

Student Name: _

JSU ID: __

By submitting this form, you are applying for the Federal Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant. In exchange for receiving a TEACH Grant, you must agree to serve as a full-time teacher in a high-need field in a public or private elementary or secondary school that serves low-income students (see below for more information on high-need fields and schools serving low-income students). Eligible students may receive up to \$4,000 per year in TEACH Grant funds and will be awarded based on full-time status. However, disbursement amounts are prorated based on hours of attendance. Failure to complete the four-year service agreement will result in the grant being converted to a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Stafford/Ford Loan that you must repay in full, with interest accruing from the time of disbursement.

TEACH Grant Request Form Instructions

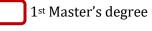
1. Indicate which semester(s) you are applying for TEACH Grant funding by checking the boxes below:



2. Select your degree level by checking the appropriate box below:



1st Bachelor's degree



- 3. In addition to this application (and completion of the FAFSA), you must complete the following <u>each</u> <u>year</u> you receive a TEACH Grant:
 - <u>TEACH Grant Initial & Subsequent Counseling</u> online at: <u>https://studentaid.gov/app/launchTeach.action</u>
 - <u>TEACH Grant Agreement to Serve (ATS)</u> online at: <u>https://studentaid.gov/app/launchTeach.action</u>

4. Sign and date the form below.

By signing this form, I certify that I have read and understand the attached TEACH requirements and service/repayment obligations. I meet the student eligibility requirements and am pursuing a degree in one of the eligible JSU majors.

Student Signature:		Date:
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Office Use Only:

<u>Teacher</u>	Education Services - Signature Date
0	College of Education Unconditional Assessment: YES NO
0	Approved Program/Major Code on SGASTDN: (Circle One)
	Undergraduate - SCD_BSE3 GS_BSE3 MS_BSE3 ECP_BSE3
	Alternative Class A Graduate - SCD_MSE_A3 GS_MSE_A3 MS_MSE_A3 EED_MSE_A3 ECE_MSE_A3
<u>Graduat</u>	e Office - Signature Date
0	College of Education Unconditional Assessment: YES NO
0	GRE/MAT Percentile (first semester students only)
0	Approved Program/Major Code on SGASTDN: (Circle One)
	Traditional Graduate - ECSPE_MSE_T3 GS_MSE_T3 MS_MSE_T3 RDG_MSE_T3 SCD_MSE_T3 EED_MSE_T3 ECE_MSE_T3
<u>Financia</u>	al Aid Office - Signature Date
0	FAFSA on file Cumulative Overall GPA Meeting SAP
0	Award Amount Fall Spring Summer



2023-2024 Federal TEACH Grant Request

In exchange for receiving a TEACH Grant, you must agree to serve as a full-time teacher in a high-need field in a public or private elementary or secondary school that serves low-income students (see below for more information on high-need fields and schools serving low-income students). As a recipient of a TEACH Grant, you must teach for at least four academic years within eight calendar years of completing the program of study for which you received a TEACH Grant.

IMPORTANT: If you fail to complete this service obligation, all amounts of TEACH Grants that you received will be converted to a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loan. You must then repay this loan to the U.S. Department of Education. You will be charged interest from the date the grant(s) was disbursed. TEACH Grant recipients will be given a 6-month grace period prior to entering repayment if a TEACH Grant is converted to a Direct Unsubsidized Loan.

Federal High-Need Fields

Federal high-need fields are the specific areas identified below:

- Bilingual Education and English Language Acquisition
- Foreign Language
- Mathematics
- Reading Specialist
- Science
- Special Education
- Elementary Education (2023-2024)

Eligible JSU Undergraduate Majors:

- Secondary Education with a major in General Science
- Secondary Education with a major in Mathematics
- Special Education Collaborative Teacher K-6 (Elementary) and 6-12 (Secondary) Dual Certification Program
- Early Childhood/ Elementary Education

Eligible JSU Graduate Majors:

- Secondary Education with a major in General Science
- Secondary Education with a major in Mathematics
- Special Education Collaborative Teacher K-6 (Elementary) and 6-12 (Secondary) Dual Certification Program
- Early Childhood Special Education
- Reading Specialist P-12
- Early Childhood Education P-3
- Elementary Education K-6

Counseling

You will be required to complete TEACH Grant Counseling online at <u>www.studentaid.gov</u> each year you accept a TEACH Grant. You will also be required to complete Exit Counseling when you graduate or leave school.

Schools Serving Low-Income Students

Schools serving low-income students include any elementary or secondary school that is listed in the Department of Education's Annual Directory of Designated Low-Income Schools for Teacher Cancellation Benefits. To access the Directory, please go to https://studentaid.gov/app/tcli.action

Student Eligibility Requirements

- Completed FAFSA for the aid year you are requesting the TEACH Grant
- Maintain Financial Aid Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP)
- Be a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen.
- **Undergraduate** students **(1**st **Bachelor's)** or **Alternative Class A Graduate** Students: Be unconditionally admitted in the School of Education, having met the Teacher Education Program Eligibility Requirements, in a TEACH Grant major, meet and maintain a cumulative overall GPA of at least a **3.25**.
- **Graduate** students: (Master's Degree only, Educational Specialist students are not eligible): Be unconditionally admitted in the School of Education, having met the Teacher Education Program Eligibility Requirements, in a TEACH Grant major, meet and maintain a cumulative overall GPA of at least a **3.25** (First time traditional graduate students must score in the 75th percentile on the MAT/GRE/GMAT)