# 2024-25 TEACH Grant Application

### What is a TEACH Grant?

The federal Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program provides up to \$4,000 per year (dependent on federal funding) to students who intend to teach in a high need field, at a school that serves students from low-income families.

#### What are the high-need fields?

Currently, the high-need fields are: <u>Bilingual Education and English Language Acquisition</u>; <u>Some Foreign Languages</u>; <u>Mathematics</u>; <u>Reading Specialist</u>; <u>Science</u>; <u>Special Education</u>, or other fields that have been identified as high-need in the annual Teacher Shortage Area Nationwide Listing</u> {https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/pol/tsa.html}

#### How can I identify schools that serve low-income students?

A list of schools that serve low-income students can be found at https://studentaid.gov/tcli/

#### What is the service obligation?

TEACH Grant recipients agree to teach in a high need field in a low income school for at least four academic years within eight years of completing the program for which you received TEACH Grant funds. If you are unable to complete the service obligation, the TEACH Grant funds you received will be converted to a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan and interest will be charged from the date the funds were **disbursed**.

## If you are interested in applying for the TEACH Grant, please complete the following:

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