

## Critical Shortage Area

Dear Superintendents and Principals:

In response to Kentucky’s submission, the United States Department of Education (USDE) has designated the following areas as teacher shortage areas using the 2019–2020 school year hiring data.

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Bluegrass	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anderson County</li> <li>• Berea Independent</li> <li>• Bourbon County</li> <li>• Boyle County</li> <li>• Burgin Independent</li> <li>• Clark County</li> <li>• Danville Independent</li> <li>• Estill County</li> <li>• Fayette County</li> <li>• Frankfort Independent</li> <li>• Franklin County</li> <li>• Garrard County</li> <li>• Harrison County</li> <li>• Jessamine County</li> <li>• Lincoln County</li> <li>• Madison County</li> <li>• Mercer County</li> <li>• Nicholas County</li> <li>• Paris Independent</li> <li>• Powell County</li> <li>• Scott County</li> <li>• Woodford County</li> <li>• Kentucky School for the Deaf</li> <li>• Clark County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Garrard County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Harrison County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Hughes Jones-Harrodsburg Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Lincoln County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Madison County Area Technology Center</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early Childhood Education</li> <li>• English as a Second Language</li> </ul>

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Cumberlands	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adair County</li> <li>• Campbellsville Independent</li> <li>• Casey County</li> <li>• Clinton County</li> <li>• Corbin Independent</li> <li>• Cumberland County</li> <li>• East Bernstadt Independent</li> <li>• Green County</li> <li>• Laurel County</li> <li>• McCreary County</li> <li>• Pulaski County</li> <li>• Rockcastle County</li> <li>• Russell County</li> <li>• Science Hill Independent</li> <li>• Somerset Independent</li> <li>• Taylor County</li> <li>• Wayne County</li> <li>• Whitley County</li> <li>• Williamsburg Independent</li> <li>• Casey County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Clinton County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Corbin Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Green County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Lake Cumberland Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Pulaski County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Rockcastle County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Russell Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Wayne County Area Technology Center</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Career &amp; Technical Education</li> <li>• Early Childhood Education</li> <li>• Language Arts</li> <li>• Science</li> <li>• Special Education</li> </ul>

\*East Kentucky Concentrated Employment Program

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EKCEP *	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Barbourville Independent</li> <li>• Bell</li> <li>• Breathitt County</li> <li>• Carter County</li> <li>• Clay County</li> <li>• Elliot County</li> <li>• Floyd County</li> <li>• Harlan County</li> <li>• Harlan Independent</li> <li>• Hazard Independent</li> <li>• Jackson County</li> <li>• Jackson Independent</li> <li>• Jenkins Independent</li> <li>• Johnson County</li> <li>• Knott County</li> <li>• Knox County</li> <li>• Lawrence County</li> <li>• Lee County</li> <li>• Leslie County</li> <li>• Letcher County</li> <li>• Magoffin County</li> <li>• Martin County</li> <li>• Menifee County</li> <li>• Middlesboro Independent</li> <li>• Morgan County</li> <li>• Owsley County</li> <li>• Paintsville Independent</li> <li>• Perry County</li> <li>• Pike County</li> <li>• Pikeville Independent</li> <li>• Pineville Independent</li> <li>• Wolfe County</li> <li>• Belfry Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Bell County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Breathitt County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Clay County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Floyd County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Jackson County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Knott County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Knox County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Lee County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Leslie County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Letcher County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Martin County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Millard Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Morgan County Area Technology Center</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Career &amp; Technical Education</li> <li>• Early Childhood Education</li> <li>• English &amp; Communications</li> <li>• Mathematics</li> <li>• Science</li> <li>• Special Education</li> </ul>

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Green River	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Daviess County</li> <li>• Hancock County</li> <li>• Henderson County</li> <li>• McLean County</li> <li>• Ohio County</li> <li>• Owensboro Independent</li> <li>• Union County</li> <li>• Webster County</li> <li>• Ohio County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Webster County Area Technology Center</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early Childhood</li> <li>• Special Education</li> </ul>

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Kentucky an Works	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anchorage Independent</li> <li>• Bullitt County</li> <li>• Eminence Independent</li> <li>• Henry County</li> <li>• Jefferson County</li> <li>• Oldham County</li> <li>• Shelby County</li> <li>• Spencer County</li> <li>• Trimble County</li> <li>• Kentucky School for the Blind</li> <li>• Bullitt County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Shelby County Area Technology Center</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Art &amp; Music Education</li> <li>• Career &amp; Technical Education</li> <li>• Early Childhood Education</li> <li>• English as a Second Language</li> <li>• Health &amp; Physical Fitness</li> <li>• Language Arts</li> <li>• Special Education</li> <li>• World Language</li> <li>• Mathematics</li> <li>• Science</li> <li>• Social Studies</li> <li>• Library/Media Specialist</li> <li>• School Counselor</li> </ul>

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Lincoln Trail	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bardstown Independent</li> <li>• Breckinridge County</li> <li>• Cloverport Independent</li> <li>• Elizabethtown Independent</li> <li>• Grayson County</li> <li>• Hardin County</li> <li>• LaRue County</li> <li>• Marion County</li> <li>• Meade County</li> <li>• Nelson County</li> <li>• Washington County</li> <li>• West Point Independent</li> <li>• Breckinridge County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Marion County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Meade County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Nelson County Area Technology Center</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Career &amp; Technical Education</li> <li>• Special Education</li> </ul>

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Northern Kentucky	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Beechwood Independent</li> <li>• Bellevue Independent</li> <li>• Boone County</li> <li>• Campbell County</li> <li>• Carroll County</li> <li>• Covington Independent</li> <li>• Dayton Independent</li> <li>• Erlanger-Elsmere Independent</li> <li>• Fort Thomas Independent</li> <li>• Gallatin County</li> <li>• Grant County</li> <li>• Kenton County</li> <li>• Ludlow Independent</li> <li>• Newport Independent</li> <li>• Owen County</li> <li>• Pendleton County</li> <li>• Silver Grove Independent</li> <li>• Southgate Independent</li> <li>• Walton-Verona Independent</li> <li>• Williamstown Independent</li> <li>• Boone County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Campbell County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Carroll County Area Technology Center</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early Childhood</li> <li>• Mathematics</li> <li>• Science</li> <li>• Special Education</li> <li>• School Psychologist</li> </ul>

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Southeast/ South Central	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Allen County</li> <li>• Barren County</li> <li>• Bowling Green Independent</li> <li>• Butler County</li> <li>• Caverna Independent</li> <li>• Edmonson County</li> <li>• Glasgow Independent</li> <li>• Hart County</li> <li>• Logan County</li> <li>• Metcalfe County</li> <li>• Monroe County</li> <li>• Russellville Independent</li> <li>• Simpson County</li> <li>• Warren County</li> <li>• Barren County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Butler County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Monroe County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Russellville Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Warren County Area Technology Center</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early Childhood</li> <li>• Special Education</li> </ul>

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TENCO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ashland Independent</li> <li>• Augusta Independent</li> <li>• Bath County</li> <li>• Boyd County</li> <li>• Bracken County</li> <li>• Fairview Independent</li> <li>• Fleming County</li> <li>• Greenup County</li> <li>• Lewis County</li> <li>• Mason County</li> <li>• Montgomery County</li> <li>• Raceland-Worthington Independent</li> <li>• Robertson County</li> <li>• Rowan County</li> <li>• Russell Independent</li> <li>• Greenup County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Mason County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Montgomery County Area Technology Center</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early Childhood</li> <li>• Mathematics</li> <li>• Science</li> <li>• Special Education</li> </ul>

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West Kentucky	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ballard County</li> <li>• Caldwell County</li> <li>• Calloway County</li> <li>• Carlisle County</li> <li>• Christian County</li> <li>• Crittenden County</li> <li>• Dawson Springs Independent</li> <li>• Fulton County</li> <li>• Fulton Independent</li> <li>• Graves County</li> <li>• Hickman County</li> <li>• Hopkins County</li> <li>• Livingston County</li> <li>• Lyon County</li> <li>• Marshall County</li> <li>• Mayfield Independent</li> <li>• McCracken County</li> <li>• Muhlenberg County</li> <li>• Murray Independent</li> <li>• Paducah Independent</li> <li>• Todd County</li> <li>• Trigg County</li> <li>• Caldwell County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Fulton County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Mayfield/Graves County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Murray/Calloway County Area Technology Center</li> <li>• Paducah Area Technology Center</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Career &amp; Technical Education</li> <li>• Early Childhood Education</li> <li>• Science</li> <li>• Social Studies</li> </ul>