

Name: Candidate 2

### Exit Interview

At the end of your student teaching experience you will meet with the program coordinator to review your experience in the program. During this short interview, please describe how well the Technology Education program prepared you to plan, act, and reflect like a teacher. We are particularly interested in continuing to improve our program, so please be honest with your responses.

Please rate the following on a scale of: Poor = 1 – Excellent = 4

1. How well were you prepared to teach about technological literacy?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

2. How well were you prepared to teach the characteristics and scope of technology?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

3. How well were you prepared to teach to the core concepts of technology?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

4. How well were you prepared to teach about technology and its interdisciplinary nature?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

5. How well were you prepared to teach about technology's societal, economic, and environmental impacts?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

6. How well were you prepared to teach about technology's influence on history?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

7. How well were you prepared to teach about/using design?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

8. How well were you prepared to teach about/using engineering design?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

9. How well were you prepared to teach about/using research, troubleshooting, and innovation and invention strategies?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

10. How well were you prepared to teach about applying the design process?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

11. How well were you prepared to teach about the abilities required to use and maintain a technological product or system?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

12. How well were you prepared to teach to about assessing the impacts of products and systems?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

13. How well were you prepared to teach about the selection and use of medical technologies?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

14. How well were you prepared to teach about the selection and use of Agricultural and related Biotechnologies?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

15. How well were you prepared to teach about the selection and use of Energy and Power technologies?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

16. How well were you prepared to teach about the selection and use of Information and Communication technologies?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

17. How well were you prepared to teach about the selection and use of Transportation technologies?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	4

18. How well were you prepared to teach about the selection and use of Manufacturing technologies?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	█

19. How well were you prepared to teach about the selection and use of Construction technologies?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	█

20. How well were you prepared to teach to use CAD, machines, and tools?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	█	3	4

This needs to be fixed. The CAD program is not part of the TE program and it should be. The instruction was poor and the software was old, so was the book. I hope that TE takes over this program because I didn't learn very much in that class.

***Professional Sequence:***

21. How well were you prepared to use standards (RIPTS and STL) to develop and evaluate curriculum and lessons?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	█

22. How well were you prepared to make informed decisions by identifying multiple resources to create meaningful lessons?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	█

23. How well were you prepared to develop appropriate content for technology lessons?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	█

24. How well were you prepared to design and deliver technology content using a number of different teaching strategies?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	█

25. How well were you prepared to design lessons and units of study which were sensitive to cultural diversity?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	█

26. How well were you prepared to design learning experiences for student of differing abilities and ages?

Poor	Average	Good	Excellent
1	2	3	█

27. How well were you prepared to plan for and evaluate student learning?  
Poor                      Average                      Good                      Excellent  
1                              2                              3                              4

28. How well were you prepared to use educational technology during the program?  
Poor                      Average                      Good                      Excellent  
1                              2                              3                              4

29. How well were you prepared to seek out and utilize professional development opportunities?  
Poor                      Average                      Good                      Excellent  
1                              2                              3                              4

30. Overall, how would you rate the professional sequence in Technology Education?  
Poor                      Average                      Good                      Excellent  
1                              2                              3                              4

*Was the interaction with a large number of practicing teachers during the program helpful with your preparation? Explain.*

I think this was the best part of my preparation the program. When I was in the Orientation class, we had to visit many classes in Technology Education. I made my student teaching choice because I was in so many classes. I saw and taught elementary classes in HBS and then visited the middle school. My assignment for practicum with different teachers at Smithfield High School really helped me feel more confident about teaching. Dr. McLaughlin placed me in this school, which is a great idea. I knew the kids and was very comfortable when I took over my own classes. Great experience.

*What support do you wish you had gotten that would have helped you in your student teaching position?* I was really prepared well for student teaching. Mr. Macari and Dr. Farinella were always available for me. They made sure I stayed on task and made good suggestions to help me out in my classes.

*What courses were most valuable to you as you prepared for student teaching?*

The Methods 406 class was the class that helped me the most. What I learned there, I used in 407 and 408. Mr. Arango's practicum class was also useful because it made me work on preparing for classes. His input was good because he always looked at my lessons before I presented them in the HBS classroom.

*What courses were least valuable in the program as you prepared for student teaching? How can we improve them?*

The CAD class was the worst class I ever took. I had to learn all the material myself after I took that class.

*What are your teaching goals for the next five years?*

I would like to get tenured and be working on a masters degree.