



State-wide Alternate Route

Program-Level Report

*Elementary School with Subject Matter Specialization:
 Language Arts/Literacy Specialization in Grades 5-8*

I. CERTIFICATION AND EMPLOYMENT

A. Overall Certification and Employment

	Alternate Route: Language Arts/Literacy in Grades 5-8		
	Individuals obtaining NJ CE* between September 1, 2010 and August 31, 2012	Individuals employed as teacher in NJ Public Schools in School Year 2013-2014**	Percentage employed as teacher in NJ Public Schools in School Year 2013-2014
	247	139	56%

* Individuals seeking the Alternate Route to teaching in New Jersey obtain a 'Certificate of Eligibility' (CE)

** as of October 15, 2013

Data Source: TCIS, NJSMART

Data Source Notes :

Certification data is submitted to the NJDOE by EPPs and gathered from the NJ Department of Education's Teacher Certification Information System (TCIS)

Employment data is submitted to the NJDOE by school districts and gathered from New Jersey's student- and staff-level Standards Measurement and Resource for Teaching data system (NJSMART)

B. Number of Endorsements Obtained and Employment

	Alternate Route: Language Arts/Literacy in Grades 5-8		
	Individuals obtaining NJ CE between September 1, 2010 and August 31, 2012	Individuals employed as teacher in NJ Public Schools in School Year 2013-2014	Percentage employed as teacher in NJ Public Schools in School Year 2013-2014
Obtained One Endorsement	105	70	67%
Obtained Two Endorsements	82	36	44%
Obtained Three or More Endorsements	60	33	55%

Data Source: TCIS, NJSMART

II. PLACEMENT

A. School Classification

	Alternate Route: Language Arts/Literacy in Grades 5-8		All Teachers State- wide
Employed Completers working in:	Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14
Focus School	23	17%	10%
Priority School	5	4%	3%
Reward School	0	0%	2%
Not Classified	111	80%	86%

Data Description: 'Focus School' is a school that has room for improvement in areas that are specific to the school. Focus Schools receive targeted and tailored solutions to meet the school's unique needs, including Low Graduation Rates, Largest Within-School Gaps, Lowest Subgroup Performance

'Priority School' is a school that has been identified as among the lowest-performing five percent of Title I schools in the state over the past three years, or any non-Title I school that would otherwise have met the same criteria.

'Reward School' is a school with outstanding student achievement or growth over the past three years.

Data Source: NJSMART

B. District Factor Group (DFG)

	Alternate Route: Language Arts/Literacy in Grades 5-8		All Teachers State- wide
Employed Completers working in school in DFG:	Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14
A***	26	19%	17%
B	15	11%	10%
CD	7	5%	8%
DE	14	10%	11%
FG	16	12%	11%
GH	18	13%	13%
I	13	9%	16%
J	4	3%	4%
Charter	12	9%	2%
Vocational Technical	0	0%	2%
Other	14	10%	4%
<i>***All DFG 'A' schools are deemed Teacher Shortage Areas</i>			

Data Description: DFGs represent an approximate measure of a community's relative socioeconomic status

Note: Percentages may not add to 100% as some schools do not have a DFG classification

Data Source: NJSMART

C. Teacher Eligibility for Loan Forgiveness

	Alternate Route: Language Arts/Literacy in Grades 5-8		All Teachers State- wide
	Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14
Teaching in School with Eligibility for Federal Teacher Loan Forgiveness Program	74	53%	44%

Data Description: Eligibility defined as working in school with school population of at least 30% students Free or Reduced Price Lunch

Data Source: NJSMART

D. County

	Alternate Route: Language Arts/Literacy in Grades 5-8		All Teachers State- wide
Employed Completers working in:	Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14
Atlantic	5	4%	3%
Bergen	7	5%	10%
Burlington	7	5%	5%
Camden	6	4%	6%
Cape May	1	1%	1%
Cumberland	4	3%	2%
Essex	12	9%	10%
Gloucester	8	6%	3%
Hudson	9	6%	6%
Hunterdon	2	1%	2%
Mercer	2	1%	4%
Middlesex	10	7%	8%
Monmouth	10	7%	8%
Morris	7	5%	6%
Ocean	2	1%	5%
Passaic	9	6%	6%
Salem	2	1%	1%
Somerset	7	5%	4%
Sussex	3	2%	2%
Union	11	8%	7%
Warren	2	1%	1%

Data Source: NJSMART

E. Classroom Assignment: Teacher Shortage Area

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Employed Completers working in:	Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14
Teacher Shortage Area	38	27%	34%

Data Description : 'Teacher Shortage Area' is defined by the U.S. Department of Education and New Jersey as Math, Science, Foreign Languages, Bilingual/Bicultural, ESL and Special Education

Data Source: NJSMART

F. Classroom Assignment: Content Area

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Employed Completers working in:	Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14
Early Childhood Education (PK-K)	3	2%	5%
Elementary Generalist (K-8)	33	24%	28%
Mathematics†	2	1%	8%
Life and Physical Sciences†	2	1%	6%
Foreign Language and Literature†	1	1%	4%
Bilingual/ Bicultural†	0	0%	1%
ESL†	1	1%	2%
SpEd†	32	23%	14%
Social Sciences and History	4	3%	5%
English Language and Literacy	50	36%	9%
Physical, Health, and Safety Education	0	0%	6%
Fine and Performing Arts	0	0%	6%
Career and Technical Education	0	0%	0%
Other	11	8%	3%
†Indicates teacher shortage area.			

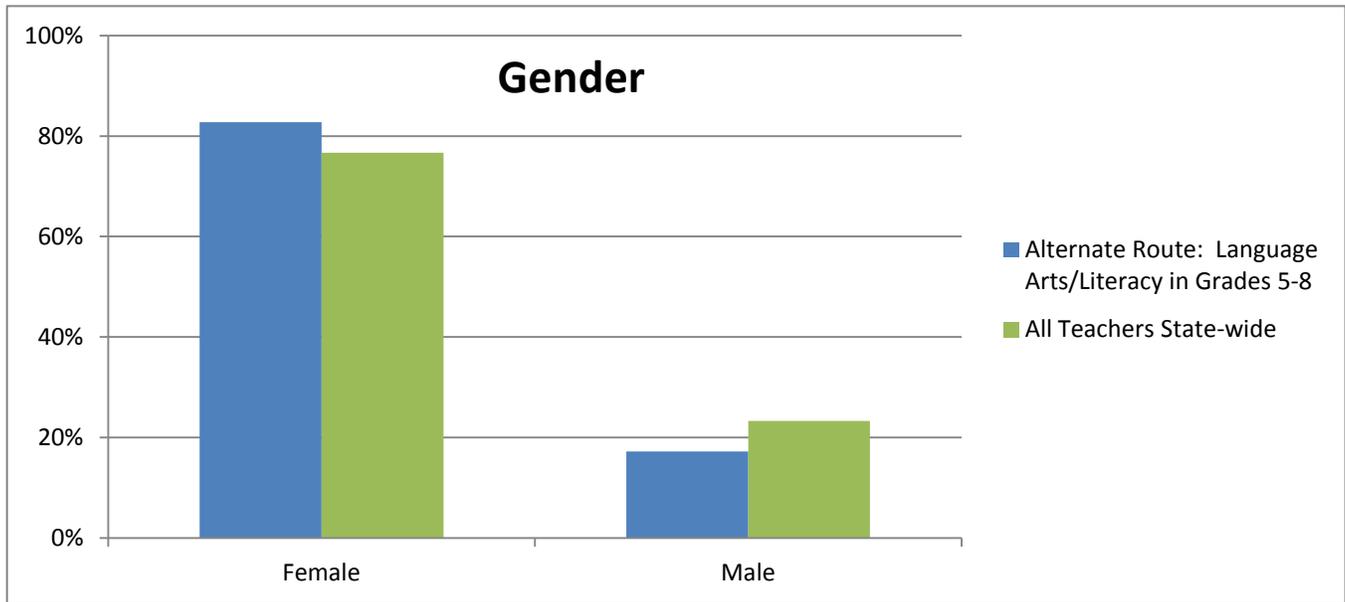
Data Source: NJSMART

Note: Percentages may not add to 100% as some individuals' classroom assignments may not be reported by district

III. TEACHER INFORMATION

A. Demographics: Gender

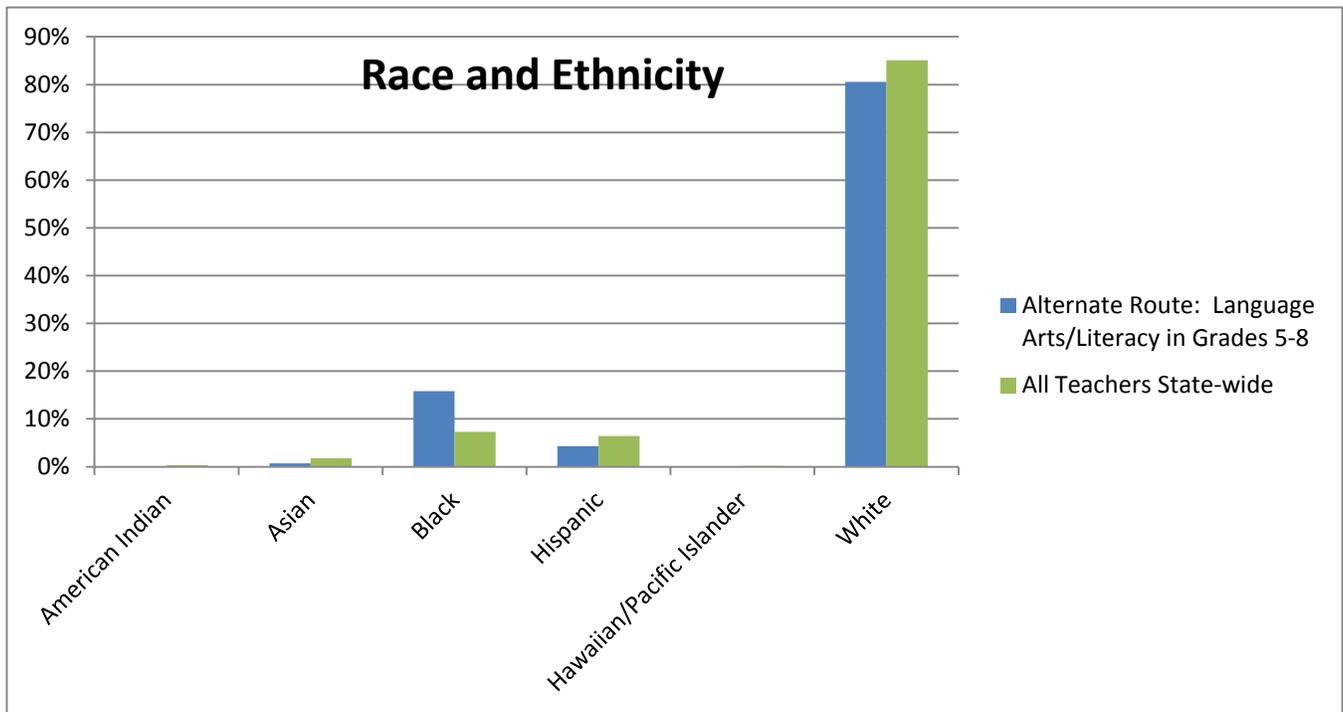
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	Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14
Female	115	83%	77%
Male	24	17%	23%



Data Source: NJSMART

B: Demographics: Race and Ethnicity

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	Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14	Percentage of All Employed in NJ Public Schools in SY '13-'14
American Indian	0	0%	0%
Asian	1	1%	2%
Black	22	16%	7%
Hispanic	6	4%	6%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	0%
White	112	81%	85%



Data Source: NJSMART