

## **BUTLER UNIVERSITY SCHOOL COUNSELING PROGRAM**

The 48-semester hour Master’s degree program in school counseling at Butler University prepares graduates to work as licensed professional school counselors in P-12 settings. The program operates on a cohort model, with a maximum of 24 new students being admitted each fall. Cohort members take the vast majority of their classes together as a group, with the typical student completing the program in 3 years (6 academic semesters and 2 summers of coursework). In addition to coursework, students accrue a minimum of 750 hours of experience working in school counseling settings during their Practicum and Internship experiences. The program is accredited by the Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP), which is a hallmark of excellence for counselor training programs. The program and its faculty have won numerous awards, including the “Innovative Counselor Education Master’s Program” given out by the North Central Association for Counselor Education and Supervision.

### **SCHOOL COUNSELING PROGRAM OUTCOMES**

\*Represents the percentage of students who graduated within the typical 3-year timeframe for their cohort. Some students counted as “non-graduates” are still enrolled in the program and actively seeking a degree.

\*\*Represents the percentage of graduates working as a school counselor (or in a closely related profession) after actively seeking a position. Some graduates instead choose to stay in their previous profession or continue their education.

| <b>YEAR</b> | <b>NUMBER OF GRADUATES</b> | <b>COMPLETION RATE*</b> | <b>PASS RATE STATE LICENSURE EXAM</b> | <b>PASS RATE NCE EXAM</b> | <b>PLACEMENT RATE</b> |
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| 2018        | 14                         | 98%                     | 100%                                  | 100%                      | 100%                  |