State Efforts for Building an Effective, Diverse Teacher Workforce

# Bridging the Continuum: Teacher Preparation and Induction for Deeper Learning









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### Agenda

#### Welcome & Introduction

Maria Hyler, Deputy Director, Washington DC office and Senior Researcher, Learning Policy Institute

#### Moderated Discussion

Maria Hyler, Moderator

**Robert Behning**, Chairman of the Education Committee, Indiana House of Representatives

**Sandra Hinderliter**, Educator Preparation Lead, Center for Instructional Support, Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

Margaret McKenna, President Emeritus, Lesley University, and member, Massachusetts Board of Elementary and Secondary Education

**Dr. Jennifer Tuttleton**, *Executive Director of Talent Pipeline*, Louisiana Department of Education

#### Audience Q&A



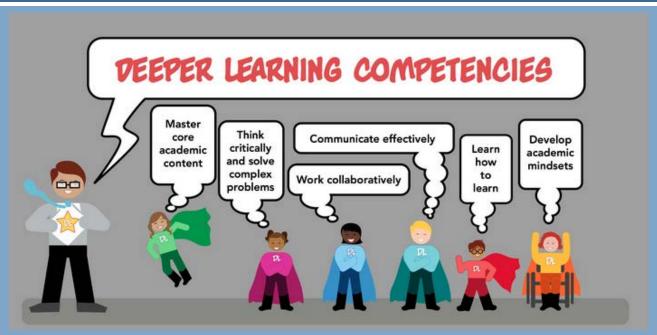
### **Our Partners**







### **Domains of Deeper Learning**



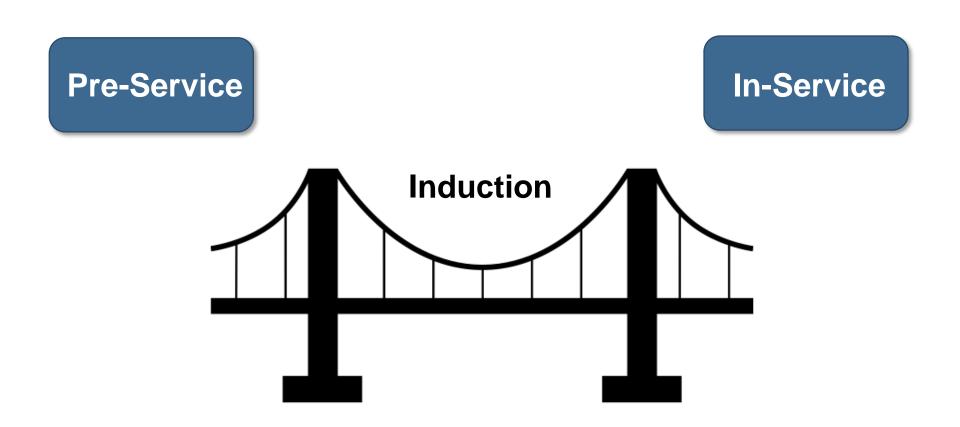
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## Domains of Teacher Preparation for Deeper Learning

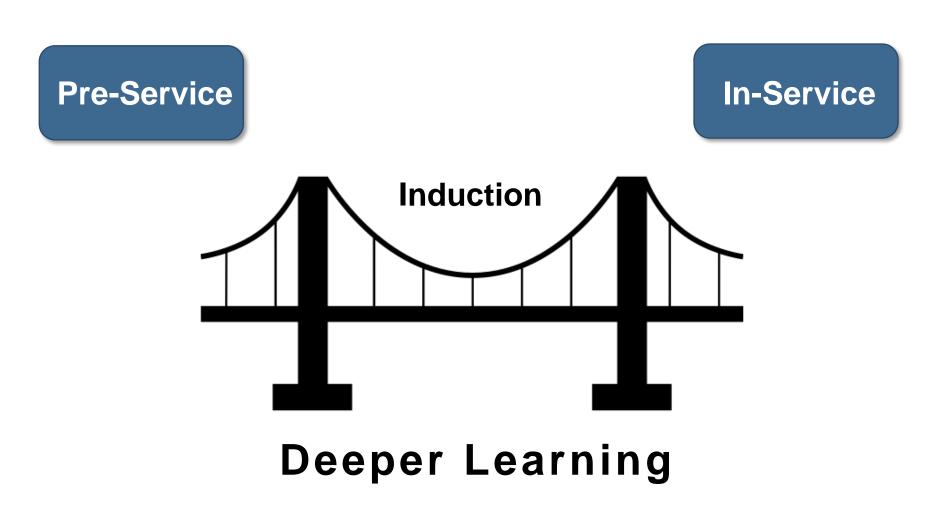
- Learning is applied and transferred
- Learning is developmentally grounded and personalized
- Learning occurs in productive communities of practice
- Learning is contextualized
- Learning is equitable and social justice oriented

### **Bridging the Continuum...**





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### **Bridging Pre-service and Induction**

Incorporating features of the teaching knowledge and skills we've described here into the **standards** that inform licensing and accreditation;

Developing or adopting *performance assessments* that reflect these standards as a means for licensing candidates;

Establishing and maintaining *authentic partnerships* between preparation programs and pk-12 districts





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### EVOLUTION OF TEACHER PREPARATION IN LOUISIANA

1999

2014

#### Prior to 1999

National accreditation required for public university programs

#### 2000-2009

Teacher licensure structures, pathways, and development guidelines are revised in policy; national accreditation required for private university programs

#### 2001-2005

First preparation program accountability system implemented

#### 2002-2011

Preparation programs are redesigned, reviewed, and approved based on new policy requirements; all pre-redesign programs terminated

#### 2003-2006

Value-added teacher preparation assessment model developed by George Noell and piloted

#### 2006-2010

Value-added teacher preparation assessment model implemented and publicly reported

#### 2010-2014

Value-added teacher preparation assessment model reports adjusted for consistency with value-added assessment of practicing teachers, through Compass

### SURVEY RESULTS

Louisiana Department of Education surveyed more than 6,000 educators - new teachers, the programs that prepare them, and the schools and districts that hire and support them.



- School systems and preparation programs agree that teacher candidates need more hands-on experience prior to entering the classroom full-time, but they typically do not partner to provide adequate time for aspiring teachers to practice in the classroom and do not consistently pair aspiring educators with top educators as coaches or mentors.
- Preparation programs and school systems generally agree on what should be taught to teacher candidates, but greater collaboration is needed to better prepare new teachers to be "ready on day one" for the classroom.
- School systems experience shortages of teachers in specific subject areas but typically do not coordinate with preparation programs on recruitment into those subject areas.

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Practicing teachers and district leaders agree that today's classrooms require a different set of knowledge and skills. They agree that teacher preparation programs should include courses in:

SELECTING CURRICULAR RESOURCES		ASSESSMENT		ANALYZING STUDENT DATA	
94%	95%	96%	100%	96%	98%
teachers	district	teachers	district	teachers	district

#### When I finished my program, I was prepared to:

SELECT
TEACHING
RESOURCES
31%
disagree or strongly disagree

STUDENTS
HOW TO READ

41%
disagree or strongly disagree

TEACH

DEVELOP A YEARLONG PLAN & UNIT PLANS

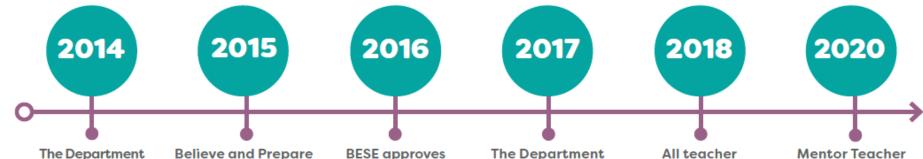
42% disagree or strongly disagree

TEACH STUDENTS WITH DIVERSE NEEDS

42% disagree or strongly disagree



#### PREPARING LOUISIANA'S NEXT GENERATION EDUCATORS



The Department releases Partners in Preparation Survey and launches Believe and Prepare pilot program with 7 school systems preparation providers

pilot program
expands to over
30 school systems
and 20 preparation
providers

updated
regulations to
expand yearlong
residencies and
competency-based
teacher preparation
curricula statewide

The Department launches statewide mentor training for expert teachers

preparation programs to include a yearlong residency and competency-based design Mentor Teacher cadre expands to 2,500 mentor teachers

### **Discussion**

### Discussion and Audience Q&A



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### Webinar Series

### State Efforts for Building an Effective, Diverse Teacher Workforce

Leveraging ESSA's Title II for Job-Embedded Professional Development http://bit.ly/LPITitleIIProfDev

How Teacher Leadership, Career Ladders and Relicensure can Support Teaching for Deeper Learning

http://bit.ly/LPI\_PD\_DL

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http://bit.ly/LPIBridging



#### Resources

#### **Learning Policy Institute**

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### Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

#### PK-12 – Ed Prep Partnership Toolkit:

http://www.doe.mass.edu/edprep/partnerships/toolkit.pdf

#### **Guidelines for the Professional Standards for Teachers:**

http://www.doe.mass.edu/edprep/advisories/ TeachersGuidelines.pdf

#### **Guidelines for the Candidate Assessment of Performance:**

http://www.doe.mass.edu/edprep/cap/guidelines.html

#### **Annual Induction and Mentoring Report:**

http://www.doe.mass.edu/educators/mentor/reports.html

#### **Louisiana Department of Education**

### Preparation Programs: A Survey of Educators & Education:

https://www.louisianabelieves.com/docs/default-source/links-for-newsletters/partners-in-preparation-survey-report.pdf?sfvrsn=6

### Access to Full Preparation For Teachers In Rural Communities:

https://www.louisianabelieves.com/docs/default-source/teaching/2017-believe-and-prepare-rural-report.pdf?sfvrsn=6

#### **Teacher Quality Rating System:**

https://www.louisianabelieves.com/docs/default-source/key-initiatives/louisianas-key-initiatives\_teacher-preparation-quality-rating-system.pdf?sfvrsn=5

#### **Louisiana Mentor Teachers:**

https://www.louisianabelieves.com/teaching/louisiana-mentor-teachers

#### Louisiana Key Initiatives:

https://www.louisianabelieves.com/resources/about-us/louisiana's-key-initiatives

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