



REQUEST AND RECOMMENDATION

Baldwin Wallace University

Principal (grades 4-9), Principal (grades 5-12), Principal (grades PK-6)
Program Renewal

Request:

Baldwin Wallace University requests renewal of authorization to offer a graduate program leading to the Principal (grades 4-9), Principal (grades 5-12), Principal (grades PK-6) Licenses. This renewal ensures program alignment with Ohio standards and requirements. Programs leading to the Ohio Administration, Principal license are valid for teaching in grades PK through 6; 4 through 9; and 5 through 12.

Profile:

Baldwin Wallace University is a private, not-for-profit university affiliated with the Methodist church that was founded in 1845. The university has a specific mission as an academic community committed to the liberal arts and sciences as the foundation for lifelong learning. Located in Berea, Ohio, the university has an enrollment of more than 2,500 undergraduates and over 500 graduate students.

Accreditation/Authorization:

Baldwin Wallace University is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission (HLC) until its next scheduled review in 2028. Baldwin Wallace University's educator preparation programs are accredited by the Council for Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP), until its next scheduled review in December 2025.

Metrics Reported Data (Per [OAC 3333-1-05](#), data available and reported is limited to initial licensure and principal preparation only): Over the past three reporting years, fewer than ten candidates have completed the program. Due to the small number of completers in the program, the Ohio Educator Preparation Program Performance Reports could not be considered in the review process to determine acceptable or unacceptable ranges.

Recommendation:

Baldwin-Wallace University's Principal (grades 4-9), Principal (grades 5-12), Principal (grades PK-6) Licenses preparation program meets the Chancellor's requirements for program approval and the State Board of Education's minimum standards for graduate level programs. Approval is recommended until the spring 2023 review cycle. The Chancellor may, in his judgement, withdraw approval or require additional review if Baldwin-Wallace University fails to meet the Chancellor's standards for educator preparation programs or receives a sanction by CAEP.



Department of
Higher Education

Mike DeWine, Governor
Randy Gardner, Chancellor

End of Comment Period: Thursday, February 18, 2021 at 5:00pm

No comments received, recommend approval

RECOMMENDATION

The Associate Vice Chancellor of P-16 Initiatives has verified that this institution has met the standards and requirements of the Ohio Department of Higher Education.

2/22/2021

Krista Maxson, Associate Vice Chancellor of P-16 Initiatives

Date

APPROVAL

Randy Gardner, Chancellor

3/8/2021

Date

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