| B | $1(16.67 \%)$ |
| Total | $6(100.00 \%)$ |

