



2025-2026
**Federal Teacher Education Assistance for College
and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant**
Request Form for NSU Financial Aid Office

Last Name (Please Print)

First Name

ID#

Email Address

Street Address

City and State Zip

Phone Number

All students interested in obtaining a TEACH Grant for the academic year must submit your application to the School of Education. Students interested in obtaining a TEACH Grant for the SUMMER SEMESTER must complete an additional application at the end of the Spring semester in order to receive the grant for the summer semester.

To be completed by the Director of School of Education:

Eligible Majors - Undergraduate:

- Early Childhood Education Pre K-3 (3101)
- Elementary Education Grades 1-5 (3102)
- Secondary Education, English, Grades 6-12 (320E)

- Secondary Education, Mathematics, Grades 6-12 (320M)
- Secondary Education, Social Studies, Grades 6-12 (320S)
- Secondary Education, Biology, Grades 6-12 (320B)

Eligible Majors- Graduate (MAT):

- Early Childhood Education Pre K-3 (548)
- Elementary Education Grades 1-5 (506)
- Middle School Education Grades 4-8 (507)

- Secondary Education Grades 6-12 (508)
- Elementary/Special Education Grades 1-5 (531)
- Middle/Special Education Grades 4-8 (541)
- Secondary/Special Education Grades 6-12 (561)

Eligible Majors – Graduate (MED):

- Elementary Education-PREP (504I)
- Middle School Education-PREP (504I)
- Secondary Education-PREP (504I)
- English, Second Language (504J)

- Reading Education (504E)
- Special Education-Gifted (524A)
- Special Education-Early Interventionist (524C)
- Special Education-Elementary (524D)
- Special Education-Middle/Secondary (524E)

Signature – Director, School of Education

Fall/Spring or Summer

Date

I am enrolled in a curriculum that is preparing me to teach one or more of the high need subject areas as described in the Federal Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant information. I plan to teach a high need subject the majority of each school day as a highly qualified teacher in a Title I (low income serving) elementary or secondary school. **I understand, that Business and Family & Consumer Sciences are not considered high need areas.** Therefore, I am requesting to be considered for a TEACH Grant at Northwestern State University. I understand that I must also complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and list NSU's federal school code (002021) to be considered. I also understand that I must meet Satisfactory Academic Progress Requirements, which are reviewed and maintained by the Financial Aid Office, to be eligible for the TEACH Grant. I further understand that, if I am awarded a TEACH Grant, I must complete the **TEACH Grant Counseling requirement and complete a Federal Agreement to Serve (ATS) with the U.S. Department of Education each year** that a TEACH Grant award is Processed before any funds can be disbursed to me. The web site to complete the U.S. Department of Education's TEACH counseling and ATS is <https://studentaid.gov/>

NOTE: A TEACH Grant recipient will be required to repay all funds received under the Federal TEACH Grant Program if he/she becomes ineligible or fails to meet the teaching requirements specified by the U.S. Department of Education. Please make sure you review and understand these strict TEACH Grant requirements before proceeding with your application.

Student Signature

Date

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For Office Use Only:

TEI: _____ ATS: _____ RR: _____ GPA: _____ Hours: _____ Award:\$ _____ Date: _____