

# Welcome to our Partnership Advisory Council (PAC)

October 17, 2024

4:30-6:30 pm

Berry Room at the Nutter Center



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**HEALTH, EDUCATION,  
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# PAC Goals



- To inform educator preparation programs in the spirit of continuous improvement
- To improve field placement processes and procedures
- To improve partnership collaboration opportunities that benefit both Wright State (teacher candidates and/or faculty) and partnership schools (students, teachers, and/or administrators)

# Agenda

- Welcome/ Introductions
- Review of Last Meeting
- State Updates
- What is NCTQ?
  - Brief Overview
  - Focus on CT criteria
  - Program Groups
- Final Announcements



# Spring 2024 PAC Discussion Topics

- Ideas for more community based service learning
- Ideas for first year seminar topics
- Feedback about our subbing policy
- Feedback about our placement policy
- Ideas about how we prepare our candidates to tackle assessment

# Placement Policy Update

- Require 3 different settings over the course of the program
- Added an opportunity to appeal to ask for an exception to be made



# Ohio Education Updates



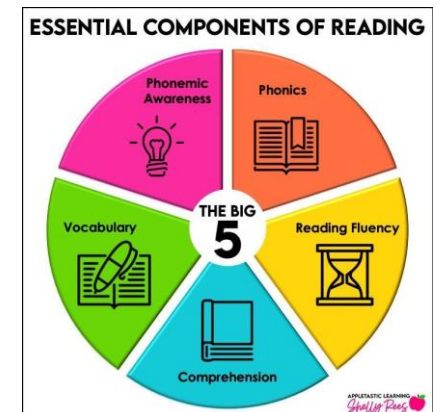
# Preservice Teacher Permit

- WSU requires this for all candidates in field placements
- Serves as substitute teaching license
- Currently only in a 3 year option
- Are enrolled in Rapback



# Science of Reading

- Hearings held in Summer of 2024
- Every program in Ohio will participate in audit
- Site visits February- May 2025
  - Syllabi and Materials Review
  - Observations
  - Focus Groups



# PK-8 Elementary and Middle Education License

- Standards panel currently meeting
  - Standards are due by June 2025
  - New assessments due by March 2027
- May begin accepting students in fall of 2027
- PK-5 and 4-9 licenses will retire on 12/31/2031



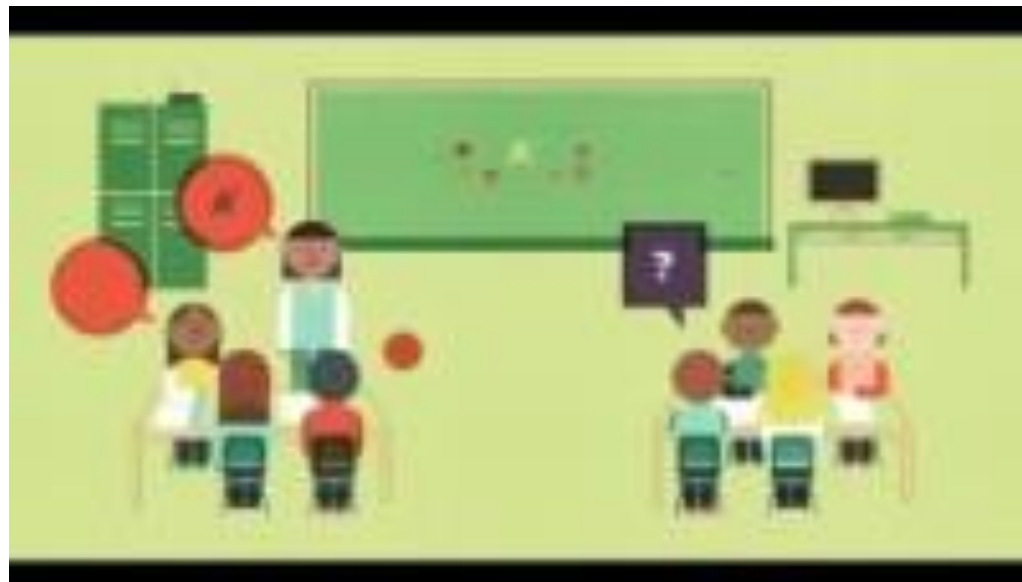
# License Transition

- Beginning November 2024, teachers may transition their license to one of the new licenses if one grade level overlaps
  - Most common will be PK-3, PK-5, and 4-9 transitioning to PK-8
  - Still determining issues with other transitions
  - Will not be able to transition back
  - SBoE working on FAQ to share

# **Understanding and Meeting the National Council on Teacher Quality (NCTQ) Requirements**

# What is the National Council on Teacher Quality (NCTQ)?

Mission: To ensure every child has effective teachers and every teacher has the opportunity to be effective



# What NCTQ Does

- Amassed the largest repository of data on the teacher workforce outside the U.S. government with unique datasets that capture state laws and policies, teacher contracts and school board policies, and the practices of teacher preparation programs.
- Share data freely with the public
- Uses data to conduct original analyses, linking it to high-quality, peer-reviewed research and worldwide best practices to inform actionable, evidence-based recommendations.

# NCTQ: Clinical Practice Action Guide

## Six Clinical Practice Focus Areas

1. Strong district-prep program partnerships
2. **Student teacher-cooperating teacher matches**
3. Cooperating teacher and program supervisor training
4. Student teacher placement sites
5. Student teacher skill development
6. Data and outcomes



## Focus Area 2: Student teacher-cooperating teacher matches

- Instructionally effective cooperating teachers
  - Require evidence that cooperating teachers are instructionally effective based on clearly defined criteria.
    - If using evaluation ratings as a measure, ensure that ratings are based, at least in part, on contributions to student learning.

# Selecting Cooperating Teachers

- Goal- Create Look Fors Document
- Discussion about each criteria
  - What to look for
  - Sources of evidence
- Any criteria we are missing?

# Program Discussion Sessions



- **AYA/Multi-Age WL**
- **Middle Childhood Education**
- **Health and Physical Education**
- **Elementary Education**
- **Intervention Specialist**

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# Pride Points

- Grants for Science of Reading Implementation
- Future Teachers Day on September 20, 2024
- Fall 2024 Literacy Launch

# Next Meeting Date

- May 1, 2025
- 4:30 PM-6:30 PM
- Berry Room at the Nutter Center

Thank you for your  
being a valued  
member of the  
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Please take a small  
token of our  
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