

LICENSURE EXAM PASS RATES

In 2017-18, 75 candidates from the Teacher Education program at JCU took OAE (Ohio Assessments for Educators) exams for initial teaching licensure.

In 2017-18, 8 candidates from the School Psychology program at JCU took the School Psychologist Praxis Exam for advanced licensure.

In 2017-18, 19 candidates from the Endorsement programs at JCU took OAE exams for endorsement.

81% of exam takers passed ALL of their attempted licensure and endorsement exams on first or subsequent attempts during this academic year.

Initial Licensure (Teacher Education)

In order to obtain an initial educator license in the State of Ohio, candidates are required to take the OAE exams associated with their licensure band and teaching field. These assessments can include an Assessment of Professional Knowledge, Content Assessment(s), and Reading Foundations assessment. Candidates taking these assessments must score at or above the state's established required score to be recommended for licensure. **Over a 3-year average, the initial licensure OAE exam pass rate for JCU candidates was 94%.**

Advanced Licensure (School Psychology)

In order to obtain an advanced license for School Psychology in the State of Ohio, candidates are required to take the applicable Praxis Exam and achieve a score at or above the state's established required score to be recommended for licensure. **Over a 3-year average, the School Psychology Praxis exam pass rate for JCU candidates was 100%.**

Advanced Program-Endorsements

In order to obtain an educator endorsement in the State of Ohio, program completers are required to take the Ohio Assessments for Educators (OAE) exams associated with their endorsement. Program completers taking these assessments must score at or above the state's established required score to be recommended for endorsement. **Over a 3-year average, the OAE exam pass rate for JCU Endorsement completers was 87%.**

Table 1

Licensure Type	Exam Year	Exams Taken	Exams Passed (%)	State Pass Rate (%)
<i>Initial Licensure</i>	2015-16	120	113 (94%)	87%
	2016-17	132	125 (95%)	90%
	2017-18	193	179 (93%)	89%
<i>Advanced Licensure</i>	2015-16	12	12 (100%)	100%
	2016-17	20	20 (100%)	100%
	2017-18	8	8 (100%)	99%
<i>Endorsement</i>	2015-16	47	40 (85%)	86%
	2016-17	28	26 (93%)	87%
	2017-18	38	32 (84%)	88%

*Table 1 shows overall best attempt exam pass rates by year over 3 years.