

# Evaluation of Educator Preparation Programs (EPP) by Teachers 2024

## Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

### Introduction

#### 1. Where can I find all the information about the evaluation of EPPs by Teachers?

The Texas Education Agency (TEA) has created a webpage to be the center of information about the evaluation of EPPs by teachers. To find it from the [TEA homepage](#), find the icon “Texas Educators” click on Evaluation of EPPs by Teachers under Preparation and Continuing Education section. You may want to create a bookmark to access more easily the [Evaluation of EPPs by Teachers website](#).

#### 2. What is this evaluation about?

Teachers who have recently completed their educator preparation program (EPP) provide feedback about how well they were prepared.

#### 3. Why am I being asked to participate?

You are being asked to participate because you have completed your first full year teaching on a standard, intern, or probationary teaching certificate. Since you have have applied experience in the classroom, TEA needs your feedback about your preparation.

#### 4. What will the evaluation results be used for?

To ensure EPP accountability and to improve EPPs. To improve the educational experience for teacher candidates through EPPs.

#### 5. Is it possible to earn Continuing Professional Education (CPE) credit for completing the surveys?

Yes, the Texas Education Agency will award **10 CPE credit hours** for completing the evaluation. Once the evaluation is submitted, you will receive a CPE certificate via email to recognize your fulfillment of this requirement.

### Evaluation Timeline

#### 7. When is the evaluation available?

Teachers will receive an e-mail with the evaluation link on **Monday, April 1, 2024**.

#### 8. What do I need to do?

When you receive the e-mail, simply click on the link and complete the evaluation.

#### 9. Can I come back to complete the evaluation if I’m not able to complete right away?

Yes, you can complete the evaluation in more than one session, if needed.

**10. Will the system automatically save if I do not complete the entire evaluation?**

Yes, teachers may return later to complete and submit the evaluation. Everything entered will be saved and should be there upon returning to the evaluation.

**11. When do I have to submit the evaluation?**

The deadline for submitting the evaluation of EPPs is **Saturday, June 15, 2024**.

**If I need assistance, where do I go?**

**12. Who do I contact for assistance?**

The most effective and generally the quickest way to get assistance with the evaluation is to send your question to [EPPEvaluationbyTeachers@tea.texas.gov](mailto:EPPEvaluationbyTeachers@tea.texas.gov). A response will be provided within one business day.