



TEACH Grant Application

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ Concordia ID \_\_\_\_\_
CELL \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

Have you taken Education 212 – American Education in a Diverse World? (Not required for Graduate Students) Yes No
For which high-need Teacher Education Program are you enrolled?

- Science Education
Math Education
Foreign Language Education
Other

Elementary Education majors are typically not eligible for the TEACH Grant as the student must spend more than 51 percent of his or her time teaching in a high need field. There are two exceptions. Check below if you qualify for one of the two exceptions:

- Elementary education majors planning on teaching bilingual classrooms
Elementary education majors with science or math specialties intending to teach in a middle school setting with the majority of their day is spent teaching math or science.

Check below which academic achievement requirement you meet (check only one):

- I scored above the 75th percentile on a college admission test (e.g. ACT, SAT) and have attached a copy of my test results.
I have a cumulative GPA of at least a 3.25 from my most recent completed semester at Concordia College or the school from which I am transferring.
I am enrolled in a graduate program and am currently teaching in a high-need field.

Do you intend to meet the Agreement To Serve requirement by teaching in a high-need subject area at a school that serves low-income students for at least four of the eight years following graduation? Yes No

Is your Teacher Education Program currently listed in the Department of Education’s Annual Teacher Shortage Area Nationwide Listing located at www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/pol/tsa.doc for the state in which you plan to teach? Yes No

Is your preferred school(s) listed as a school that serves low-income school districts in the Department of Education’s Annual Directory of Designated Low-Income Schools located at www.tcli.ed.gov [click on the search button, choose a state and enter the name of your preferred school(s)]? Yes No

By signing below, I acknowledge that the teacher shortage and low-income school district listings on both websites are subject to change from year to year. To meet the Agreement To Serve requirement:

- Your school must be listed on the Department of education’s website at the time you begin teaching, and;
Your Teacher Education Program must have been designated as high-need on the Department of Education’s website when you received your first TEACH Grant.

I further understand:

- I have the right to cancel all or a portion of the TEACH Grant by requesting cancellation by the later of the first day of a payment period or 14 days after receiving notification of my right to cancel. Under certain circumstances, a request for cancellation may be made after the 14-day period, but within 120 days of the date the TEACH Grant was disbursed.
If I receive a TEACH Grant and I do not fulfill the requirements, the Grant will convert to a Federal Unsubsidized Loan and I must repay this loan in full, with interest charged from the date of each TEACH Grant disbursement.

TEACH Grant Applicant Signature

Date