



Federal TEACH Grant Program* Information FY 2011-2012

The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program was established under the *College Cost Reduction and Access Act* (CCRAA), to benefit current and prospective teachers. Students are eligible to receive up to **\$4,000 per academic year for graduate and undergraduate level coursework.**

Eligibility Criteria Check List:

File the 2011-2012 FAFSA

U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen

Enrolled as an undergraduate, post-baccalaureate or graduate student at the University of San Diego

Enrolled in a teaching program or major

Have a 3.25 cumulative GPA or score above the 75th percentile on one admissions test

Sign TEACH Grant letter of agreement (annually). Available on Teach Grant Agreement to Serve website: <https://teach-ats.ed.gov/ats/index.action>









Meet with Assistant Dean of the School of Leadership and Education Sciences

Award Levels:	
Full time per academic year	\$4,000
$\frac{3}{4}$ time	\$3,000
$\frac{1}{2}$ time	\$2,000
<half time	\$1,000
Total for undergraduates	\$16,000
Total for graduate study	\$8,000

Other Considerations:

After receiving degree and/or credential, must teach in a high-need field (listed by state and year at this link:

<http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/oep/pol/tsa.pdf>

-  Mathematics
-  Science
-  Foreign language
-  Bilingual education
-  English language acquisition
-  Special education
-  Reading specialist
-  Must teach in a high-need school

Eligible Schools: Schools serving low-income students include, public or private non-profit elementary or secondary school and can be found in the *Annual Directory of Designated Low-income Schools for Teacher Cancellation Benefits*. To access the directory, please visit: <http://www.tcli.ed.gov/CBSWebApp/tcli/TCLIPubSchoolSearch.jsp>



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Please answer the following questions regarding your eligibility and career plans

Name: _____ USD ID#: _____

USD Email: _____ Phone #: _____

In which academic program are you currently enrolled? Note all which apply:

Masters Graduate Program: _____

Credential Program: _____

Undergraduate Major: _____

Expected Graduation Date: _____

In order to be eligible to receive the TEACH Grant, you must be willing to teach in a high need area and a high need school for at least 4 years within 8 years of graduation from your degree program. What are your professional plans upon graduation?

If you **do not fulfill** your service obligation, the TEACH Grant **will revert to a loan** with terms similar to the Unsubsidized Stafford Loan Program, and **with interest accruing at date of disbursement**.

Do you understand this obligation? **Yes** **No**

I understand my obligation includes at least 4 years of teaching service in a high need subject area or a high need school within 8 years of graduation. If I do not fulfill this obligation, I understand that the terms of my grant will revert to a loan with obligatory repayment and interest charges that begin at the time of disbursement. I also understand that this grant is an annual award, and subsequent TEACH Grant Counseling is required as part of any renewal.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Assistant Dean, SOLES _____ Date _____

More information is available at the following website:
<http://studentaid.ed.gov/PORTALSWebApp/students/english/TEACH.jsp>

* The TEACH Grant is a conditional grant program. If the service obligation is not met, this grant will revert to an Unsubsidized Stafford Loan with interest accrued from initial disbursement.