

Measure 4b: Ability of Completers to Meet Licensing

The MWSU EPP reports the number of teacher candidates admitted into Teacher Education initial certification programs and the program completers. MWSU's program is designed to ensure that 100% of MWSU completers meet all state requirements for certification as a recommendation for certification is required for program completion*.

The chart below provides information on the number of candidates admitted to the Education Program and the number of candidates completing the program, with state certification, as measured by the University Calendar Year (August 1 – July 31).

	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	TOTAL
Admitted to Education Program	41**	116	111	89	116	64***	76^	650
Licensed Program Completers	106	76	77	71	91	74	68	586

*One candidate in 2020-2021 completed the program under a COVID-related exception, but did not complete licensure and moved out of the country.

**Significant changes to state requirements were implemented in 2016, thus many students beginning their certification pathway in 2015-2016 were delayed and officially admitted under the new guidelines in 2016-2017.

***Significant changes to the EPP's degree offerings were implemented in Fall 2020, including a phase out of undergraduate degree options. A phase in of graduate licensing options began in 2021.

^Includes admission from graduate level initial licensing program (initial offering 2021-2022).