

EXCELLENT OUTCOMES



Passing the **Speech Pathology Praxis Exam** is required to get certification/licensure and work as a SLP.

- The chart at the right demonstrate that EIU graduates score significantly higher than the national and state averages. Grand Rounds class and focus on good teaching help.

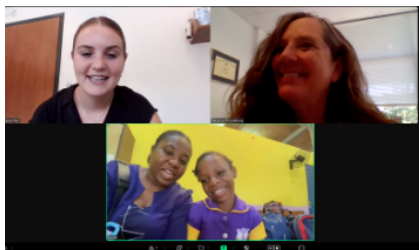
Other Outcome Data

- High acceptance rate to grad school in audiology, speech pathology or other grad program of choice
- 95-100% of seniors each year report they would choose EIU for their undergraduate Communication Disorders education if they had the choice to make over again
- Much extracurricular involvement, many awards & scholarships

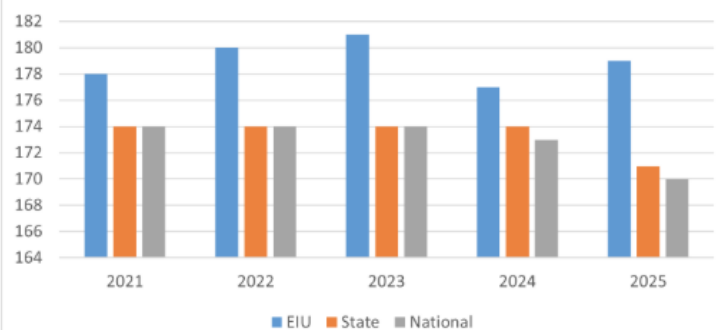


ABOVE: EIU Clinicians in Jamaica testing client

BELOW: EIU clinician doing on-line therapy with same client in Jamaica



SLP Praxis Exam Scores
EIU - State - National Average Scores



EIU CDS Undergraduate Student Quotes

- I love EIU because of the small class size, the way the faculty and students make you feel like you're a part of a "family". I feel as if the faculty truly care about each and every student. I have had experience where that was not the case at a larger university. I have felt welcomed since day 1!*
- I love that the classes challenge me to be the best I possibly can and that I have great relationships with the faculty and my peers.*
- How much clinical experience the department has to offer is wonderful! I also like how no matter the client, the staff and students here will work until they have a diagnosis.*
- I love the open door policy and I greatly appreciate how helpful the faculty is here.*
- I learned sooo much in applied classes and undergraduate clinic. The opportunity to spend a week in Jamaica working with grad clinicians, EIU faculty and an SLP in Jamaica at a clinic was really great! Looking forward to doing on-line therapy with a child in Jamaica in grad school!*
- Being in the Early Admit to grad school program is fantastic! I'm taking 2 grad classes as a senior and don't have to spend time and money applying to a bunch of other grad schools -- I love EIU and I'm staying here for grad school!*