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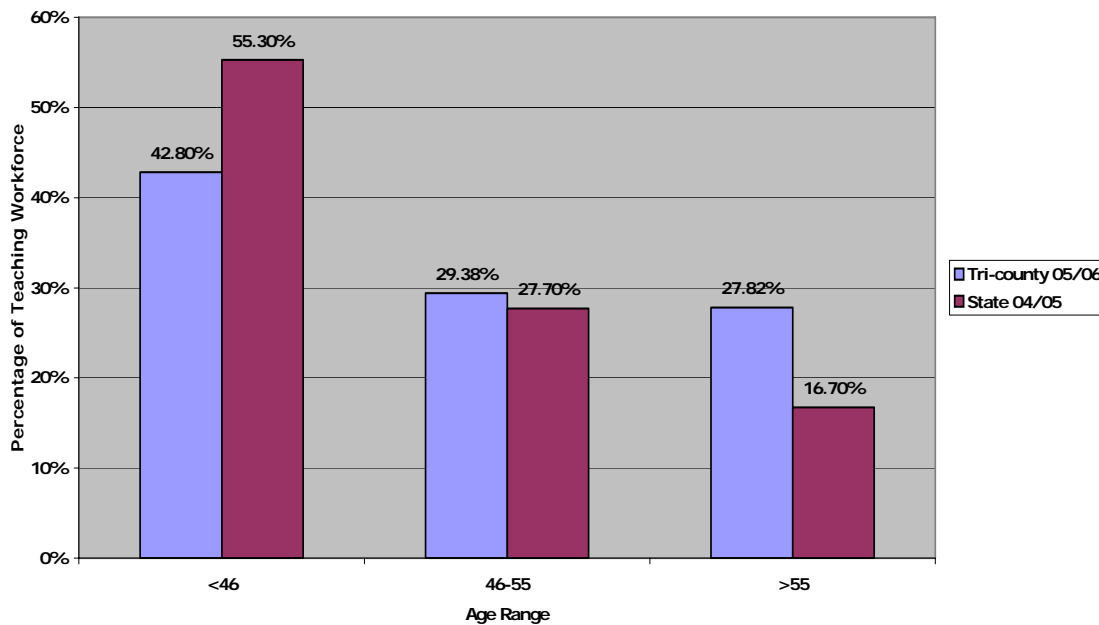
# Teacher Workforce Initiative: A Fully Prepared and Effective Teacher in Every Classroom

## CBEDS Data for 2005-06

Dr. Lora Bartlett, lead researcher for the Teacher Workforce Initiative, presented a preliminary analysis of the CBEDs data collected from school districts and county offices of education in the tri-county region this year. This is the first in a series of e-mail newsletters that will provide this compelling data in short segments.

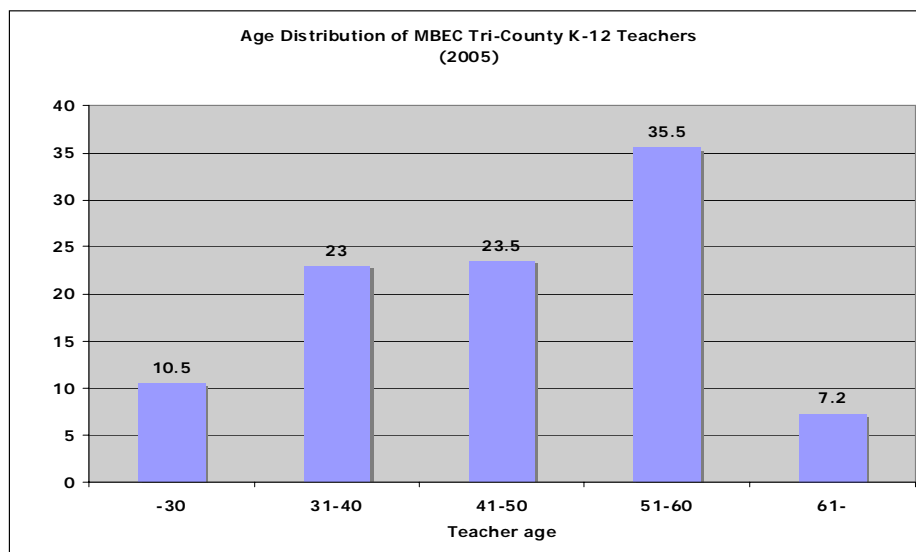
### Teacher Age Data

State and Tri-County Teacher Age



The data above describes tri-county teacher age data in comparison with the statewide data. The most noteworthy information from the graph is that 27.32% of the tri-county teachers are older than 55 while this is true for only 16.7% of the teachers across the state.

The table below reinforces the fact that we have an aging teaching workforce in our region; 42.7% of our teachers are 51 years of age or older, while only 10.5% are under age 30.



This data serves to remind us how important it is to continue our focus on increasing the teacher credential candidates in our local college and university pipelines as well as recruiting and retaining highly qualified teachers.

Future analysis of the teacher age data will include age by teaching assignment.

If you would like a complete copy of the data presentation power point conducted by Lora Bartlett at the TWI Spring Forum, please contact TWI Local Liaison Dan Cope at (831) 464-5677 or [dcope@santacruz.k12.ca.us](mailto:dcope@santacruz.k12.ca.us).