

## 2023 – 2024 TEACH Grant Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Banner ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate the semester(s) for which you will be enrolled and wish to receive the Federal TEACH grant:

Fall 2023     
  Spring 2024     
  Summer 2024

The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant was developed by the U.S. Department of Education to encourage students interested in teaching to continue their studies and commit to serve as full-time teachers in a high-need field, in schools serving low-income students for at least four school years within 8 years of completing, or otherwise ceasing to be enrolled in, the program for which you received a TEACH Grant at the University.

**Note:**

- It is the responsibility of the student to make sure they are enrolled in a TEACH Grant eligible program
- “Pre” majors and Non-Degree programs are NOT eligible

A. Must Do Checklist	Eligibility Check List: Select all applicable items
<input type="checkbox"/> I have completed the 2023-24 FASA at <a href="http://www.studentaid.gov">www.studentaid.gov</a>  <input type="checkbox"/> I have read, understood and signed a TEACH Grant Agreement to Serve (ATS at <a href="https://studentaid.gov/app/launchTeach.action">https://studentaid.gov/app/launchTeach.action</a> )  <input type="checkbox"/> I have completed the TEACH Grant Entrance Counseling at <a href="https://studentaid.gov/app/launchTeach.action">https://studentaid.gov/app/launchTeach.action</a>	<input type="checkbox"/> I am a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen. <input type="checkbox"/> I am a continuing student currently maintaining a 3.25 cumulative G.P.A. <input type="checkbox"/> I am a new undergraduate and/or transfer student and have established a 3.25 cumulative GPA from my high school and/or previous college work. <input type="checkbox"/> I am a new graduate student and have established a 3.25 cumulative GPA from my undergraduate coursework. <input type="checkbox"/> I am a new undergraduate/graduate and/or transfer student and scored above the 75 <sup>th</sup> percentile on a college admissions test (i.e. ACT, SAT, GRE, etc.). <input type="checkbox"/> I am a current teacher or retiree from another occupation with expertise in a high-need field and seeking a Masters.

**B. Education Emphasis Area: Select applicable area**

Special Education     
  Mathematics     
  Science     
  Shortage Area: \_\_\_\_\_

Based on 2023-24 New Mexico Statewide Academic Disciplines <https://tsa.ed.gov/#/home/>

**C. Consent**

- I understand I must fulfill my TEACH Grant obligation as a teacher in a Title I/low-income school.
- I understand I must fulfill my TEACH Grant obligation as a teacher in a high-need discipline.
- I understand that acceptance of a TEACH Grant can increase my debt burden AND that the TEACH Grant Program has specific service obligations that must be met in order for the award to remain as a grant. **I understand that the award will be permanently converted to an Unsubsidized Federal Direct Stafford Loan and that I will be responsible to repay this loan with interest capitalized from the date of disbursement of the grant if I fail to meet all of the conditions of the award or if the conditions are not documented as required.**
- I understand once a TEACH Grant is converted to an unsubsidized loan, it cannot be converted back to a grant.
- I understand the Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships will prorate my award if I am enrolled less than full-time.

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