Application for 2018-2019 Federal TEACH Grant Consideration

Student Name: ________________________________________
Roosevelt ID: ___________________________

The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant was developed by the U.S. Department of Education to provide grants to students who are completing or plan to complete degree course work needed to begin a career in teaching. As a condition for receiving a TEACH Grant, approved students are required to commit to teach as full-time teachers in a high need academic field, at an elementary or secondary school that services students from low-income families, for at least four school years, within 8 years of completing a degree program. If the service obligation is not completed, the TEACH Grant funds are converted to a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan that must be repaid to the U.S. Department of Education. You are responsible for the payment of any institutional charges due to Roosevelt University by the published due dates.

Terms and Conditions / Eligibility Requirements

☐ I have already completed the 2018-2019 FAFSA and meet the eligibility requirements for Federal Student Aid. I understand that I must complete the FAFSA every academic year.

☐ I am enrolled in a TEACH Grant eligible degree program - Current Academic Level:
  ○ Undergraduate  ○ Post baccalaureate  ○ Graduate Student

☐ I plan to teach full-time in a designated high-need low income/Title I school.

Highly Qualified Teacher High-need Fields:
  ○ Bilingual Education and English Acquisition
  ○ Foreign Language
  ○ Mathematics
  ○ Reading Specialist
  ○ Special Education
  ○ Any other field that has been identified as high-need by the federal government, state government, or a local education agency, and that is listed in the annual Teacher Cancellation Low-Income Directory for the state either at the time of qualification to begin teaching service or at the time the TEACH Grant was awarded.

☐ I 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 at https://studentloans.gov.

☐ I have signed the TEACH Grant Agreement to Serve at https://studentloans.gov.

Confirm that you 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

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PHYSICAL SIGNATURE REQUIRED – DO NOT TYPE

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I understand that the U.S. Department of Education TEACH Grant program has specific obligations that I must meet in order for the award to remain as a grant. If I do not meet all of the conditions of the grant and, if the conditions are not documented as required, I understand that the U.S. Department of Education will permanently convert the grant to a federal direct unsubsidized loan. I will be responsible for repayment of the loan to the U.S. Department of Education, with loan interest and terms as calculated for federal direct loans. I understand that once the U.S. Department of Education has converted the TEACH Grant to a loan, it cannot be converted back to a grant.

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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