The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant was developed by the U.S. Department of Education to provide up to $4,000 a year to undergraduate and graduate students who agree to serve for at least four years as full-time “highly qualified” teachers in high-need fields in a public or nonprofit private or secondary school that services students from low-income families. Eligible award amounts are determined by federal requirements, enrollment status and the date of award disbursement. The TEACH Grant is converted to a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan that must be repaid to the U.S. Department of Education when the teaching obligation is not fulfilled. Submitting this application is not a guarantee that you will be approved or eligible for the Federal TEACH Grant. You are responsible for the payment of any Roosevelt University institutional charges by the published due dates.

**Student Eligibility Requirements**

- I have already completed the 2020-2021 FAFSA and meet the eligibility requirements for Federal Student Aid. I understand that I must complete the FAFSA every academic year.
- I am admitted to the College of Education and pursuing my first Bachelor’s Degree or Master’s degree:
  - Undergraduate
  - Graduate Student
- I am currently enrolled at Roosevelt in one of the following major degree programs:
  - Special Education
  - Reading
  - Second Language Special Education
  - Dual Language Teacher Leadership
- I currently meet the academic achievement requirements of a 3.25 cumulative grade point average, and I understand I must maintain a 3.25 cumulative grade point average to continue to receive the TEACH Grant.
- I have completed the TEACH Grant Entrance Counseling requirement at [https://studentaid.gov/app/launchTeach.action](https://studentaid.gov/app/launchTeach.action).
- I have passed one of the initial licensure examinations:
  - Pass Test of Academic Proficiency (TAP)
  - ACT Plus Writing: 22 composite core and a minimum of 19 Combined English/Writing
  - SAT: 1030 composite score (critical reading + mathematics) and a minimum 450 in Writing

Students who are eligible and awarded the TEACH Grant are required to complete the **TEACH Grant Agreement to Serve** at [https://studentaid.gov/app/launchTeach](https://studentaid.gov/app/launchTeach) when the grant has been awarded so that the funds can be disbursed. This is an annual requirement.

For more information about the federal TEACH Grant program see [https://studentaid.gov/understand-aid/types/grants/teach](https://studentaid.gov/understand-aid/types/grants/teach).

**Submit this application to your College of Education Degree Program Advisor**
APPLICATION for FEDERAL TEACH GRANT

Student Name: ________________________________________  Roosevelt ID: __________________________

Student Certification

I understand that the Federal TEACH Grant has specific service obligations that must be met in order for the award to remain a grant. I must annually certify my obligation. Starting in 2019, the new annual certification date is October 31st. The TEACH Grant Servicer will send notification at the beginning of October to submit documentation of progress towards completing your TEACH Grant service obligation. You are required to respond to the Federal TEACH Grant Servicer. For more information about the federal TEACH Grant program see https://studentaid.gov/understand-aid/types/grants/teach.

By signing this form, I certify the information on this form and any attachments are accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. If requested, I agree to provide documentation to verify the information I have provided on this form. I understand that any false statements or misrepresentation may be cause for denial, reduction, withdrawal, and/or repayment of financial aid and, I may be reported to the Office of the Inspector General and/or subject to a fine, imprisonment or both, under provisions of the United States Criminal Code.

Student Signature: ___________________________________________  Date: ________________________

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College of Education Completes this Section

☐ The student meets the College of Education requirements to receive the grant and has been advised about the terms and conditions required for eligibility and for fulfilling the requirements of the grant.

☐ The student does not meet the College of Education requirements to receive the grant.

Recommendations/Comments: ________________________________________________________________

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Remaining hours to complete teaching degree requirements: ______________________________________

Expected graduation date: __________________________________________________________________

Advisor’s Name (Printed): _________________________________________________________________

Advisor’s Signature: ____________________________  Telephone Number: ________________

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