



# Arkansas State University Financial Aid & Scholarships 2018-19 TEACH Grant Application - Undergraduate

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| Student name (Last name, first name) |                   |
| A-State ID number                    | Cell phone number |

**► TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT**

Please read and check each of the following items before signing and submitting this form.

- I am eligible to receive the TEACH Grant, based on the following:  
Indicate with a checkmark the qualification that applies to you:
    - My current cumulative GPA is at least 3.25 (including transfer credits), or
    - I have tested above the 75th percentile on a nationally-recognized admissions test (ACT, SAT, or GRE).  
**\*Please attach a copy of the test certification verifying your score was above the 75th percentile.**
  - I understand that this grant is intended only for students who plan to become teachers in a high-need subject field, and who plan to teach in low-income schools as determined by the federal government or state, which is subject to change.
  - I understand that I will have to complete an A-State TEACH Grant application each award year that I am eligible.
  - I understand that I will have to complete Entrance Counseling for the TEACH Grant each year that I am eligible.
  - I understand that I will have to sign an Agreement to Serve for the TEACH Grant each year that I am eligible.
  - I understand that if I am not able to meet the conditions outlined in the Agreement to Serve, the TEACH Grant will convert to a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan, and interest will be added to the principle from the disbursement date of the TEACH Grant, which I am responsible for repaying.
  - I understand that if I have already been awarded up to my cost of attendance, receiving the TEACH grant will result in the reduction of my federal subsidized, unsubsidized loan, and/or PLUS loan award.
- I further understand that in order to prevent the TEACH Grant from becoming a Federal Direct Unsubsidized loan upon completion or withdrawal from the program for which the TEACH Grant was received, I must:
- Serve as a full-time teacher for a least four academic years within eight calendar years in the subject area for which the TEACH Grant was received; and
  - Teach at a school that is designated to be a low-income school based on the Teacher Cancellation Low Income Directory.

**► TO BE COMPLETED BY ACADEMIC ADVISOR**

This student has met the minimum requirements for the Praxis I as set forth by Arkansas State University:

Yes       No

This student is admitted into one of the following high-need fields:

- BSE Mathematics                       BSE Foreign Language (Spanish or French)       BSE Social Sciences
- BSE Art                                       BME Music Education                                       BSE English/Language Arts
- BSE Science (Biology, Chemistry, Physics)       BSE Special Education K-12                                       BSE Middle Childhood

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|  | <b>X</b>                          |             |
| <b>Academic Advisor Name (Printed)</b> | <b>Academic Advisor Signature</b> | <b>Date</b> |

**Conditions of the TEACH Grant**

By signing this form, I am certifying that I have read this form and all enclosures thoroughly. I understand by signing and submitting this form, I am requesting the A-State Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships to determine my eligibility for the TEACH grant and, if I am eligible, revise my award package to include this grant.

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| <b>X</b>                 |             |
| <b>STUDENT SIGNATURE</b> | <b>DATE</b> |

**Completion of the TEACH Grant application does not ensure receipt of the grant.  
The TEACH Grant amount is prorated based on enrollment.**