

## Comparison of Praxis Scores Between TESU and NJ State Averages 2021-2024

### Percentage of Correct Answers by Exam Section

Exam 6990

2021-2022 N=17

2022-2023 N=10

2023-2024 N=6

| Section | Content                         | TESU<br>2021-2022 | NJ State<br>2021-2022 | TESU<br>2022-2023 | NJ State<br>2022-2023 | TESU<br>2023-2024 | NJ State<br>2023-2024 |
|---------|---------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| I       | Strategic Leadership            | 77.06             | 76.7                  | 74.9              | 70.7                  | 89.03             | 75.44                 |
| II      | Instructional Leadership        | 71                | 72.9                  | 73.9              | 73.4                  | 76.81             | 70.54                 |
| III     | Climate and Cultural Leadership | 72.45             | 71.8                  | 71                | 72.3                  | 71.30             | 68.95                 |
| IV      | Ethical Leadership              | 66                | 70.45                 | 72.4              | 79.4                  | 73.07             | 69.48                 |
| V       | Organizational Leadership       | 72                | 70.62                 | 69                | 71.7                  | 67.22             | 67.12                 |
| VI      | Community Engagement Leadership | 69                | 69                    | 71.9              | 76.5                  | 69.34             | 67.62                 |
| VII     | Analysis Constructed Response   | 74.37             | 73.4                  | 74.9              | 73.3                  | 75                | 75.32                 |

## Comparison of Praxis Scores of TESU Candidates by Gender Averages

### Percentage of Correct Answers by Exam Section

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2021-2022 F=11; M=6; N=17

2022-2023 F= 9; M =1 \*

2023-2024 F= 4; M= 2\*

\*No data are displayed because the test taker count is fewer than 5.

| Section | Content                         | 2021-2022<br>Female | 2021-2022<br>Male | 2022-2023<br>Female | 2022-2023<br>Male | 2023-2024<br>Female | 2023-2024<br>Male |
|---------|---------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| I       | Strategic Leadership            | 73.53               | 74.88             | 72.02               | *                 | *                   | *                 |
| II      | Instructional Leadership        | 75.10               | 67.81             | 73.4                | *                 | *                   | *                 |
| III     | Climate and Cultural Leadership | 69.01               | 67.81             | 72.9                | *                 | *                   | *                 |
| IV      | Ethical Leadership              | 67.37               | 66.22             | 79.2                | *                 | *                   | *                 |
| V       | Organizational Leadership       | 64.50               | 70.24             | 71.5                | *                 | *                   | *                 |
| VI      | Community Engagement Leadership | 68.94               | 60.79             | 75.6                | *                 | *                   | *                 |
| VII     | Analysis Constructed Response   | 70.83               | 65.97             | 75                  | *                 | *                   | *                 |

## **Comparison of Praxis Scores Between TESU and NJ State Averages**

### **Percentage of Correct Answers by Exam Section**

All M.A. Educational Leadership graduate students take the School Leader Licensure Assessment (Praxis II) conducted by the Educational Testing Service (ETS). The program and the Praxis exam are based on professional standards. As a result, student performance and program effectiveness can be aligned with each of the NELP standards and claims. The staff and mentors in the M.A. in Educational Leadership program agreed that the state performance scores, which vary from year to year, would be used as the target level performance (benchmark) for NELP Standards 1-6.

There has been consistent performance in student scores on the Praxis II School Leader Licensure Assessment for Standards 1 through 6, with TESU students above, at, or within a few points below the state benchmark for claims 1, 3, 4, 5, and 6.

### **Comparison of Praxis Scores Across Gender**

In previous years, the PRAXIS II scores also demonstrate that female and male students perform similarly on each category for the School Leader Licensure Assessment with females outperforming males on all categories except for section 1 and 5 (Strategic Leadership and Organizational Leadership) in year 2021-2022. In years 2022-2023, gender comparisons were not possible due to data not being reported as the test take count for males was fewer than 5. In years, 2023-2024, gender comparisons were not possible due to data not being reported as the test take count for males and females were fewer than 5.