

## Graduate TEACH Grant - Pre-Application

<b>Name:</b> _____	
<b>Date of Birth:</b> _____	<b>MSU Denver ID #:</b> _____
<b>E-mail:</b> _____	<b>Phone Number:</b> _____
I affirm that I have read, understood, and agreed to this form in its entirety and that the information supplied is true and complete.	
<b>Signature:</b> _____	<b>Date:</b> _____

Only students who are pursuing a Master's of Arts in Teaching with a concentration in Special Education qualify for the Federal Graduate TEACH Grant (GTEACH) at MSU Denver.

**Do not submit this Pre-Application if you are not currently enrolled in this program.**

Other eligibility requirements include:

- GPA of 3.25+ or score within the 75th percentile in any battery of the ACT/SAT
  - Citizen or eligible non-citizen
  - Complete Financial Aid file (although need is NOT a factor)
  - Completing the Master in the Art of Teaching in Special Education program
- ✓ *Students who are retired teachers or who are currently teaching are exempt from the 3.25 GPA requirement.*

Students receiving the Federal GTEACH Grant **agree to teach full-time for at least four years in a Title I school within eight years of receiving their Master's degree.** A majority of the classes taught within this period must be in Special Education. If the student fails to do so, the Federal Graduate TEACH Grant is retroactively converted to an unsubsidized loan, accruing interest as of the date of the first disbursement.

If you are offered and decide to accept the GTEACH Grant, you will need to complete the program Agreement to Serve at <http://studentaid.gov/teach-grant-program> to qualify for disbursement.

For information regarding award amounts and limits, visit our Grants for Graduate Students webpage at: <https://www.msudenver.edu/financial-aid/graduate-students/>