

TEACH
2017-2018

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| For Office Use Only | |
| Origination Date: | |
| TEACH Entrance Counseling: | |
| TEACH Agreement to Serve: | |
| GPA or GRE/GMAT Verified: | |

2017-2018 TEACH Grant Application UC SANTA BARBARA FINANCIAL AID OFFICE

A. Student Information

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| _____ Last Name (PRINT) First Name M.I. | | | _____ Perm Number |
| _____ Address (include apartment number) | | | _____ Date of Birth |
| _____ City | _____ State | _____ ZIP Code | _____ Phone Number (include area code) |

B. Grant Information

The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program provides grants of up to \$4,000* per year to students who agree to teach for four years at an elementary school, secondary school, or educational service agency that serves students from low-income families and to meet other requirements.

* Based on Federal sequestration, the TEACH Grant awards for which the first disbursement is made on or after October 1, 2016 and before October 1, 2017 must be reduced by 6.9 percent (\$276), resulting in a maximum award of up to \$3,724.

C. Initial Eligibility

- Complete the **2017-2018 FAFSA** at www.fafsa.ed.gov
- Meet a cumulative GPA of at least 3.25 **or** score above the 75th Percentile on one or more portions of a college admissions test. (UCSB'S OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIPS will verify this through the UCSB Graduate Division)
- Complete a 2017-2018 **TEACH Grant Entrance Counseling AND Agreement to Serve (ATS)** at www.studentloans.gov.

D. Conditions of Service Obligation

If you do not meet the requirements of your service obligation, all TEACH Grant funds you received will be converted to a Direct Unsubsidized Loan. In exchange for receiving a TEACH Grant, you must agree to the following:

- Maintain a cumulative GPA of at least 3.25 throughout the academic year
- Fulfill the terms of the TEACH Grant Agreement to Serve
- You must serve as a full-time teacher for a total of at least four academic years within eight years after you complete or otherwise cease to be enrolled in the program for which you received the TEACH Grant funds
- You must perform the teaching service as a highly qualified teacher at a low-income school or educational service agency
- Your teaching service must be in a high-need field
- You must provide ED with documentation of your progress toward completing your service obligation

E. Student Certification

I understand that the TEACH Grant program has specific service obligations that must be met in order for the award to remain as a grant. If I fail to meet all the conditions of the award or if the conditions are not documented as required, I understand that the award will permanently convert to an unsubsidized Federal Stafford Loan and I will be responsible to repay this loan with interest calculated from the disbursement date of the grant. I understand that once a TEACH Grant is converted to a loan; it cannot be converted back to a grant.

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____