

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION & HUMAN SERVICES

Alumni Survey

2016 - 2017

When will you receive your diploma from Canisius College?

Spring 2017	19	86.36%
Summer 2017	3	13.64%
Fall 2017	0	0.00%

What is your Program at Canisius?

Undergraduate Adolescence Education	6	27.27%
Undergraduate Early Childhood/Childhood Education	3	13.64%
Undergraduate Physical Education / Health Education	1	4.55%
Undergraduate Childhood Special Education	9	40.91%
Deaf Education	0	0.00%
Graduate Physical Education	3	13.64%

Based on my preparation at Canisius College, I understand learning, teaching and/or other professional theoretical foundations.

Strongly agree	18	81.82%
Somewhat agree	4	18.18%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

[Employee Status](#)

Based on my preparation at Canisius College I can apply best practices in my profession.

Strongly agree	19	86.36%
Somewhat agree	13	13.64%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

Content Knowledge

Based on my preparation at Canisius College I can maintain appropriate classroom management.

Strongly agree	14	63.64%
Somewhat agree	7	31.82%
Neither agree nor disagree	1	4.55%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

I am able to employ strong knowledge in my content area.

Strongly agree	19	86.36%
Somewhat agree	3	13.64%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

I am able to employ appropriate pedagogical content knowledge.

Strongly agree	20	90.91%
Somewhat agree	2	9.09%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

Impact on Student Learning

Based on my preparation at Canisius College I am able to achieve positive outcomes regarding student learning, achievement and/or development.

Strongly agree	21	95.45%
Somewhat agree	1	4.55%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

Based on my preparation at Canisius College I can set clear learning goals and align instruction with standard based content.

Strongly agree	21	95.45%
Somewhat agree	1	4.55%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

Based on my preparation at Canisius College I can engage and motivate students.

Strongly agree	21	95.45%
Somewhat agree	1	4.55%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

I am able to successfully consider multiple ability levels in diverse P-12 settings when developing lessons and assessments.

Strongly agree	16	72.73%
Somewhat agree	6	27.27%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

My experience at Canisius College has enabled me to effectively teach diverse P-12 student populations.

Strongly agree	17	77.27%
Somewhat agree	3	13.64%
Neither agree nor disagree	1	4.55%
Somewhat disagree	1	4.55%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

Self Reflection

I am willing and able to use the results of P-12 assessments of student learning to guide my instruction and/or professional effectiveness.

Strongly agree	17	80.95%
Somewhat agree	4	19.05%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

I am willing and able to engage in collaboration to augment my professional practice.

Strongly agree	20	90.91%
Somewhat agree	2	9.09%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

Service Orientation

After graduating, I plan to assume appropriate leadership/roles in the school and/or district.

Strongly agree	17	77.27%
Somewhat agree	5	22.73%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

After graduating, I plan to be involved in internal or external communities that support student development.

Strongly agree	16	72.73%
Somewhat agree	5	22.73%
Neither agree nor disagree	1	4.55%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

My training at Canisius stressed the importance of involving family and community members in a child's education.

Strongly agree	20	90.91%
Somewhat agree	2	9.09%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

Professional Dispositions

Professional Dispositions Please select the box that most closely describes your level of agreement.

Extremely professional	20	90.91%
Moderately professional	2	9.09%
Slightly professional	0	0.00%
Neither professional nor unprofessional	0	0.00%
Slightly unprofessional	0	0.00%
Moderately unprofessional	0	0.00%
Extremely unprofessional	0	0.00%

Based on my preparation at Canisius College I will be able to practice professional and ethical responsibility by respecting multiple perspectives of clients/students, local communities and colleagues.

Strongly agree	20	90.91%
Agree	2	9.09%
Somewhat agree	0	0.00%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

Based on my preparation at Canisius College I will be able to effectively communicate and work with clients/students, parents and other professionals.

Strongly agree	17	77.27%	17
Agree	4	18.18%	4
Somewhat agree	1	4.55%	1
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%	0
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%	0
Disagree	0	0.00%	0
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%	0

Based on my preparation I will be able to practice caring and fairness by using varied strategies and methods to address each client’s /students diverse needs, the requirements of the task and the discipline.

Strongly agree	17	77.27%
Somewhat agree	5	22.73%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

Based on my preparation I will act responsibly through collaboration with others as partners in planning and implementing effective programming.

Strongly agree	20	90.91%
Somewhat agree	2	9.09%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

Canisius College provided me with the knowledge, skills and dispositions to be successful and to be recognized as a competent professional in my employment.

Strongly agree	20	90.91%
Somewhat agree	2	9.09%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

My preparation program at Canisius was well aligned to state requirements and national standards.

Strongly agree	21	95.45%
Somewhat agree	1	4.55%
Neither agree nor disagree	0	0.00%
Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
Strongly disagree	0	0.00%

Please use the field below to send us your comments or thoughts regarding your experience at Canisius or post-Canisius. We welcome any opinions or suggestions related to our programs or the field of teacher education in general. Thank you SO MUCH for your time.

- I feel that I am prepared to enter the real world of teaching and look forward for the opportunity to practice what I have learned in the field.
- The Curriculum Center does not have class sets of books so it was difficult to take anything out.
- Great experience
- I really enjoyed my experience at Canisius College!
- I really enjoy how our program provides us with experience early on in classrooms.
- The values of the college are infused into the teacher education program and a major strength of the college. A suggestion would be to give more education on classroom management.
- Great experience, teacher education program was excellent! Could not ask for a better teacher prep program.
- I feel well prepared entering the teaching profession after my four years at Canisius.