

Driven by the **Kansas State Board of Education's** vision and under the direction of the **Kansas State Department of Education** (KSDE), the **Technical Assistance System Network** (TASN) supports school districts' systemic implementation and evaluation of evidence-based practices. A network of progressive and responsive collaborators from numerous organizations partner to meet the professional learning needs of educators, provide guidance, and support the use of evidence-based practices for the improvement of each of the State Board of Education's five outcomes for student success. To learn more about the results for each TASN project, go to <https://ksdetasn.org/evaluation/tasn-provider-evaluation-briefs>.

### TASN PROVIDERS SERVE EDUCATORS ACROSS KANSAS

TASN providers supported educators in districts across Kansas through training, coaching, and technical assistance, with 285 Kansas school districts supported during the 2018-19 school year. In most cases, training was ongoing or included follow-up coaching. Additionally, all districts have access to [www.kansasteachingjobs.com](http://www.kansasteachingjobs.com), run by the TASN KEEB teacher recruitment project, and the InfiNITEXT digital resources repository (<http://www.myinfinitec.org/infinitec>), and MIS data clerks representing every district attend required annual training from the GSTAD project.

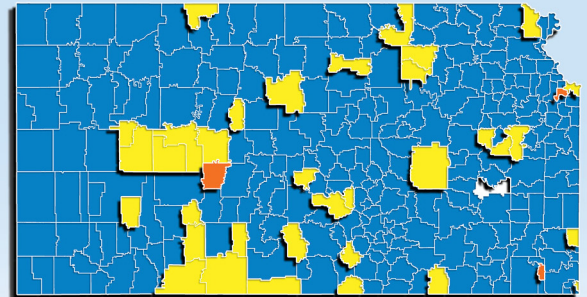
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In addition to training, 122 districts, 20 service centers/special education cooperatives/interlocals and 25 other organizations submitted 358 support requests through the "Big Blue Button." The median response time was 1 hour 28 minutes from assignment to delivery of customized technical assistance, and 93% of participants who responded indicated that support was helpful.

Through direct contact, TASN providers delivered additional onsite or virtual coaching, technical assistance, and training that 99.6% of respondents indicated was helpful.

#### KANSAS DISTRICTS SUPPORTED

During the 2018-19 School Year



TRAINING COACHING OR OTHER SUPPORTS BOTH TRAINING AND COACHING

All districts have access to the KEEB teacher recruitment services and InfiNITEXT digital resource repository. MIS data clerks representing every district attended required annual training from the GSTAD project. Every special education cooperative participated in training and coaching.

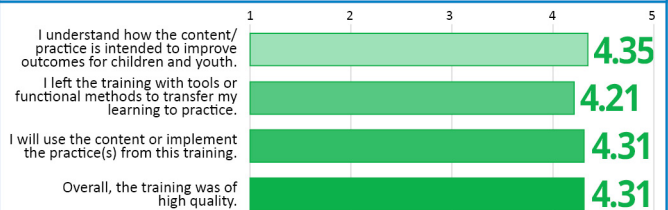
### PROFESSIONAL LEARNING IS OF HIGH QUALITY

During 2018-19, TASN professional development evaluation results provided by 3,616 attendees showed that the participants felt ready to implement newly learned skills. A total of 428 professional learning events were posted online through [www.ksdetasn.org](http://www.ksdetasn.org). These events included 323 face-to-face workshops, 90 online learning events, and 15 conferences held across the state and involved 8,857 registrations handled directly through the TASN website.

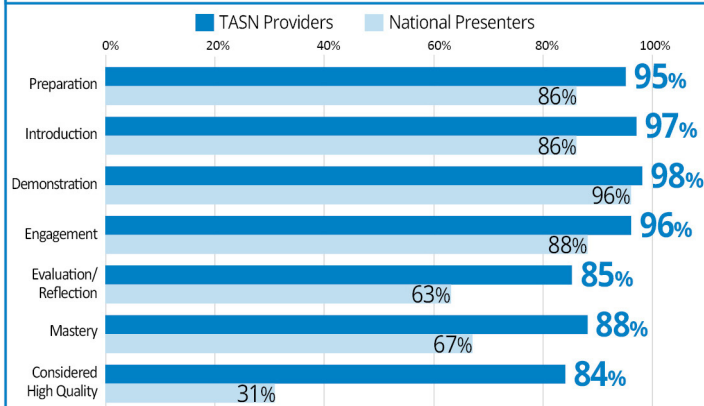
Seventy-three trainings were observed by an evaluator, rating 22 indicators of quality professional development across six domains. TASN providers outperformed national presenters, who were observed in 16 different session, across every domain.

#### EVALUATION RESULTS FROM 3,616 PARTICIPANTS

Average Ratings (1 = *Strongly Disagree*, 5 = *Strongly Agree*)



#### PERCENTAGE OF INDICATORS ACHIEVED BY DOMAIN



### TASN WEBSITE SUPPORTS THOUSANDS

Since the summer of 2015, the TASN website ([www.ksdetasn.org](http://www.ksdetasn.org)) has logged 210,249 visitors and 2,134,745 page views. Over 13,000 users have created logins, and the 1,821 vetted resources (1,298 file uploads, 349 videos, 174 external URLs) housed on the site have been accessed 108,444 times, including 37,665 times just during the 2018-19 school year.

