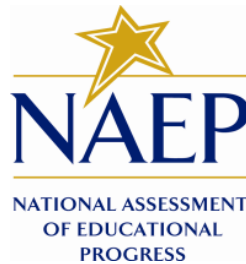


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- 3a) Teacher Grade 4 Questionnaire (Background, Education, and Training + Writing Questions)
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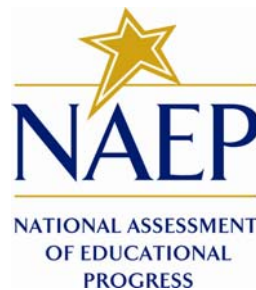
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Part 3a

BACKGROUND QUESTIONS

FOR 2012 ASSESSMENT

Teacher Grade 4



Part 3a contains:

Teacher Grade 4
Background, Education, and Training
Writing Questions

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TEACHER QUESTIONNAIRES

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Teacher Questionnaire – Grade 4

Part I: Background, Education, and Training

1. Are you Hispanic or Latino? Fill in **one or more ovals**.

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- A No, I am not Hispanic or Latino.
- B Yes, I am Mexican, Mexican American, or Chicano.
- C Yes, I am Puerto Rican or Puerto Rican American.
- D Yes, I am Cuban or Cuban American.
- E Yes, I am from some other Hispanic or Latino background.

2. Which of the following best describes you? Fill in **one or more ovals**.

VB331331

- A White
- B Black or African American
- C Asian
- D American Indian or Alaska Native
- E Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander

3. Excluding student teaching, how many years have you worked as an elementary or secondary teacher, counting this year?

VE577729

- A Less than 1 year
- B 1–2 years
- C 3–5 years
- D 6–10 years
- E 11–20 years
- F 21 or more years

4. Have you been awarded tenure by the school where you currently teach?

VE577841

- Ⓐ Yes
- Ⓑ No
- Ⓒ My school does not award tenure.

5. Do you hold a regular or standard certificate that is valid in the state in which you are currently teaching?

VE577753

- Ⓐ Yes, I hold a permanent certificate. → *Go to Question 6.*
- Ⓑ Yes, I hold a temporary certificate. (This type of certificate may require additional coursework, student teaching, etc.) → *Go to Question 6.*
- Ⓒ No, but I am currently working toward certification. → *Skip to Question 9.*
- Ⓓ No, and I am not planning to obtain certification. → *Skip to Question 9.*

6. Are you certified to teach in the subjects you are currently teaching?

VE577758

- Ⓐ I am certified to teach all subjects that I am currently teaching.
- Ⓑ I am certified to teach at least one subject that I am currently teaching.
- Ⓒ I am not certified to teach the subjects that I am currently teaching.

7. Are you certified to teach at the grade levels that you are currently teaching?

VE592138

- Ⓐ I am certified to teach at all grade levels that I am currently teaching.
- Ⓑ I am certified to teach at one or more of the grade levels that I am currently teaching.
- Ⓒ I am not certified to teach at the grade levels that I am currently teaching.



8. Did you enter teaching through an alternative route to certification program? (An alternative route to certification program is a program that was designed to expedite the transition of nonteachers to a teaching career, for example, a state, district, or university alternative route to certification program.)

- Ⓐ Yes → *Go to Question 9.*
- Ⓑ No → *Skip to Question 10.*

9. Which of the following best describes your occupation immediately prior to becoming a teacher? Fill in only **one** oval.

- Ⓐ College/university student
- Ⓑ College/university faculty
- Ⓒ Business/industry
- Ⓓ Military
- Ⓔ Health care professional
- Ⓕ Government
- Ⓖ Nongovernment, nonprofit organization
- Ⓗ Homemaker/caregiver
- Ⓘ Retired
- Ⓣ Unemployed
- Ⓚ Other (specify): _____

10. Are you certified by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards?

(The National Board for Professional Teaching Standards is a nongovernmental organization that administers National Board certification, a voluntary national assessment program that certifies teachers who meet high professional standards.)

- Ⓐ Yes, and I am certified in a specific content and/or developmental area. → *Go to Question 11.*
- Ⓑ Yes, and I have generalist certification. → *Skip to Question 12.*
- Ⓒ No → *Skip to Question 14.*
- Ⓓ I don't know. → *Skip to Question 14.*



11. In which of the following content areas are you certified by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards? Fill in ovals for **all** that apply.

- Ⓐ Art
- Ⓑ Career and Technical Education
- Ⓒ English as a New Language
- Ⓓ English Language Arts
- Ⓔ Exceptional Needs Specialist
- Ⓕ Generalist
- Ⓖ Health Education
- Ⓗ Library Media
- Ⓙ Literacy: Reading-Language Arts
- Ⓚ Mathematics
- Ⓛ Music
- Ⓜ Physical Education
- Ⓝ School Counseling
- Ⓟ Science
- Ⓠ Social Studies-History
- Ⓡ World Languages other than English

12. Are you certified in the content areas that you are currently teaching by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards?

- Ⓐ I am certified in all content areas that I am currently teaching.
- Ⓑ I am certified in at least one content area that I am currently teaching.
- Ⓒ I am not certified in the content areas that I am currently teaching.

13. Are you certified in the developmental areas that you are currently teaching by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards?

VE592146

- Ⓐ I am certified in all developmental areas that I am currently teaching.
- Ⓑ I am certified in at least one developmental area that I am currently teaching.
- Ⓒ I am not certified in the developmental areas that I am currently teaching.

14. Since completing your undergraduate degree, have you taken any graduate courses?

VE577839

- Ⓐ Yes
- Ⓑ No

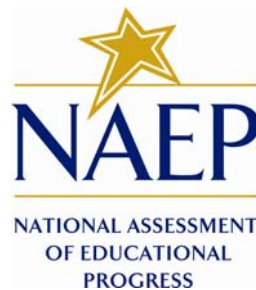


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**Part 3b
BACKGROUND QUESTIONS
*FOR 2012 ASSESSMENT***

Teacher Grade 8 - Mathematics



Part 3b contains:

Teacher Grade 8
Background, Education, and Training (Mathematics) Questions

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TEACHER QUESTIONNAIRES

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Mathematics Questionnaire – Grade 8

Part I: Background, Education, and Training

1. Are you Hispanic or Latino? Fill in **one or more ovals**.

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- Ⓐ No, I am not Hispanic or Latino.
- Ⓑ Yes, I am Mexican, Mexican American, or Chicano.
- Ⓒ Yes, I am Puerto Rican or Puerto Rican American.
- Ⓓ Yes, I am Cuban or Cuban American.
- Ⓔ Yes, I am from some other Hispanic or Latino background.

2. Which of the following best describes you? Fill in **one or more ovals**.

VB331331

- Ⓐ White
- Ⓑ Black or African American
- Ⓒ Asian
- Ⓓ American Indian or Alaska Native
- Ⓔ Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander

3. Excluding student teaching, how many years have you worked as an elementary or secondary teacher, counting this year?

VE577729

- Ⓐ Less than 1 year
- Ⓑ 1–2 years
- Ⓒ 3–5 years
- Ⓓ 6–10 years
- Ⓔ 11–20 years
- Ⓕ 21 or more years

VE654882

4. Excluding student teaching, how many years have you taught mathematics in grades 6 through 12, counting this year?

- Ⓐ Less than 1 year
- Ⓑ 1–2 years
- Ⓒ 3–5 years
- Ⓓ 6–10 years
- Ⓔ 11–20 years
- Ⓕ 21 or more years

VE577841

5. Have you been awarded tenure by the school where you currently teach?

- Ⓐ Yes
- Ⓑ No
- Ⓒ My school does not award tenure.

VE577753

6. Do you hold a regular or standard certificate that is valid in the state in which you are currently teaching?

- Ⓐ Yes, I hold a permanent certificate. → *Go to Question 7.*
- Ⓑ Yes, I hold a temporary certificate. (This type of certificate may require additional coursework, student teaching, etc.) → *Go to Question 7.*
- Ⓒ No, but I am currently working toward certification. → *Skip to Question 10.*
- Ⓓ No, and I am not planning to obtain certification. → *Skip to Question 10.*



7. Are you certified to teach in the subjects you are currently teaching?

VE57758

- Ⓐ I am certified to teach all subjects that I am currently teaching.
- Ⓑ I am certified to teach at least one subject that I am currently teaching.
- Ⓒ I am not certified to teach the subjects that I am currently teaching.

8. Are you certified to teach at the grade levels that you are currently teaching?

VE592138

- Ⓐ I am certified to teach at all grade levels that I am currently teaching.
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- Ⓒ I am not certified to teach at the grade levels that I am currently teaching.

9. Did you enter teaching through an alternative route to certification program? (An alternative route to certification program is a program that was designed to expedite the transition of nonteachers to a teaching career, for example, a state, district, or university alternative route to certification program.)

VE57760

- Ⓐ Yes → *Go to Question 10.*
- Ⓑ No → *Skip to Question 11.*

10. Which of the following best describes your occupation immediately prior to becoming a teacher? Fill in only **one** oval.

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- Ⓑ College/university faculty
- Ⓒ Business/industry
- Ⓓ Military
- Ⓔ Health care professional
- Ⓕ Government
- Ⓖ Nongovernment, nonprofit organization
- Ⓗ Homemaker/caregiver
- ⓘ Retired
- Ⓙ Unemployed
- Ⓚ Other (specify): _____

11. Are you certified by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards?

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- Ⓑ Yes, and I have generalist certification. → *Skip to Question 13.*
- Ⓒ No → *Skip to Question 15.*
- Ⓓ I don't know. → *Skip to Question 15.*

12. In which of the following content areas are you certified by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards? Fill in ovals for **all** that apply.

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- Ⓑ Career and Technical Education
- Ⓒ English as a New Language
- Ⓓ English Language Arts
- Ⓔ Exceptional Needs Specialist
- Ⓕ Generalist
- Ⓖ Health Education
- Ⓗ Library Media
- Ⓙ Literacy: Reading-Language Arts
- Ⓚ Mathematics
- Ⓛ Music
- Ⓜ Physical Education
- Ⓝ School Counseling
- Ⓞ Science
- Ⓟ Social Studies-History
- Ⓠ World Languages other than English

13. Are you certified in the content areas that you are currently teaching by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards?

- Ⓐ I am certified in all content areas that I am currently teaching.
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14. Are you certified in the developmental areas that you are currently teaching by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards?

VE592146

- Ⓐ I am certified in all developmental areas that I am currently teaching.
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15. Since completing your undergraduate degree, have you taken any graduate courses?

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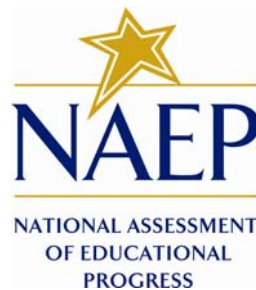


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**Part 3c
BACKGROUND QUESTIONS
FOR 2012 ASSESSMENT**

Teacher Grade 8 - Reading



Part 3c contains:

Teacher Grade 8
Background, Education, and Training (Reading) Questions

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TEACHER QUESTIONNAIRES

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Reading Questionnaire – Grade 8

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4. Excluding student teaching, how many years have you taught reading in grades 6 through 12, counting this year?

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- Ⓑ No

