



## Praxis Prep Classes

- UPDC and USOE together have held two cohorts of classes.
- Each cohort had Certified Math Instructor(s) teaching the class.
- Each individual class has been filmed and archived.
- All of the materials and the archived classes can be found at: [www.updc.org/praxis](http://www.updc.org/praxis)
- Each participant that signed up through On-Track was eligible to receive a Project KNOTtT License.
- The participants are able to keep their Project KNOTtT License to help prepare them to take the Praxis.

## Cohort 1 January/February Participation:

Praxis Prep Class Cohort 1

District	In-class Participants	On-Line Participants	Charter Schools	In-Class Participants	On-Line Participants
Alpine	3		Lakeview Academy		3
Box Elder	1		Paradigm High School	1	
Canyons	2		Summit Academy	1	
Grand		1			
Jordan	3				
Kane		1			
Murray	1				
Nebo	1				
Ogden	1				
Salt Lake	2				
San Juan		1			
Tooele	3	3			
Wayne		2			
Weber	1	1			
<b>Total: 14</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Total Participants for Cohort 1: 32</b>					

## Cohort 2 March/April Participation:

Praxis Prep Class Cohort #2

District	In-Class Participants	On-Line Participants	Charter Schools	In-Class Participants	On-Line Participants
Alpine	3	0	Early Light Academy		1
Box Elder	1	0	Freedom Academy		1
Canyons	1	0	North Star Academy	1	
Daggett	0	1	Ogden Preparatory	1	
Grand	0	1	Davinci Academy	1	
Granite	1		Valley Academy		1
Jordan	1				
Logan		1			
Nebo	0	2			
Ogden	5	2			
Salt Lake	5				
San Juan	1				
Wayne		1			
Weber	2	1			
<b>Total: 14</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Total Participants for Cohort 2: 35</b>					

## Pre-Service Teacher Participation:

- We had 3 ATP Teachers participate fully in the cohorts.
- They attended the live class when they didn't have their class to attend, otherwise they watched the archived classes.

## Praxis Testing Window

5169	Middle School Mathematics	10/7/13–11/2/13
	<p>Please Don't Wait Until the Last Testing Date...If your teachers need to take the test a second time there is a 21 day wait time in between tests.</p> <p>** The June Window has added an additional week. It will end on 6/28/14</p>	12/2/13–12/21/13
		1/13/14–1/25/14
		2/3/14–2/15/14
		4/1/14–4/19/14
		5/12/14–5/24/14
		6/16/14–6/21/14
		7/14/14–7/26/14
		8/4/14–8/16/14



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# HIGHLY QUALIFIED



**NCLB Core Content Subject Assignment(s)  
Special Education**

The NCLB act requires states to report Highly Qualified Teacher (HQT) for all core subject classes, whether general education or special education. As a result, special education teachers who are the "teacher of record" in a core class must meet the full HQT definition, which includes demonstrating content knowledge for each core subject taught. *A special education teacher who is teaching secondary mathematics may meet the HQT requirement in one of the following ways:*

1. Academic Major
2. Passing the Praxis 5169 Exam
3. Meeting the criteria on the Utah Highly Qualified Expanded Framework

The completed framework and the necessary documentation should be sent to the Teacher Licensing Department at the USOE attention: Travis Rawlings.

Please allow adequate time for the review process to be completed.

The Approved Framework or a Passing Score on the Praxis 5169 must be completed by September 1, 2014.

**UTAH STATE OFFICE OF EDUCATION**

After September 1, 2014 Teachers will need to complete the Special Education Math Endorsement  
<http://www.schools.utah.gov/cert/Endorsements-ECE-License/MathematicsSpecialEducation.aspx>

**LINKS TO THE UTAH HIGHLY QUALIFIED EXPANDED FRAMEWORK:**

<http://www.schools.utah.gov/cert/NCChildLeftBehindUtahFrameworkOverview.aspx>

<http://www.schools.utah.gov/cert/NCChildLeftBehindUtahFrameworkInstruction.aspx>

[http://www.schools.utah.gov/cert/NCChildLeftBehindUtahFrameworkWorksheet.aspx](http://www.schools.utah.gov/cert/NCChildLeftBehindUtahFrameworkWorkSheet.aspx)

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