



DEADLINES:	
Academic Scholarships	March 15, 2017
Summer Financial Aid	March 15, 2017
Fall/Spring Financial Aid	March 15, 2017
Spring Only Financial Aid	Sept. 1, 2017

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2017 – 2018 TEACH GRANT REQUEST FORM

To receive Federal TEACH Grant funds, you must:

1. Complete the 2017-2018 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/index.htm>.
2. Complete the 2017-2018 Certification and Information Form at www.twu.edu/finaid
3. Sign and submit this form to the TWU College of Professional Education (Keep a copy for your records.)
4. Certify one of the following:
 - _____ I have a cumulative college GPA of at least 3.25 or score above the 75th percentile on one of the following college admissions test(s) - ACT, SAT or GRE, or
 - _____ I am a retired teacher returning to teaching or retiree from another occupation with expertise in a field where there is a shortage of teachers and therefore exempt from the GPA requirement.
5. Be enrolled in coursework that is necessary to begin a career in teaching or plan to complete such coursework. 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.
6. Be a U.S. citizen, U.S. national, or permanent resident.
7. Not have defaulted on or owe a refund to any previous student aid program.
8. Award will be prorated each semester based on enrollment status if less than full-time.
9. Maintain satisfactory academic progress as defined by the TWU Financial Aid Satisfactory Academic Progress policy. These requirements are available on the TWU Student Financial Aid web site at www.twu.edu/finaid.
10. If awarded a TEACH Grant you must complete the TEACH Grant Agreement to Serve on line at <https://teach-ats.ed.gov/ats/index.action> and complete TEACH Grant Loan Counseling online at <https://teach-ats.ed.gov/ats/index.action>.

This section to be completed by student

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>. It is my understanding 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://www.tcli.ed.gov/CBSWebApp/tcli/TCLIPubSchoolSearch.jsp>.

Student Name _____ Student TWU ID Number _____
 (Please Print)

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

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| _____ Bilingual Education & English Language Acquisition | _____ Reading Specialist | _____ Family and Consumer Sciences |
| _____ Mathematics | _____ Foreign Language | |
| _____ Science | _____ Special Education | |

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Submit this form to the TWU College of Professional Education

This section to be completed by Bonnie Lowther, Linda Kobler, Robin Shawn, or Isabel Howington in the TWU College of Professional Education (COPE)

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

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| _____ Bilingual Education | _____ Reading Specialist | _____ Career and Technical Education |
| _____ Mathematics | _____ Foreign Language | (Family and Consumer Sciences) |
| _____ Science | _____ Special Education | |

_____ Certifiers Name (please print)

_____ Certifiers Title

_____ Certifiers Signature

_____ Date Certified

COPE Staff: If student is not eligible for TEACH Grant please check reason listed below:

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

COPE send completed form to the TWU Financial Aid Office.