Welcome to the UCSB Teacher Education Program Information Meeting

Today, we’ll cover:

- What credentials we offer
- What makes our program unique
- What your year with us might look like
- How to apply
Commit one year to become an exceptional teacher leader

Teacher Education Program - Gevirtz Graduate School of Education - UC Santa Barbara
Teacher Education Program CREDENTIALS

SPECIAL EDUCATION

EDUCATION SPECIALIST Teaching Credential (ESC)
Teach students with Mild to Moderate, or Extensive Support Needs

“I want to be a special education teacher.”

SECONDARY

SINGLE SUBJECT Teaching Credential (SST)
Teach Jr. High or High School students in a single subject:
Science / Math / English / History, Social Science / World Languages

“I want to teach Jr. High or High School.”

ELEMENTARY

MULTIPLE SUBJECT Teaching Credential (MST)
Teach grades K-8 in self-contained classrooms

“I want to be an Elementary school teacher.”
Earn your Credential AND Master’s Degree in 12 Months!

Deeper Understanding + Higher Earning Potential
ONE COHORT PER YEAR FOR EACH PROGRAM

Smaller class sizes

Stay with your own cohort group throughout the program

Know and be known by all your instructors
INTEGRATED UNIVERSITY CLASSES AND K-12 SCHOOL EXPERIENCE

A full year immersion of supported classroom teaching from August to June at one of our partner schools
UCSB provides you with well-planned, integrated experiences that prepare you to be a teacher leader, like:

- **Close mentoring + supervision**
- **Developmental sequence of courses**
- **Connection with one cohort all year**
- **Full-immersion in a K-12 classroom to strengthen your practice in practice**
- **Efforts aimed to narrow opportunity gaps**
WHAT WILL YOUR YEAR LOOK LIKE?
YEAR – AT – A – GLANCE

**Summer**

**UCSB**
Foundational coursework, on campus all days of the week

**K-12 Schools**
Student teaching begins mid-August

**Fall**

**UCSB**
Coursework focuses on designing learning experiences for diverse learners

**K-12 Schools**
Part-time student teaching
Grow from observing to taking over teaching for short period

**Winter**

**UCSB**
Coursework focuses on observation and reflection of your teaching

**K-12 Schools**
Part-time student teaching at a new placement, taking on more responsibility

**Spring**

**UCSB**
Coursework focuses on developing as a professional educator

**K-12 Schools**
Full-time student teaching
### Multiple Subject Program (MST)

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*Class occurs every other week
UCSB TEP STUDENTS:

Value the **power of education**

Represent our **diverse communities**

Practice **curiosity** and **lifelong learning**

Emphasize **student-driven** and **relationship-centric learning**

Advocate with their **underserved students**

Become teacher leaders who **strive to improve the educational system**
APPLYING TO THE UCSB TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAM

VIEW OUR APPLICATION HANDBOOK FOR MORE INFORMATION

www.education.ucsb.edu/TEP   (805) 893-2084   tepapp@education.ucsb.edu
UCSB TEP APPLICATION STEPS

1) Complete your application prerequisites
2) Apply online using the Graduate Division eApp
3) Attend interviews
4) Complete other program/state requirements

2023 APPLICATION DEADLINE: January 13, 2023
APPLICATION PREREQUISITES

PRE-PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

40 total hours are required

By January 13, 2023:
- 20 hours
- In a U.S. K-12 school, during the regular school day

By July 1, 2023:
- Remaining 20 hours
- Can include other experiences working with K-12 students

How to submit: Complete the Pre-Professional Requirement Google Form.

Contact Pre-Professional Coordinator, Katie Blackwell, with any questions at kblackwell@ucsb.edu.
You may satisfy the Basic Skills Requirement with **ONE** of the following options:

- **The California Basic Educational Skills Test (CBEST Exam)**
- Qualifying Scores on the **SAT, ACT, or Advanced Placement Exams**
  - See our [application handbook](#) for qualifying score details.
- **CSET Exams** #101, #214, #225, & #142
  - Only recommended for MST applicants
- **CSU Placement Exam** or CSU Early Assessment Program
  - See our [application handbook](#) for qualifying score details.
- Qualifying **Coursework**
  - See our [application handbook](#) for details.

*You can now mix and match math/reading/writing scores from different tests!*

Proof of passage CBEST or completion of other option by **January 13, 2023**
SUBJECT MATTER REQUIREMENT

To earn any teaching credential, you must verify that you are competent in your chosen subject. You may do so using **ONE** of the following options:

- **The CSET Exams**
  - See our [application handbook](#) for a list of which tests to take, based on your subject.
  - Check out our [test preparation resources](#)!

- **Undergraduate Major**
  - See our [application handbook](#) for a list of approved majors.

- **CTC-Approved Subject Matter Waiver Program**
  - Completed during your undergraduate career.
  - [Approved program listing](#)

- **Coursework Evaluation**
  - See our [application handbook](#) for a self-evaluation template to complete and submit.

*Please note at this time, we will only review coursework evaluations for admitted students.*

Proof of scheduled CSET or completion of other option by **January 13, 2023**
Submit the verification documents for:

- Basic Skill Requirement
- Subject Matter Requirement

via our Google Form.
OPTIONAL STATEMENTS

Financial Aid Statement

- Submit if you would like to be considered for a departmental grant based on financial need.

These are both also found on our Google Form.

Bilingual Authorization Statement

- Submit if you would like to be considered for our Bilingual Authorization in Spanish.
COMPLETE THE eAPP

Application Deadline: January 13, 2023

Start your application now!

Application Fee: $135

Letters of Recommendation

- 3 are required, submit up to 4
- Pre-professional experience recommender encouraged
- Consider other areas of strength that you’d like to highlight
COMPLETE THE eAPP

Statements & Supplemental Documents

1) **Resume**
   - Cover previous employment, volunteer, and pre-professional experience.

2) **Statement of Purpose**
   - Please note that the TEP essay prompts *differ from the eApp prompts*.
   - Prompts can be found in our [Application Handbook](#).

3) **Personal History & Diversity Statement**
   - Prompt can be found in our [Application Handbook](#).

4) **GPA Supporting Statement** *(UCSB requires minimum GPA of 3.0)*
   - Prompt can be found in our [Application Handbook](#).
Interview with TEP!

2023 Interview Dates

- Saturday, January 28, 2023 – Virtual
- Saturday, February 4, 2023 – On campus
- Saturday, February 11, 2023 – On campus

✓ your email.

We will invite you to interview after you submit your application.

- Showcase your communication and teaching skills.
- Meet with various partners who make up TEP.
- Interviews may be in an individual setting, group setting, or both, depending on the program.
These requirements are all due **July 1, 2023**.

More information can be found in the [application handbook](#).
Certificate of Clearance

2 step process:

- [Online Application](#) with the Commission on Teacher Credentialing
- [Fingerprinting](#) background check submitted to CTC

Mandated Reporter Training

- All educators, including student teachers, are mandated reporters.
- General Training and School Personnel Training needed.
- Free training available [HERE](#).

Tuberculosis Clearance

- Submit proof of a negative risk assessment, or a negative skin or blood tuberculosis test.
CPR Certification

- Include CPR & first aid for adults, children, and infants.
- Must be valid during 2023-24 Academic Year.
- Approved by American Heart Association or American Red Cross.
- In-person assessment is required, but online coursework completion okay.

We offer a CPR Certification Workshop in the Summer!

U.S. Constitution Requirement

- To ensure teachers know the principles of the US Constitution
- A course you took may apply, check the Application Handbook
- Online Exam Option at www.usconstitutionexam.com
OTHER PROGRAM/STATE REQUIREMENTS

HOW TO SUBMIT

Please submit all remaining program/credential requirement documents via our Google Form.

Reminder: You can submit this form multiple times as you work on these requirements.
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

www.education.ucsb.edu/tep/prospective-students/financial-assistance

TUITION & FEE ESTIMATE

~$18,400 in total tuition and fees (~$4,600 per quarter). See our website for a more detailed breakdown.

TWO ACADEMIC YEARS (2022-23 & 2023-24)

NOTE: Our program spans two academic years.
- Summer quarter (M23) is a part of the 2022-23 AY.
- FWS are a part of the 2023-24 AY.

Aid that is available in Summer includes: Community Teaching Fellowship, TEACH Grant, Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan, Graduate Plus Loan.

NOTE FOR DREAM SCHOLARS

Undocumented students enrolled in UCSB’s Teacher Education Program will need to complete a California Dream Act Application in order to be eligible for CA resident tuition and fees and to apply for and receive private scholarships funded through UCSB, state-administered financial aid, university grants, and Cal Grants. Please note that federal aid is not available to Dream scholars.
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1. LOCAL FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
   • Community Teaching Fellowship ($36,000 OR $40,000, based on financial need)

2. FEDERAL & STATE GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND LOANS
   • 5th Year Cal Grant Teaching Credential Benefits (covers FWS cost of tuition)
   • Golden State Teacher Grant (up to $20,000)
   • Noyce Scholarships for Science and Mathematics Teachers ($15,000)
   • TEACH Grant ($4,000)
   • Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan (up to $20,500)
   • Graduate Plus Loans (covers all other education costs)

3. PROGRAM BLOCK GRANTS
   Based on financial need and professional promise ($2,000-$6,000)
   45-60 given each year

4. PRIVATELY FUNDED FELLOWSHIPS AND SCHOLARSHIPS
   A variety of privately funded fellowships awarded to current TEP students ($1,000-$5,000)
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