

How It Works

Getting Certified

Teachers of Tomorrow makes the path to certification simple and achievable:

GET ELIGIBLE

The quality preparation we provide combines individualized test strategy, flexible training, and everything you need to begin your career in teaching.

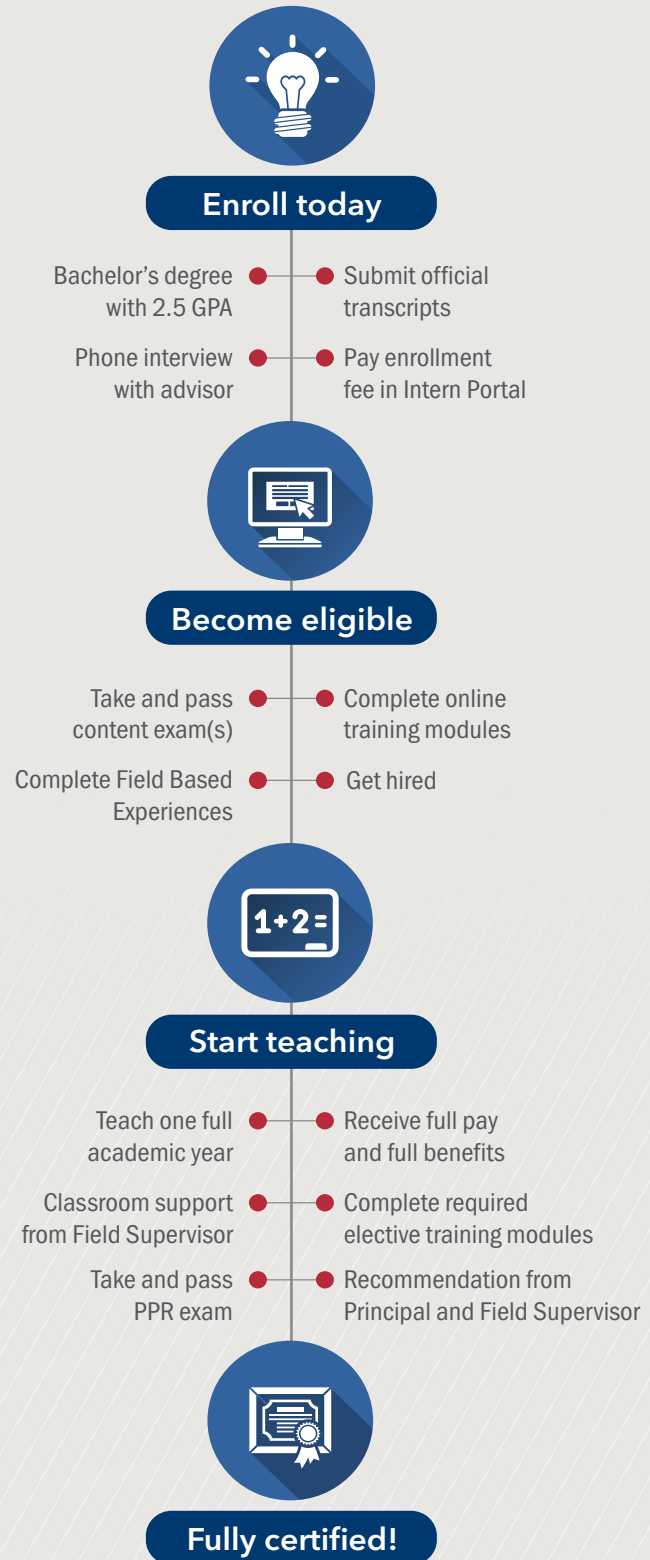
START TEACHING

Teach for two academic semesters with full pay and benefits while receiving classroom support from your Field Supervisor and Campus Mentor.

FULLY CERTIFIED

Upon successful completion of all Texas Teachers program requirements and your first year teaching, you will be fully certified to teach in the state of Texas!

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Enroll Today

All you need is a four year bachelor's degree in any major with a 2.5 GPA. After receiving your application, a Program Advisor will work with you to develop a personalized strategy to earning your Standard Certificate. Our advisors will first guide you through the process of becoming eligible and applying for the Intern Certificate through the Texas Education Agency (TEA).

[APPLY NOW](#)



Become Eligible

The quality preparation we provide combines individualized test strategy, flexible training, and everything you need to get hired and begin your career in teaching.

Once you apply, a Program Advisor will conduct a personalized one-on-one interview with you about your background, experiences, and your passion for the teaching field. A Program Advisor will evaluate your transcripts and provide guidance on specific certification areas based on your interests and qualifications.

TESTING

We provide guidance and resources to help you prepare for state exams. Upon admission, you will need to pass the applicable TExEs content test(s) that corresponds to the subject area you are pursuing as a teacher.

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Admission Requirements:

- Bachelor's Degree from an accredited institution
- Minimum of a 2.5 GPA
- Submit official transcripts with date conferred
- Complete an application
- Interview with Program Advisor
- Enrollment Agreement
- Enrollment Fee

TRAINING

Developed by leading educators, our self-paced online training offers the most effective preparation for the classroom. Full access to teacher training is provided after you have met all admission requirements and are admitted into the Texas Teachers program.

Candidates in our teacher training program engage in a rigorous, research-based curriculum encompassing of 300 hours of professional training. Educational leaders provide the foundation of our curriculum, including the work of Dr. Robert Marzano, Dr. Madeline Hunter, Harry Wong, Dr. Benjamin Bloom, and Dr. Eric Jensen. Texas Teachers' training coursework is continually updated to provide the most relevant and effective classroom preparation.

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Start Teaching

Teach for two academic semesters with full pay and benefits as the teacher of record on an Intern Certificate. Receive ongoing support from your Field Supervisor, your on-campus mentor, and our expert Program Advisors while completing your requirements. Our team comes together to help you grow as an educator and guide you to full Standard Certification.

YOUR JOB OFFER

- After passing your subject exam(s), you will receive an Enrollment Letter stating that you have demonstrated Subject Matter Knowledge, which allows you to begin seeking employment.
- After completing your initial 152 clock hours of Classroom Readiness training and 30 hours of field based experiences, you will receive a Statement of Eligibility which states that you have completed all pre-service requirements.

Effective Preparation for Today's Classrooms

Woven throughout the training curriculum are the essential characteristics of effective teachers:

- Instructional rigor and student engagement
- Lesson preparation and content knowledge
- Instructional decision making
- Classroom management
- Child development
- Strategies for meeting the needs of all learners
- Ethics and professionalism

- Apply and pay for the Intern Certificate through TEA.
- Upon hire, fill out the I Got A Job Form on your Intern Portal and submit your Statement of Eligibility to your school's HR department to fill out and return it to Texas Teachers.
- We will work with you to set up a monthly payment plan for the remaining program balance.

YOUR INTERNSHIP YEAR

During this first year, you will lead your own classroom as a full-time teacher with full pay and benefits. You will be assigned a Field Supervisor and Campus Mentor to provide support, answer questions, and help guide you through any situation that may arise. You will begin teaching on an Intern Certificate while working towards full Standard Certification. The Intern Certificate is valid for one year.

Requirements during the internship year:

- Teach two full semesters as teacher of record.
- Complete approximately 50 clock hours of required elective coursework and content area test preparation;

and 72 hours of field experience projects (projects can be completed before or during Internship Year).

- Minimum of 5 classroom observation observations during the year scheduled with your assigned Field Supervisor.
- Complete and pass the Pedagogy and Professional Responsibilities (PPR) preparation and review.
- Pass the PPR exam: The pedagogy exam is designed to test your knowledge of the skills and competencies that are important for beginning teachers.

At the end of your internship year:

- Your Campus Principal and Field Supervisor each make a certification recommendation regarding your performance in the classroom.
- Apply and pay for your Standard Certificate through TEA.

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Full Certification

Once you've successfully completed the program requirements and your Internship Year, you will be ready to move onto your Standard Certificate and become a fully certified teacher in the state of Texas!



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Certification Areas

Consult with a Program Advisor to find the subject areas that match your skills and interests.

Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources (6-12)
American Sign Language (EC-12)
Art (EC-12)
Bilingual Education Supplemental-Spanish (EC-12)
Bilingual Education Supplemental-Vietnamese (EC-12)
Business and Finance (6-12)
Chemistry (7-12)
Core Subjects (EC-6)
Core Subjects (4-8)
Dance (6-12)
English Language Arts and Reading (4-8)
English Language Arts and Reading (7-12)
English Language Arts and Reading/Social Studies (4-8)
English as a Second Language Supplemental (EC-12)
Family and Consumer Sciences (6-12)
Health (EC-12)

Health Science (6-12)
History (7-12)
Journalism (7-12)
Languages Other Than English - Arabic (EC-12)
Languages Other Than English - French (EC-12)
Languages Other Than English - German (EC-12)
Languages Other Than English - Japanese (EC-12)
Languages Other Than English - Latin (EC-12)
Languages Other Than English - Mandarin (EC-12)
Languages Other Than English - Russian (EC-12)
Languages Other Than English - Spanish (EC-12)
Languages Other Than English - Vietnamese (EC-12)
Life Sciences (7-12)
Marketing (6-12)
Mathematics (4-8)
Mathematics (7-12)

Mathematics/Science (4-8)
Music (EC-12)
Physical Education (EC-12)
Physical Science/Mathematics/Engineering (6-12)
Physical Science (6-12)
Physics/Mathematics (7-12)
Science (4-8)
Science (7-12)
Social Studies (4-8)
Social Studies (7-12)
Special Education (EC-12)
Speech (7-12)
Technology Applications (EC-12)
Technology Education (6-12)
Theatre (EC-12)
Trade and Industrial Education (6-12)