## Satisfaction of Employers

**Description of data:** Data represent survey results from administrators in local P-12 schools (LEAs) and aim to determine employer satisfaction with completers teaching in their schools. Due to COVID-19, the employer survey was not distributed in 2020-21. The instrument and its administration are under review in order to better assess employer satisfaction.

**Co-Construction and development:** The C-N Employer Survey is part of the EPP's Quality Assurance System in keeping with CAEP Standard 4.3 and is constructed to obtain information from employers regarding their perceptions of C-N teachers' preparation as relevant to the responsibilities they confront on the job, and that the preparation was effective. The survey is sent electronically, and results are compiled in the C-N assessment and evaluation database for analysis and synthesis toward program improvement. EPP faculty, local P-12 principals, instructional coaches, and teachers (who have experience at all three grade bands) co-reviewed and updated this instrument in Fall 2019 which is documented in meeting minutes.

| Criteria:                |           |          |         |
|--------------------------|-----------|----------|---------|
| Excellent = 5            |           |          |         |
| More than adequate = 4   |           |          |         |
| Adequate = 3             | 2018-19   | 2019-20  | 2020-21 |
| Not adequate = 2         | LEA       | LEA      | LEA     |
| Not prepared = 1         | n=25      | n=34     | n= 55   |
| TEAM                     | 3.62      | •        | 1       |
| Diversity                | 3.76      | 4.00     | 1       |
| Data Literacy/Technology | 3.57      | 3.88     | -       |
| Conceptual Framework     | 3.50      | 4.29     | 1       |
| Literacy                 | -         | 3.93     | 1       |
| Research                 | -         | 3.89     | 1       |
| Satisfaction             | -         | 4.58     | -       |
| Mean                     | 3.64      | 4.07     | -       |
| Standard Deviation       | 1.38      | 0.69     | -       |
| Range                    | 3.17-4.00 | 2.88-5.0 | -       |

Source: C-N Education Department 2020-21 Fact Book



# Carson-Newman University

# **Employment**

The Employment domain evaluates a provider's performance in preparing educators to begin and remain teaching in Tennessee public schools.

### Performance

### **Meets Expectations**

#### What does this mean?

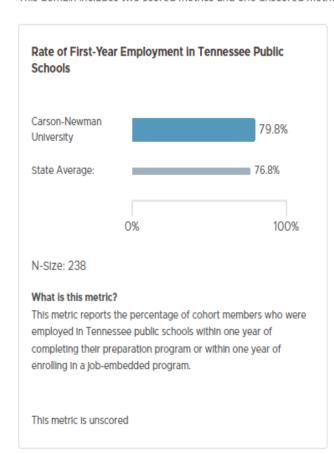
"Does Not Meet Expectations" means the provider received less than 50% of possible points. "Meets Expectations" means the provider received 50-74.9% of possible points. "Exceeds Expectations" means the provider received 75% or more of possible points.

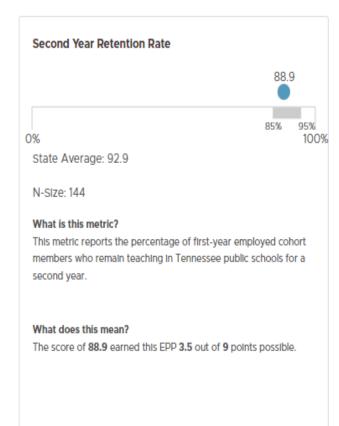
### Why is this important?

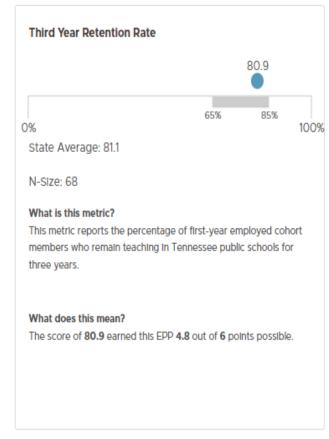
Teacher retention is important because teachers become more effective as they gain experience. Retaining more teachers also helps to alleviate teacher shortages.

### Metrics

This domain includes two scored metrics and one unscored metric.







Source: TN State Board of Education 2021 Educator Preparation Report Card https://teacherprepreportcard.tn.gov/teacher-prep/1102-T/employment