Welcome to the Teacher Education Program Information Meeting

Today, we’ll cover:

What is UCSB TEP?  
How do I apply?
Commit one year to become an exceptional teacher leader
Teacher Education Program CREDENTIALS

SPECIAL EDUCATION

“$I$ want to be a special education teacher.”

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

SECONDARY

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

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

ELEMENTARY

“I want to be an Elementary school teacher.”

MULTIPLE SUBJECT Teaching Credential (MST)
Teach grades K-8 in self-contained classrooms
Earn your Credential **AND** Master’s Degree in 12 Months!

Deeper Understanding + Higher Earning Potential
UCSB provides you with well-planned, integrated experiences that prepare you to be a teacher leader, like:

- Developmental sequence of courses
- Close mentoring + supervision
- Connection with one cohort all year
- Full-immersion in a K-12 classroom to strengthen your practice
- Efforts aimed to narrow achievement gaps
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

UC Santa Barbara

Santa Barbara High School
WHAT WILL YOUR YEAR LOOK LIKE?
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<td>Foundational coursework, on campus all days of the week</td>
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## WHAT DOES A WEEK LOOK LIKE?

### Multiple Subject Program (MST)

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*Typical Fall Quarter*
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 for their **underserved students**

Become **teacher leaders** who are motivated to **improve the educational system**
UCSB TEP APPLICATION STEPS

1) Complete your application prerequisites
2) Apply online using the Graduate Division eApp
3) Attach supporting documents
4) Attend on-campus interviews

2020 APPLICATION DEADLINE: January 31, 2020
1) APPLICATION PREREQUISITES

☐ Pre-Professional Experience
20 hours (of 40 total) due by January 31, 2020

☐ Basic Skills Requirement
Passed by January 31, 2020

☐ Subject Matter Requirement
CSETs taken by January 31, 2020;
CSETs or Subject Matter Waiver Program passed by start of program.
PRE-PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

The opportunity to volunteer in a local K-12 classroom under the mentorship of a credentialed teacher.

- **40** total hours are required.
  - **20** hours are due by **January 31, 2020**
  - Remaining **20** are due by **July 1, 2020**

- Submit your hours by emailing your Fieldwork Verification Form to our Pre-Professional Coordinator, Katie Blackwell, at kblackwell@ucsb.edu.
BASIC SKILLS REQUIREMENT

You must satisfy the Basic Skills Requirement using **ONE** of the five following options:

1) The **California Basic Educational Skills Test** *(CBEST Exam)*

2) The **California Subjects Examinations** for Teachers *(CSET Exam)*
   Exams #101, #214, #103, and #142 – best for MST & ESC applicants

3) CSU Early Assessment Program or **CSU Placement Exam**

4) Qualifying Scores on the **SAT or ACT**
   - ACT (Math = 23, English = 22)
   - SAT (Math = 550, English Critical Reading = 500)

5) Qualifying Scores on the College Board **Advanced Placement Exams**
   Score of 3 or higher on both a Math and English test:
   - Math - AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, **or** AP Statistics
   - English - AP English Language & Composition **or** AP English Literature and Composition
SUBJECT MATTER COMPETENCY

To earn any teaching credential, you must verify that you are competent in your chosen subject matter. This can be achieved in one of two ways:

1) CSET Exam(s) – These will vary per subject
2) Completion of a CTC-Approved Subject Matter Waiver Program as an Undergraduate

The California Subjects Examinations for Teachers (CSET Exam)

- For SST – Your subtests will vary by the subject you want to teach.
- For MST – Three (3) CSET subtests are required to verify your competence in an array of subject matters.
- For ESC – You have the option of choosing the multiple subjects CSET or a single subject series.

Check out our test preparation resources!
2) APPLY ONLINE

☐ Complete the Graduate Division eApp

☐ Letters of Recommendation

☐ Statements and Supplemental Documents

Application Fee: $120

Application Deadline: January 31, 2020
LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

TEP recommends your 3 Letters of Recommendations be from:

– Academic
  - Previous professor who can attest to your capacity to do graduate work

– Pre-Professional Experience
  - Educator who has supervised your interactions in an academic environment

– Nonacademic
  - Supervisor from work experience, internship, or teaching experience
1) **Statement of Purpose**
- Please note that the TEP essay prompts differ from the eApp prompts.
- Prompts can be found in our [Application Handbook](#).

2) **Personal Achievements and Contributions**
- Please note that the TEP essay prompts differ from the eApp prompts.
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3) **Resume / Curriculum Vita**
- 1 page covering previous employment, volunteer, and pre-professional experience

4) **Supplemental Documents Checklist**
- This is your application checklist and shows us where you’re at with testing and other requirements.

5) **GPA Supporting Statement** *(UCSB requires minimum GPA of 3.0)*
- If your GPA is below 3.0, please submit an additional GPA Supporting Statement (i.e., factors that contributed to lower GPA during undergraduate period)
3) SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS / STATE REQUIREMENTS

Please submit all supporting documents to tepapp@education.ucsb.edu

- Basic Skills Requirement
  - Due: With application by January 31, 2020

- Subject Matter Competency

- Certificate of Clearance

- U.S. Constitution Requirement
  - Due: July 1, 2020
  - More info in our Application Handbook!

- TB Test Clearance

- CPR Certification
CERTIFICATE OF CLEARANCE

2 step process:
- Commission on Teacher Credentialing Online Application: Submit HERE!
- NEW fingerprint background check with DOJ and FBI

U.S. CONSTITUTION REQUIREMENT

- A course you took may apply, check the Application Handbook
- Online Exam Option at www.usconstitutionexam.com

TB TEST CLEARANCE

Submit proof of Tuberculosis Clearance to the TEP Office

CPR CERTIFICATION

- Include CPR for adults, children, and infants
- Must be valid during 2020-21 Academic Year
- Approved by American Heart Association or American Red Cross
- Be completed via classroom setting (NOT online!)

We offer a CPR Certification Workshop in the Summer!
4) ON-CAMPUS INTERVIEWS

Your opportunity to shine, in person!

✓ your email. We will invite you to an on-campus group screening interview after you submit your application.

2020 Interview Dates

- Saturday, February 8th, 2020
- Saturday, February 22nd, 2020
- Saturday, February 29th, 2020
FEDERAL & COUNTY ASSISTANCE

FEDERAL GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND LOANS

- **TEACH Grant** ($4,000)
- **5th Year Cal Grant Teaching Credential Benefits** (covers cost of tuition)
- **Scholarships for Science and Mathematics Teachers** ($ varies)
- **Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan** (up to $20,500)
- **Graduate Plus Loans** (covers all other education costs)
- **How to Apply:** File for FAFSA (twice; once for Summer, another for the school year) and see the application links on our Financial Aid Website

LOCAL SOLUTIONS GRANT

- For **Education Specialist Credentials** (up to $20,000)
- **Reimbursement** of student debt incurred while obtaining a credential
- **How to Apply:** TEP will send out the application to ESC students. Apply by June 1 of your graduating year.
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

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

TEP GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS

PROGRAM BLOCK GRANTS

• 45-60 given each year
• Based on financial need and professional promise ($2,000-$6,000)
• How to Apply: Express interest on the eApp Financial Aid question on Personal Achievements & Contributions

PRIVATELY FUNDED FELLOWSHIPS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

• A variety of privately funded fellowships ($500-$5,000)
• How to Apply: TEP students may apply during the school year. See our Financial Aid Website

DREAM SCHOLARS

• DREAM Scholars enrolled in UCSB’s Teacher Education Program will be required to complete a California Dream Act Application.
• This provides you with the eligibility to receive private scholarships funded through public universities, state-administered financial aid, university grants, and Cal Grants.
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CalTeach is a UC system-wide program to recruit exceptional mathematics and science majors into K-12 teaching.

If you are an undergrad interested in teaching K-12 Mathematics or Science, then the CalTeach courses and the Science/Math ED Minor will give you a head start on your teaching career!

Introductory CalTeach COURSES

- **Ed 128**: CalTeach, Elementary Mathematics Education
- **Ed 129**: CalTeach, Elementary Science Education
- **Ed 130**: CalTeach, Secondary Mathematics Education
- **Ed 131**: CalTeach, Secondary Science Education

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CalTeach Webpage
www.education.ucsb.edu/calteach

Science and Mathematics Education Minor Webpage
www.education.ucsb.edu/minors/science-and-mathematics-education-minor
This course will introduce you to:

• Developing **methods and practice** to teach math in grades K-6
• Strengthening math **content knowledge**
• Understanding **student thought processes** as they learn the material
  • Includes strategies, models, big ideas, and obstacles that will emerge
• Learning how **content and context** interact to create successful learning

No formal mathematics training required

For undergraduates considering Elementary School (K-6) teaching

Offered Winter/Spring 2020