



CONNECTICUT TEACHER RESIDENCY PROGRAM



2023–2024 Special Education Residency Pilot

The Connecticut Teacher Residency Program is an alternate route to elementary certification focused on increasing teachers of color across the state of Connecticut. Invited candidates from partner districts will be enrolled in rigorous coursework for months and serve in a paid residency position in a mentor teacher’s classroom for the 2023-24 school year. Residents will work in a partnering district and attend classes in one of our cohort locations in the central Connecticut region. Current partners are CREC, LEARN, CES, ACES, Hamden, New Britain, and Norwich.



Qualifications

- » Demonstrated commitment to diversity in the field of education
- » Experience working with marginalized populations
- » Bachelor’s degree required
- » Undergraduate GPA of 3.0 or greater*
- » Employed and recommended by one of the current partner districts listed above

**Candidates with an undergraduate GPA below a 3.0 may apply, but must complete a waiver request.*



Benefits

Year 1

- » Residents earn a salary plus benefits (Equivalent to \$28,000 from August 2023-June 2024) and two \$2000 summer stipends (or equivalent earnings)

Year 2

- » Eligible for a full-time teaching position in a partner district upon successfully completing the program and certification requirements.
- » Comprehensive Special Education certification with a three-year commitment to teach in a partner district.



Program Components

- » **Coursework** – Full-time summer classes and clinical experiences (Summer 2023 and 2024). Evening classes on Tuesdays and Thursdays (Sept 2023 – May 2024)
- » **Residency** – One year working with a Mentor Teacher for hands-on experience and student teaching: August 2023 – June 2024
- » **Certification** – edTPA, Foundations of Reading Test, Praxis II included
- » **Teaching** – Full-time teaching position and support beginning August 2024 through June 2027 and beyond

Learn more, register for an info session, or apply to the program at

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