

2019-2020



Financial Aid and Scholarships

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### TEACH Grant Request Form

STUDENT ID	STUDENT'S LAST NAME	STUDENT'S FIRST NAME	SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER
PLEASE PRINT IN BLACK INK			

The Federal TEACH Grant program provides grant funds to students who are completing coursework needed to begin a career in teaching. The student agrees to serve for at least four years as a full-time, highly qualified teacher in a high-need field in a school serving low-income students. Eligible full-time students may be eligible to receive up to \$1,876 per semester in TEACH Grant funds.

If you receive a TEACH Grant but do not complete the required teaching service requirements, all TEACH Grant funds will be converted to a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan that you must repay, with accrued interest, to the Department of Education. **Once a TEACH Grant is converted to a loan, it cannot be converted back to a grant.**

Priority Deadlines: In order to allow enough time to process a grant request before the end of the academic term, we have established the following deadlines:

Fall 2019 only: November 15, 2019

Academic year/Spring 2020 only: April 17, 2020

Summer 2020: June 12, 2020

#### TEACH GRANT APPLICATION PROCESS AND ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

**Check each box below acknowledging that you have read, completed, and agree to ALL requirements listed.**

- Specify your current academic degree objective:  Undergraduate  Teaching Credential  Masters
- Complete the TEACH Grant Request Form and submit it to the Financial Aid Office.
- Submit a signed Education Plan from your advisor/department head, who is familiar with your teaching program/career goals to the Financial Aid Office. The Education Plan must be on Fresno State department/school letterhead.
- Complete and submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for 2019-2020.
- Meet first-year TEACH Grant determination GPA requirements.
  - First Semester Undergraduates: Must have a final high school cumulative GPA of 3.25 or higher to be eligible.
  - First Semester Graduates: Must have an undergraduate cumulative GPA of 3.25 or higher to be eligible.
- Maintain a 3.25 minimum cumulative GPA in your current academic program for subsequent year TEACH Grant requests.
- Be enrolled in an eligible program in (specify requested term):  FALL 2019  SPRING 2020  SUMMER 2020
- Complete the TEACH Grant Agreement to Serve (ATS). *This must be completed each academic year for each new TEACH Grant.*
- Complete TEACH Grant Counseling. *This must be completed each academic year for each new TEACH Grant.*
- Be enrolled in a high-need field/program that leads towards teaching in a public or private elementary or secondary school that serves students from low-income families.
  - Links to the ATS, Teach Grant Counseling, Teacher Shortage Area List, and Teacher Cancellation Low Income Directory can be found at this Federal Student Aid website: <https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/types/grants-scholarships/teach>
  - **high-need** fields are the following specific subject areas: these fields are subject to change
    - Language Arts
    - Special Education (Generic Special Education)
    - Mathematics
    - Science
    - Core Subjects (Elementary Education)

#### CERTIFICATION & SIGNATURE

By signing this form, I certify that all the information reported on it is complete and correct. If I am eligible to receive TEACH Grant funds, financial aid already awarded to me will be reduced if necessary. I authorize TEACH Grant funds to be applied to my Fresno State student account to pay any and all charges. Any refunds after all charges have been paid will be forwarded to me.

\_\_\_\_\_ Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### FA OFFICE USE ONLY:

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ FA Units/Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ SPG Units/Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ SUM units/Amount \_\_\_\_\_ ISIR Tran# \_\_\_\_\_  
 CIP Code: \_\_\_\_\_  CHKLST  ATS  TGC  NSLDS P/S disbursed:  FALL  SPRING  SUMMER  
 Paid COD:  FALL  SPRING  SUMMER COD Info: \_\_\_\_\_