

IU School of Education – IUPUI
COTE Annual Report
April 28, 2017

The Committee on Teacher Education (COTE) at IUPUI met once during the 2016-2017 academic year. During the February 27, 2017 meeting, proposed changes to the elementary education program were shared. The changes included moving the art and music methods to Block IA, separating the 6-hour math/language arts methods in Block II into two separate 3-hour courses, and having all student teaching occur in Block IV instead of split between Block III and Block IV. New courses included in this version of the elementary education program were also discussed.

During this meeting, Erik Tillema shared the new Grow Your Own Program to the committee. This program will be marketed to school corporations as a way to help instructional aides obtain a teaching license

Because there was not a quorum at the meeting, approval for both programs was obtained through an electronic ballot with eight of the members approving each of the programs.

Linda Houser also shared copies of the new CAEP assessments and asked for feedback during this meeting.

In April, the members were sent an electronic ballot for approval of EDUC E331, EDUC E332, EDUC T320 and EDUC T321, which are all part of the new version of the elementary education program.

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