



TEXAS WOMAN'S
UNIVERSITY™

2025-2026 TEACH GRANT REQUEST FORM

Student's Name _____ **ID Number (7 digits)** _____

TEACH GRANT ELIGIBILITY

To receive a Federal TEACH Grant, you must:

- Complete the 2025-2026 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at <https://www.fafsa.gov>.
- Be enrolled in coursework that is necessary to begin a career in teaching or plan to complete such coursework. Or coursework that will prepare a student to teach in a high-need subject area (e.g., math courses for a student who intends to be a math teacher) is acceptable.
- Be a U.S. citizen, U.S. national or permanent resident.
- Not have defaulted on or owe a refund to any previous student aid program.
- Maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP). The TWU's SAP policy is found online at www.twu.edu/finaid.

SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY THE STUDENT

Initial one of the following:

_____ I have a cumulative college GPA of at least a 3.25 or a score above the 75th percentile on one of the following college admissions tests – ACT, SAT or GRE; or

_____ I am a retired teacher returning to teaching or retired from another occupation with expertise in a field where there is a shortage of teachers and therefore exempt from the GPA requirement.

Check one of the following:

I am currently seeking a degree in the high need subject area I have checked below:

_____ Bilingual Education _____ Reading Specialist _____ Career & Technical Education _____ Special Education
_____ Mathematics _____ Foreign Language _____ Family & Consumer Sciences _____ Science

By signing and submitting this application for the Federal TEACH Grant,

- I am establishing that I am enrolled in or plan to enroll in a program that will prepare me to teach in a high-need subject area, as defined at <https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/pol/tsa.html#list>.
- I understand that to prevent my grant from becoming a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan, I must teach full-time, in a high-need subject for at least four years, at schools that serve students from low-income families. A sample listing of schools serving low-income families can be found at <https://studentaid.gov/tcli/>.
- I understand that I will not receive any TEACH grant funds until I meet all eligibility requirements.
- I understand that my TEACH grant award will be prorated each semester if I am enrolled less than full-time.
- I understand that I must complete the TEACH Grant Agreement to Serve and TEACH Grant Loan Counseling online at <https://studentaid.gov/teach-grant-program>.
- I understand that certification of this form by the TWU Office of Educator Preparation Services (OEPS) does not guarantee receipt of grant funds or acceptance into the TWU EPP.

Student Signature _____

Date _____

**Once signed, submit the form to the TWU Office of Educator Preparation Services (OEPS).*

SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY THE TWU OFFICE OF EDUCATOR PREPARATION SERVICES (OEPS)

I certify that the student is enrolled in or will be enrolled in the high need subject area checked below:

_____ Bilingual Education _____ Reading Specialist _____ Career & Technical Education _____ Special Education
_____ Mathematics _____ Foreign Language _____ Family & Consumer Sciences _____ Science

If student is not eligible for a TEACH Grant, please check the reason listed below:

_____ Not in an eligible program _____ GPA below 3.25 _____ Other _____

Certifier's Name (please print) _____

Certifier's Title _____

Certifier's Signature _____

Date Certified _____

**OEPS will send the completed form to the TWU Financial Aid Office*

Texas Woman's University Financial Aid Office

Website: <https://www.twu.edu/finaid>

Mail: Financial Aid 304 Administration Dr. Denton, TX 76204 **Phone:** (940) 898-3064 **Fax:** (940) 898-3068 **Email:** finaid@twu.edu