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TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAMS

May 3, 2024

Welcome!

DARTEP Business

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- Approval of DARTEP minutes - February 2024
- Budget Report
- Election of AY 24-25 Recording Secretary/Chair Elect

Treasurer's Report

March Balance: $22,877.67

DARTEP will cover the cost of breakfast

Thank you to Western for covering lunch today!

Beth Feiten: bafeiten@oakland.edu

Treasurer's Report

Square Account

- **temporarily removed our dues link**
- **will reinstate in the fall**

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Organization Reports

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- Michigan Association of Colleges of Teacher Education (MACTE)

- Michigan Public Deans

- Michigan Independent Educator Preparation Institutions (MIEPI)

MDE Updates

Michigan Teacher Leadership Advisory Council 2024-2025

Region 1 — Michael Powers
Region 2 — Molly Dunham
Region 3 — Kristen Ritter
Region 4 — Laura Baker
Region 5 — Sasha Wakefield

Region 6 — Cassandra Eberhart
Region 7 — Melissa Frost
Region 8 — Kristina Dennis
Region 9 — Kelley Cusmano
Region 10 — Calvin Nellum

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Welcome Beth Kubitskey to the MDE Team!

Lots of MTTC updates in this edition!

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DARTEP Update

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Legislative Updates

- **Science of Reading/Dyslexia (SB 567 & 568)**

  Passed by the Senate, March 12; referred to House Education

- **2024-2025 Budget**

  Executive, House, and Senate budget bills have been released

- **"National" Tests (SB 354)**

  Senate Education Committee testimony, April 30

- **School Libraries & Librarians (SB 741, 742, & 743)**

  Referred to Senate Education Committee, March 6

  (School Librarian Preparation Standards to SBE, June 11)

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Educator Evaluation Changes (PA 224 of 2023)

- What are the changes?
  - Removes ratings as requirement for certificate progression
  - Changes rating categories to **effective**, **developing**, and **needing support**
  - Updates exemption options for biennial and triennial evaluations
  - Effective July 1, 2024
- How does this affect you?
  - Update information provided to program completers about what to expect in the field
  - Supporting Continuing Certification webpage
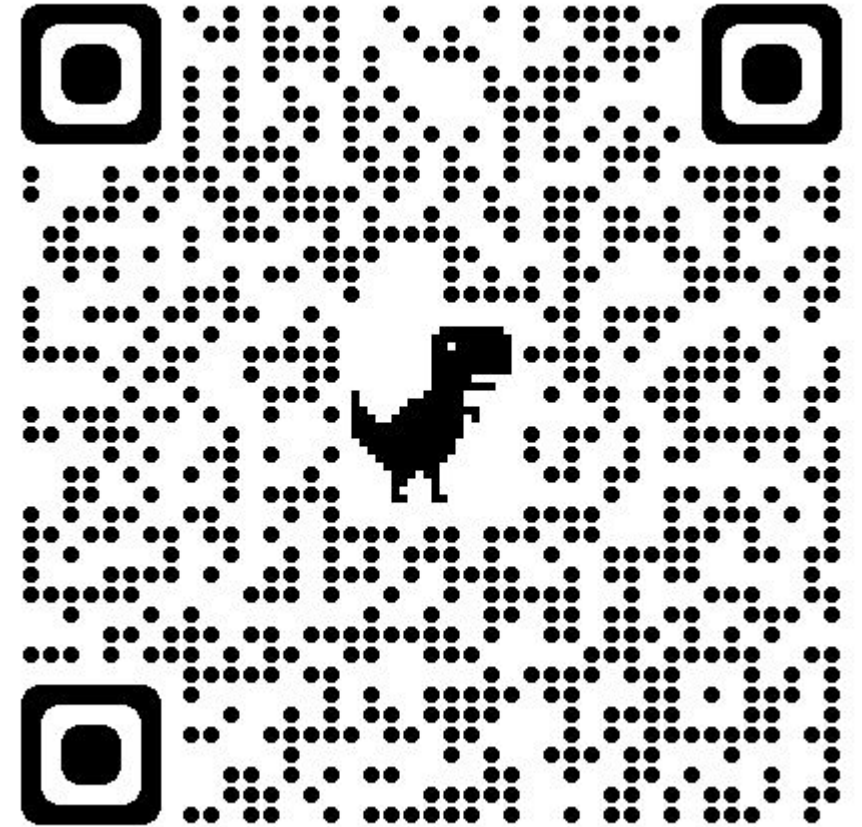
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Accountability Updates

- 2024 reports and data released
  - No Low Performing

- In Progress Metrics Updates:
  - Clinical Observation: CPAST Pilot
  - Candidate/Completer data

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Data Dashboard

- Updated with 2022-23 data

- New metrics:
  - Top 10
  - Surveys
  - Retention

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PEARSON Right Start

- *In development* Pearson-created tool to support candidates preparing for licensure tests (MDE considering LE & UE)
- Self-paced, study plans based on diagnostic feedback
  - diagnostic test
  - content modules & practice questions
  - practice test
- Dashboards to easily track progress
- Subscription model (30 days, 90 days)

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MTTC: Administrator Tests

- ES (MI139) and CO (MI140) endorsements
- Registration open, testing begins 5/13
- MDE providing vouchers to cover test fees
- Phasing in "passing" criteria:
  - Good Faith Effort
  - Panel-Recommended Cutscore
- "Ready to recommend" candidates should apply as soon as ready to avoid MOECS test requirement check

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MTTC: More New Tests!

- Expanding into HS & MG
  - HS Math
  - HS ELA
  - HS Professional
  - MG Professional
- Registration open, testing begins 7/8 (Math & ELA) and 6/10 (Professional)
- MDE's Professional Testing Policy will be updated to reflect:
  - additional HS/MG examples
  - PK-12 (for initial certification)

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MTTC: Test Center Experiences

- Was your candidate…
  - given a calculator when they shouldn't have?
  - given incorrect or difficult test center directions?
  - allowed to leave their seat without alerting anyone?
  - not receive a locker for their items?
  - get distracted because test center staff were making noise (on the phone, having unrelated conversations)?
  - told "that's how it's supposed to happen, but we do things differently here" when they asked a question/noticed something odd?
  - generally unhappy with their test experience?
- Tell us!
- McDowellB@Michigan.gov
- Test center, date, time(ish) of day, brief description - ok to send through EPI

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MI FELLOWSHIP AND MI STIPEND METRICS

MI Fellowship as of 04/29/24	Total Applications Received *	Total Eligible **	Total Ineligible	Total Ready to Pay	Total Students Paid	Total Amount Paid
2022-2023	3,604	908	2,696	0	750	$6,087,109.06
2023-2024	4,431	3,104	1,327	9	2,271	$20,023,080.64

MI Fellowship Program Process Requirements:
- Once a student is initially determined eligible, the institution must certify the student is meeting the program requirements. Once this is confirmed, a Commitment to Teach in Michigan Agreement is sent to the student.
- After a student signs their agreement, the institution must request a payment from MI Student Aid.
- NOTE: 2023-24 Application opened May 1, 2023: **4,431** applications received; **3,104** eligible (see next slide for details).

MI Stipend as of 04/29/24	Total Applications Received *	Total Eligible **	Total Ineligible	Total Students Ready to Pay	Total Students Paid	Total Amount Paid
2022-2023	3,221	2,427	794	0	2,342	$25,200,000.00
2023-2024	3,059	2,839	220	1	2,637	$30,076,800.00

MI Stipend Program Process Requirements:
- The institution must certify a payment record for each student to receive a payment from MI Student Aid.
- Students may be certified by their institution as "No" for not meeting program requirements. Students may be certified by their institution as "No" for one semester and paid in another semester. This will create duplicate counts for categories processed by semester and may be greater than or equal to the Total Eligible Student count.
- MDE reported 2,033 student teachers to MI Student Aid for 2022-23.
- NOTE: 2023-24 Fall application opened May 1, 2023: 3,059 received; 2,839 eligible (see next slide for details).
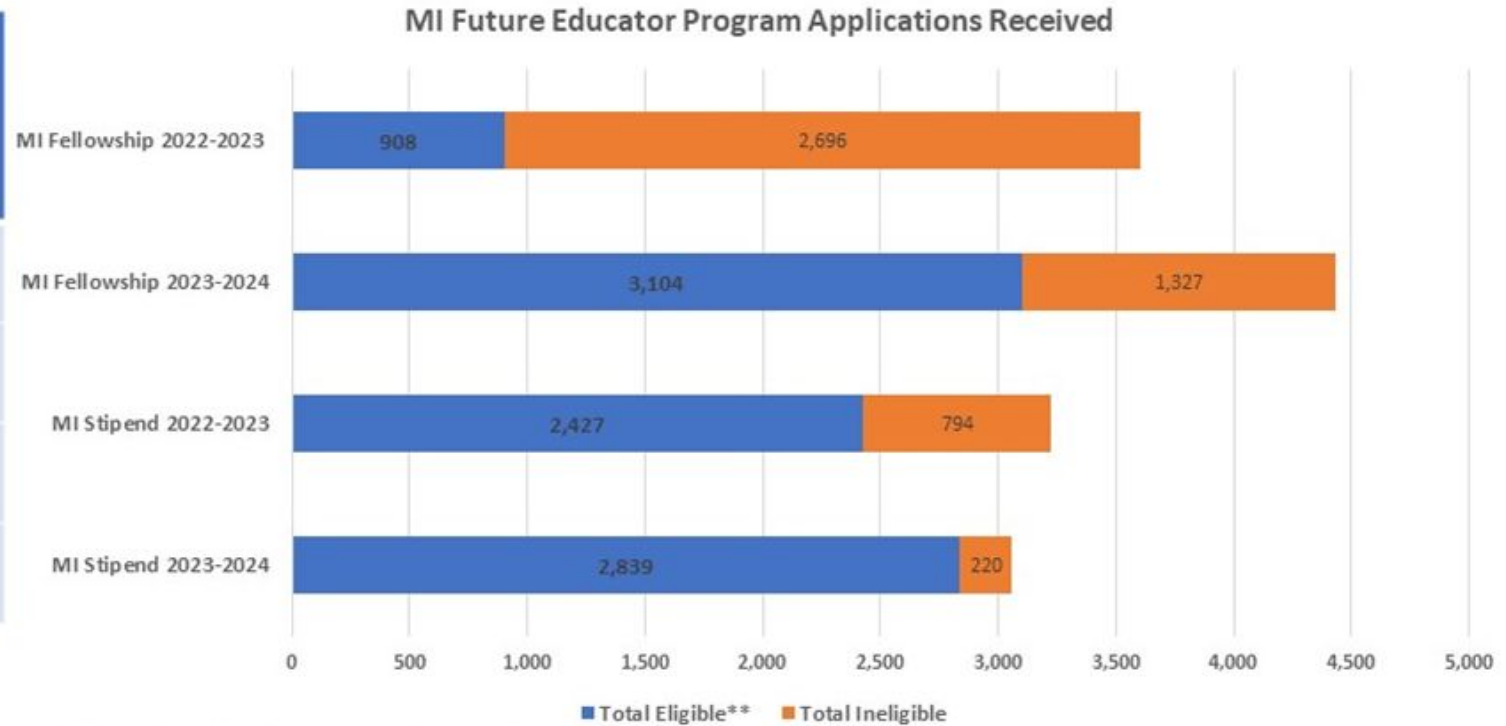
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MI Future Educator Program Applications Received

MI Fellowship: ~70.1% eligible for MI Fellowship to-date in 23-24, compared to ~25.2% eligible in 22-23.
MI Stipend: ~92.8% eligible for MI Stipend to-date in 23-24, compared to ~75.3% eligible in 22-23.

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MDE Virtual Job Fair

The virtual job fair will be held on Wednesday, May 8, from 10am-2pm.

Information for employers, please register here!

Information for job seekers, please register here!

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Q&A

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A Conversation with Dr. Rice

Break

Pick up boxed lunch and head to job alike areas

Job-Alike Sessions

Job - Alike w/boxed lunches

Deans & Directors: assign notetaker

Accreditation & Assessment: assign notetaker

Clinical Placement Coordinators: assign notetaker

Certification Officers: assign notetaker

- **Select your breakout room, or even move between**

- **No report out, send notes to Stein at sbrunvan@umich.edu**

See you in October!

Tentative 2024-2025 Dates:

- October 4 at Saginaw Valley State
- December 6 at UM Dearborn
- February 7 virtually,
- April/May date to be coordinated with Continuous Improvement Conference