University of Wyoming Completer Survey 2019

What do we address well for our students?

1. Demonstrate knowledge of the subject matter you teach
2. Align instruction with state standards
3. Develop a variety of assessments

What do we need to better address for our students?

1. Work with parents and families to better understand students and to support their learning
2. Teach in ways that support English Language Learners
3. Teach in ways that support academically gifted students
4. Analyze student performance data

Top 3 components:

1. Plan units and lessons
2. Apply state standards to instruction
3. Create formative and summative student assessments

Components to improve:

1. Develop strategies for managing student behavior
2. Develop strategies for teaching English Language Learners
3. Develop strategies for teaching students who are academically gifted

What could we provide to improve our students experience?

1. More opportunities to learn about and practice classroom management
2. More exposure to a variety of school environments
3. More opportunities to learn about and practice non-teaching tasks
4. More opportunities to learn about and practice differentiated classroom instruction

What does student teaching do best?

1. Modeled effective teaching strategies
2. Develop positive and supportive relationships with students
3. Plan instruction aligned with state standards
4. Help students think critically and solve problems

What can we focus on to improve student teaching?

1. Analyze student performance data to improve effectiveness
2. Maintain the discipline and an orderly purposeful learning environment
3. Help students assess their own learning

The majority of our students that are employed in the field are satisfied with their current job, consider teaching to be their ideal career and plan to teach at their first employment site for 2-4 more years.

What would improve our student’s job satisfaction?

1. Student motivation
2. Student behavior
3. Parental support
4. Administrator support
5. Instructional resources
6. Colleague support