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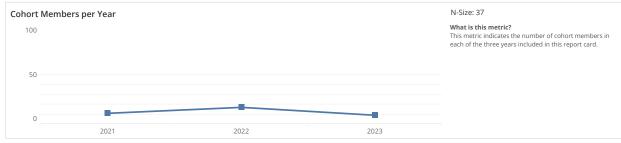


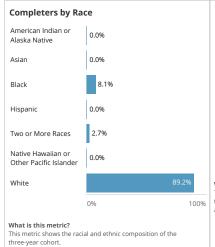
The mission of the University of Tennessee Knoxville is to promote a healthy, educated, and civil society; to encourage life long learning; and to enhance the quality of life within the diverse, global community by preparing professionals to educate and lead for the changing landscape of 21st century schools and classrooms. The UTK, as a professional school, promotes critical inquiry, reflection, and social action. The UTK values are reflected in our mission and our educator preparation goals. These goals are as follows: Promote excellence in teaching and mastery of professional competencies; Assure ethics, integrity, and professional attitudes and dispositions; Cultivate collaboration among multiple stakeholders to ensure well rounded educational preparation from various viewpoints; Advance cultural relevance and responsiveness; Uphold effective use of educational technology. Our vision is to help create a world that values knowledge, education, and health as key contributors to improved quality of life for all.

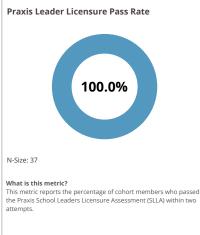
**Leader Preparation** 

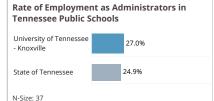
The Online Leadership Studies program at the University of Tennessee-Knoxville provides opportunities to obtain a Tennessee Instructional Leadership License (ILL) while earning a Masters of Science (MS) or a Specialist in Education (EdS) degree in Educational Administration. The Online Leadership Studies program also offers a one-year certificate program leading to a Tennessee Instructional Leadership endorsement. All courses are delivered online, providing flexibility for aspiring leaders. Aspiring leaders in the program complete an internship under the guidance of a school mentor, such as a school principal. and a facilitator while concurrently maintaining their roles in education. The program is strategically designed to enhance knowledge, skills, and values essential for effective leadership, teaching, and research within educational settings. A significant emphasis is placed on practical experiences, with aspiring leaders engaging in field experiences aligned with school leadership standards. These experiences involve undertaking tasks in real-world educational settings, supported by mentors both within the school and the school district. The primary goal of the Online Leadership program is to ensure that Tennessee school districts have access to highly qualified instructional leaders capable of facilitating optimal learning outcomes for all students.

**Provider Type** 









## What is this metric?

This metric reports the percentage of cohort members who were employed as administrators in Tennessee public schools during the 2021-22, 2022-23, and/or 2023-24 school years. Administrators include principals, assistant principals, and supervisors.