# Bachelor of Science in Elementary/Special Education, Cochran

**Semester reporting: Spring Semester 2021** 

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**Academic Program Assessment by Concentration Report Information** 

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In which school is this program located?	Education and Behavioral Sciences
Program Type:	Undergraduate
Approximately how many students are in this	23
program at this location? Break out by	
concentrations.	

7. SLO 1: What is the first Student Learning	Successful teacher candidates will meet the
Outcome for this academic program? Student	minimal GACE score of 220 for Induction Level
Learning Outcomes should be stated in	and/or 250 for Professional Level on discipline
measurable terms (i.e. students will be able	specific GACE Content Exam 003 & Content Exam
to)	004.
8. SLO 1: What instrument (assessment type) was	External Exam – GACE Content Exam 003 and
used to measure student's ability to demonstrate	GACE Content Exam 004
mastery of this learning outcome? (i.e. exam,	
assignment with rubric, speech, demonstration of	
ability, lab assignment)	
9. SLO 1: What target performance level would a	90% of students will earn a score of 220 or higher
student need to achieve on the assessment	on the identified assessment
instrument to demonstrate mastery of this	
learning outcome? (i.e. 80% of all students will	
earn an average grade of 75% or better on)	
10. SLO 1: During this assessment cycle, what	100% of students earned a score of 220 or higher
percent of the students who participated in this	on GACE Content Exam 003 100% of students
assessment met the target performance level and	earned a score of 220 or higher on GACE Content
demonstrated mastery of this learning outcome.	Exam 004
Report data differentiated by program	
concentrations. (Example: BA Contemporary	
Musicianship - 84%, BA Contemporary	
Musicianship Classical - 77%, BA Contemporary	
Musicianship Commercial - 63%)	
11. SLO 1: Evidence of changes based on an	Our candidates continue to perform well on the
analysis of the results: What changes were	GACE Content Exams. Whole group, small group,
implemented based on an analysis of the	and one-on-one review sessions are provided as
students' performance on this Student Learning	needed for these exams. We will continue to
Outcome?	offer these sessions to our candidates. We will
	also continue to stay up to date on any changes
	made on the GACE Content Exams and update
	our curriculum as needed.

12. SLO 2: What is the second Student Learning Outcome for this academic program? Student Learning Outcomes should be stated in measurable terms (i.e. students will be able to)  13. SLO 2: What instrument (assessment type) was used to measure student's ability to demonstrate mastery of this learning outcome?	Successful teacher candidates will develop an understanding of Instructional Practice including data analysis, the ability to make data driven decisions and accommodation of diverse learners measured during lesson planning.  Lesson Plans and Teaching Observations
(i.e. exam, assignment with rubric, speech, demonstration of ability, lab assignment)	
14. SLO 2: What target performance level would a student need to achieve on the assessment instrument to demonstrate mastery of this learning outcome? (i.e. 80% of all students will earn an average grade of 75% or better on).	90% of students will earn a score of 80% or higher on the identified assessment in ESE 3555, ESE 4477, and ESE 4588.
15. SLO 2: During this assessment cycle, what percent of the students who participated in this assessment met the target performance level and demonstrated mastery of this learning outcome. Report data differentiated by program concentrations. (Example: BA Contemporary Musicianship - 84%, BA Contemporary Musicianship Classical - 77%, BA Contemporary Musicianship Commercial - 63%)	96% of student earned a score of 80% or higher on the Lesson Plans and Teaching Observations.
16. SLO 2: Evidence of changes based on an analysis of the results: What changes were implemented based on an analysis of the students' performance on this Student Learning Outcome?	Our candidates have continued to demonstrate exemplary understanding of Instructional Practice including data analysis, the ability to make data driven decisions and accommodation of diverse learners measured during lesson planning. They are provided multiple opportunities throughout our program to receive instruction and individualized feedback on their lesson plans. Our department will continue to monitor students' performance throughout the program and make changes or provided individual support as needed.

17. SLO 3: What is the third Student Learning Outcome for this academic program? Student Learning Outcomes should be stated in measurable terms (i.e. students will be able to)	Successful teacher candidates will create Formative Assessment Practices including: (i) Designing of Pre- and Post-Test Instruments, which are administered in actual elementary school classrooms; and (ii) Item analysis of data, disaggregated by sub-groups, interpretation of results for instruction planning and data-based decision making.
18. SLO 3: What instrument (assessment type) was used to measure student's ability to demonstrate mastery of this learning outcome? (i.e. exam, assignment with rubric, speech, demonstration of ability, lab assignment)	Lesson Plans and Rubrics
19. SLO 3: What target performance level would a student need to achieve on the assessment instrument to demonstrate mastery of this learning outcome? (i.e. 80% of all students will earn an average grade of 75% or better on).  20. SLO 3: During this assessment cycle, what percent of the students who participated in this assessment met the target performance level and demonstrated mastery of this learning outcome.	96% of students will earn a score of 80% or higher on the identified assessment in ESE 3555, ESE 4477, and ESE 4588.  100% of students earned an 80% or higher on the Lesson Plans and Rubrics
Report data differentiated by program concentrations. (Example: BA Contemporary Musicianship - 84%, BA Contemporary Musicianship Classical - 77%, BA Contemporary Musicianship Commercial - 63%)	
21. SLO 3: Evidence of changes based on an analysis of the results: What changes were implemented based on an analysis of the students' performance on this Student Learning Outcome?	Our candidates have continued to demonstrate exemplary performance on creating formative assessments, analyzing data from formative assessments and making data informed decisions. Our department will continue to provide real classroom experiences through our field classes for candidates to implement these practices.

22. SLO 4: What is the fourth Student Learning	Successful teacher candidates will evaluate their
Outcome for this academic program? Student	professional practice through reflective
Learning Outcomes should be stated in	Commentary, which will provide an
measurable terms (i.e. students will be able	understanding of engaging all learners through
to)	evidence- based instructional modifications.
23. SLO 4: What instrument (assessment type)	Commentary and Rubric
was used to measure student's ability to	
demonstrate mastery of this learning outcome?	
(i.e. exam, assignment with rubric, speech,	
demonstration of ability, lab assignment)	
24. SLO 4: What target performance level would	90% of students will earn a score of 80% or
a student need to achieve on the assessment	higher on the identified assessment in ESE 3555,
instrument to demonstrate mastery of this	ESE 4477, and ESE 4588.
learning outcome? (i.e. 80% of all students will	
earn an average grade of 75% or better on	
25. SLO 4: During this assessment cycle, what	96% of students earned a score of 80% or higher
percent of the students who participated in this	on the Commentary and Rubric
assessment met the target performance level and	
demonstrated mastery of this learning outcome.	
Report data differentiated by program	
concentrations. (Example: BA Contemporary	
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26. SLO 4: Evidence of changes based on an	Our candidates have continued to demonstrate
analysis of the results: What changes were	exemplary performance on reflective
implemented based on an analysis of the	commentary. They are able to successfully reflect
students' performance on this Student Learning	on their own teaching and understand how to
Outcome?	make instructional modifications to engage all
	learners. From the start of our program,
	candidates are required to reflect on their lessons
	and teaching. This practice will continue.

## Sampling

27. How many students participated in the	23
assessment of these learning outcomes, in this	
program, for this assessment cycle at this	
location? (Provide Number and by Concentration)	

### **Open Box for Assessment Comments**

28. Overall Use of Assessment Results for Continuous Improvement and Open Text Box For Assessment Comments:	Just as we instruct our candidates, we use our assessment results for continuous improvement. Because our learning objective are scaffolded and tiered throughout our program, we are able to provide multiple opportunities for instruction as well as gather formative data on their understanding and performance. This allows our department to make data informed decisions throughout a candidate's time in the program and proivde them the support they needed.
	Despite this group of students completing most of their progam during a pandemic and teaching in virtual setting, they were still successful on all four SLOs.
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29. If the COVID-19 pandemic impacted this	
assessment cycle, please provide specific details	
below.	