

Initial Report

EAS Graduate Alumni Survey

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Q2 - Please read the following questions carefully and select the response that best reflects your recollection of your experience in the EAS program(s) at Caldwell University.

Question	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Total
The EAS program has prepared me to be an instructional leader in my school.	32	18			50
I have been prepared by the EAS program to develop and maintain a vision of...	36	14			50
I learned to lead with integrity, fairness and in an ethical manner in the...	38	11	1		50
I know how my school's culture & program of instruction support student lea...	35	15			50
The EAS program has prepared me to consider the larger socio-cultural conte...	31	17	2		50
I have been prepared to address the	33	17			50

management of an organization in a mann... Due to the diverse needs and interests of families and community members, t...	7	3	11	29	50
I am prepared to communicate the school's vision for learning with all memb...	32	17	1		50
As a school leader I understand that it is within my role to identify and a...	36	14			50
The school leader is not concerned with managing operations, only with lead...	5	4	18	23	50
Total	285	130	33	52	500

Field	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count	Bottom Box	Top Box
The EAS program has prepared me to be an instructional leader in my school.	1.00	2.00	1.36	0.48	0.23	50	100.00%	36.00%
I have been prepared by the EAS	1.00	2.00	1.28	0.45	0.20	50	100.00%	28.00%

<p>program to develop and maintain a vision of... I learned to lead with integrity, fairness and in an ethical manner in the... I know how my school's culture & program of instruction support student learning... The EAS program has prepared me to consider the larger socio-cultural context... I have been prepared to address the management of an organization in a manner... Due to the diverse needs and interests</p>	1.00	3.00	1.26	0.48	0.23	50	100.00%	24.00%
<p>program to develop and maintain a vision of... I learned to lead with integrity, fairness and in an ethical manner in the... I know how my school's culture & program of instruction support student learning... The EAS program has prepared me to consider the larger socio-cultural context... I have been prepared to address the management of an organization in a manner... Due to the diverse needs and interests</p>	1.00	2.00	1.30	0.46	0.21	50	100.00%	30.00%
<p>program to develop and maintain a vision of... I learned to lead with integrity, fairness and in an ethical manner in the... I know how my school's culture & program of instruction support student learning... The EAS program has prepared me to consider the larger socio-cultural context... I have been prepared to address the management of an organization in a manner... Due to the diverse needs and interests</p>	1.00	3.00	1.42	0.57	0.32	50	100.00%	38.00%
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1.00	3.00	1.38	0.52	0.28	50	100.00%	36.00%
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1.00	2.00	1.28	0.45	0.20	50	100.00%	28.00%
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1.00	4.00	3.18	0.95	0.91	50	54.00%	90.00%
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Q3 - Please

use the box below to add any comments you believe will enable us to improve the EAS program for future candidates.

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I highly recommend it for educators who are prepared to actively engage in leadership.

I thought the program was well planned and covers all areas. I would suggest that the program continue to improve it's on-line course offerings in order to reach out to those who cannot meet in a traditional classroom. The faculty and staff of Calwell were both helpful and knowledgeable. The program has done an excellent job of preparing me for my future in educational administration.

Although I agree to be prepared, I was not prepared for how difficult attaining a leadership position is, particularly when one is outside of the political machine that actually determines whether most of us move up. The Program was excellent. The only difficulty was having a four week break in the middle of the course. This, I felt, broke the continuity and required somewhat of a re-capping to move forward.

I was very happy with the program and felt the classes helped prepare me to become an administrator. My one suggestion would be to try in some way to give your students more experience with heated and hostile meetings because unfortunately they do happen and it is at times hard to prepare for them.

Participating in the EAS was truly beneficial to my career in education. I function in various leadership roles within my school community. I will never hesitate to recommend this program to my colleagues.

Thank you for all your guidance throughout my tenure at Caldwell. I would encourage all members taking the Praxis to purchase the book to help study for the test. It is most helpful.

Although, the supervision program was rigorous and addressed many aspects of what a candidate may need to become a supervisor / educational administrator within a school district, I did find the school as a whole to lack in integrity, ethics, and morals. I would not continue with the educational administration program for that reason. The professors were excellent.

A little more support in preparation for the School Administrator Praxis

Honestly, the EAS program was the first time I ever took an online class and I had over 80 graduate credits prior to even starting. I was beyond impressed and can't even make a statement regarding any areas in need of improvement.

The only thing that I can think of would be to start some sort of job forum for graduates who are still in teaching positions. I personally will be highly selective because I am only interested in a Fine Arts Supervisory position. I also need to be selective because I have seniority in my district, therefore a job offer would need to warrant giving up benefits such as tenure, my very short commute, etc... I don't feel as in touch with the job market that I should be, and I think Professors would probably hear of openings before I do. Hopefully this is a helpful suggestion.

The EAS program has fully prepared me for my role of Supervisor of Curriculum and Instruction.

**Q11 - Which Caldwell University Graduate Program(s) did you complete?
Select all that you completed.**

Answer	%	Count
Educational Administration	22.45%	11
Educational Administration - OCLD	16.33%	8
Post-MA Principal's Certification	32.65%	16
Post-MA Supervisor's Certification	34.69%	17
School Administrator Certification	6.12%	3

Q18 - What is your current position?

Answer	%	Count
teacher	63.41%	26
principal	12.20%	5
supervisor	19.51%	8
superintendent of schools	4.88%	2
Total	100%	41

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What is your current position?	1.00	4.00	1.66	0.95	0.91	41	95.12%	36.59%