

2025



2024-2025 Request for Federal TEACH Grant Consideration

Student Name _____

Student ISU ID Number _____

In order to be considered for the Federal TEACH Grant at Illinois State University, you must be enrolled as a **first bachelors or graduate** student in one of the following majors. Please check the box that applies to your major.

- Elementary Bilingual Bicultural Education
- Foreign Language Teacher Education (French, German, Spanish)
- Mathematics Teacher Education
- Middle Level Teacher Education (with intention to teach in a high-need field)
- Science Teacher Education (Biology, Chemistry, Earth and Space Science, Geography, Physics)
- Special Education (Deaf & Hard Hearing, Learning & Behavior, Low Vision & Blindness)
- Elementary Education
- Reading MSED

The Federal TEACH Grant has other conditions and criteria. Check all that apply.

- I have completed The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). You do not have to demonstrate financial need for this grant.
- I am a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen.
- I meet one of the following academic achievement requirements.
 - I scored above the 75th percentile in at least one subject on my ACT or SAT test (Please attach a copy of your ACT or SAT scores)
 - I have established a 3.25 cumulative GPA or higher at ISU
 - I am a transfer student and I have established a 3.25 cumulative GPA at another institution
 - I am an entering freshman with a high school GPA of 3.25 or above.

I understand if I am awarded the Federal TEACH Grant, I must meet the following requirements before the GRANT will apply to my student account. Please check the boxes below to acknowledge the requirements.

- Annually sign a TEACH Grant Agreement to Serve, stating that I will complete the required four years of teaching service within eight years after completing my program of study. If I fail to meet this teaching requirement, I understand that my grant will become a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan and I will have to repay the full amount plus interest to the United States Department of Education.
- Annually complete TEACH Grant entrance counseling
- Maintain a 3.25 ISU cumulative GPA. (This requirement is waived for recipients who have scored above the 75th percentile in at least one subject on the ACT or SAT test.)

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Please fax the completed form to: (309) 438-3755 or mail to: Financial Aid Office, Campus Box 2320, Normal, IL 61790-2320