

## **EPP Interview Rubric**

(Admission/Principal's Panel)

Interview Rubric (Check one: □Program Admission □Principal's Panel)								
NAME:	Г	DATE: TOTAL SCORE:						
<b>Communication (All Questions)</b>								
Unacceptable (1)	Competent (2) (Required for Admission)	Proficient (3) (Required for Principal's Panel)	Accomplished (4)	Score 1	Score 2	Final		
Rate of speech and gestures largely inappropriate Voice projection too loud or too soft; poor enunciation Use of many fillers/vocalized pauses (um, ah, er, you know, okay, like, etc.) No attempt to engage interviewers Inappropriate language use: slang, colloquialism, and informal language	Appropriate Rate of speech & gestures; may have some lapses Voice Projection and enunciation appropriate Absence of fillers/vocalized pauses (um, ah, er, you know, okay) Some interviewer engagement Language use is standard and appropriate	Appropriate Rate of speech & gestures; few if any lapses Voice Projection and enunciation appropriate Absence of fillers/vocalized pauses (um, ah, er, you know, okay) Conveys some enthusiasm to engage interviewers Language use is standard and Appropriate	Appropriate Rate of speech and gestures Voice projection and words enunciated clearly No fillers or vocalized pauses Conveys enthusiasm to engage interviewers Excellent command of language					
Content Knowledge and Application (EPP conceptual framework, Social Justice, characteristics of target age group, content specific knowledge) #3, 4, 6								
Unacceptable	Competent	Proficient	Accomplished	Score 1	Score 2	Final		
Limited knowledge of conceptual framework, discipline specific terminology; inappropriate or inaccurate use  Surface knowledge of (a critical issue, one major critical theory/concepts; incorrectly applied to text	Basic knowledge of a range of discipline specific terminology; appropriate use Basic knowledge of at least one major critical theory/concepts; theory applied accurately to text  Adequate discussion of characteristics of specific group of teaching area	Knowledge of a range of discipline specific terminology; appropriate use  Knowledge of at least one major critical theory/concepts; theory applied accurately to text  Ability to discuss wide range of characteristics of specific group of teaching area in detail	Deep knowledge of a wide range of discipline specific terminology and its appropriate use Deep knowledge of several major critical theories/concepts; one or more applied accurately to text Ability to discuss the characteristics of specific group					

Limited ability to discuss of characteristics of specific group of teaching area Limited knowledge of social justice	Basic knowledge of social justice to include a definition	Can apply the concept of social justice to a specific example	of teaching area and implications for teaching In depth knowledgeable about role/impact of social justice in education			
Critical/Creative Thinking #3B, 7						
Unacceptable	Competent	Proficient	Accomplished	Score 1	Score 2	Final
Superficial or unclear discussion of the significance of critical thinking to teaching.  Little or no evidence of critical thinking in response.	Discussion provides some evidence of awareness of the importance of critical thinking for teachers.  Some evidence of critical thinking in responding to this prompt.	Presents evidence of the importance of critical thinking for teachers Demonstrates critical thinking in response to the prompt.	Presents a clear and systematic analysis of why critical and creative thinking is essential for teachers. Clear evidence of critical and creative thinking in responding to this prompt.			
Efficacy Beliefs (self-confidence, self	-direction and motivation) #2, 5					
Unacceptable	Competent	Proficient	Accomplished	Score 1	Score 2	Final
Low self-confidence (nervousness, insecure, some self-doubt) Lack of self-direction and motivation (requiring a great deal of direction and guidance) Low self-efficacy beliefs	Self-confidence (some nervousness throughout) Self-direction and self-motivation (requires some direction / coaching) Moderate self-efficacy beliefs	Self-confident (some nervousness, but overcomes it quickly) Self-directed and self-motivated (requires little direction/coaching) Strong self-efficacy beliefs	Self-confident (minimal nervousness) Self-directed and self-motivated (requiring no direction/coaching) High self-efficacy beliefs			
<b>Professionalism/Dispositions (profes</b>	sional development, punctuality, prepa	aration, positive response to constructi				
challenging assignment – what ac Unacceptable	Competent	Proficient	Accomplished	Score 1	Score 2	Final

Limited/ no evidence of PD  Late w/o notification/ explanation and unprepared for Interview  Defensive/appears unreceptive  Little/no positive interaction with or understanding of target population	Periodic evidence of PD and limited knowledge of its impact on their Prof. Practice Arrives on time and is prepared Receptive and non-defensive Positive interaction with and understanding of the needs of target population	Periodic evidence of PD and some application to their Prof. Practice Arrives on time and is prepared Receptive and non-defensive Positive interaction with and understanding of the needs of target population	Evidence of ongoing PD and understanding of its importance to their continual professional growth  Arrives early to be situated and prepared for the interview  Receptive and non-defensive and shows evidence of intent to use feedback to modify behavior  Seek opportunities to interact positively with target population, especially in formal educational setting			
<b>Professional Dress (No Questions)</b>						
Unacceptable	Competent	Proficient	Accomplished	Score 1	Score 2	Final
Overall appearance is untidy Choice in clothing is inappropriate for any job interview (torn, unclean, wrinkled) Poor grooming Dress not appropriate for a professional interview Look un-kept Clothes wrinkled Improper dress Hygiene needs improvements	Overall appearance is somewhat untidy Choice in clothing is inappropriate (shirt un-tucked, tee-shirt, too much jewelry, etc.) Grooming attempt is evident Dress was not distracting and acceptable for a professional interview Not dressed for position Hygiene needs improvement	Overall neat appearance Choice in clothing is acceptable for the type of interview Well groomed (i.e., shirt tucked in, jewelry blends with clothing, minimal wrinkles) Good Hygiene Clean but not pressed and polished	Overall appearance is very neat Choice in clothing is appropriate for any job interview Very well groomed (hair, make-up, clothes pressed, etc.) Overall appearance is businesslike Excellent dress for professional interview Good Hygiene Dressed for one position higher looking			
Presentation Skills (All Questions)						
Unacceptable	Competent	Proficient	Accomplished	Score 1	Score 2	Final
Fidgeted – ex. constant movement of hands and feet Lack of eye contact Slouching all the time	Fidgeted – ex. movement of hands and feet frequently Eye contact is made intermittently Occasionally slouching	Minimal fidgeting (ex. occasionally shifting) Occasional loss of eye contact Brief slouching, but quickly correcting self	No fidgeting Eye contact made Sitting straight in chair			

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