

PUSD Classified to Teacher C2T Program

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Information Session March 2023



Become a Teacher Classified Employee Grant Opportunity



Agenda



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C2T Overview

This grant opportunity supports classified employees in obtaining their teaching credential or their Bachelor's degree on their way to a teaching credential.







The California Classified School Employee Teacher **Credentialing Program** addresses the state's teacher shortage in STEM, special education, bilingual education, and transitional kindergarten, by supporting local education agencies to recruit classified school employees into teaching careers and support their undergraduate education, professional teacher preparation, and certification as credentialed California teachers.

Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) website

In July 2021, the state appropriated funds to expand the California Classified School Employees Teacher Credentialing Program through June 2026.

Participants receive **financial assistance** to be used for **degree** and **credentialing-related expenses** such as tuition, fees, books, and examination costs.

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Eligibility

- Currently employed in a permanent PUSD classified position
- Minimum of an Associate of Arts (AA) Degree or 60 Units
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher
- 2 recommendation contacts (one a supervisor)

Priority will be given to applicants pursuing teaching credentials in the following areas:

- Special Education: *Mild to Moderate Support Needs* (MMSN) or Extensive Support Needs (ESN)
- Single Subject: Math, Science, or Spanish
- Multiple Subjects with Spanish Bilingual Authorization



Benefits

Participants receive:

- Financial assistance (up to \$4800) per year to be used for degree and credentialing-related expenses such as tuition, fees, books, and examination costs
- Credential Advising



Participant Commitment

- Earn a Bachelor's degree from a partnering institution of higher education
- Obtain a teaching credential
- Commit to one year of service as a teacher for every year of support in the program - *pending* available positions in PUSD



University Partners

PUSD is partnered with the following universities:

- California State University East Bay (CSUEB) Representatives: Dr. Chris Chamberlain Interim Associate Dean and Interim Chair, **Teacher Education** Kelly Moore, Multiple Subject Credential Coordinator Dania Massey, Single Subject Credential Coordinator
- National University (NU) Representatives: Dr. Ida Randall, Dr. Patricia Heydet-Kirsch

California State University, East Bay (CSUEB)

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Admissions Information for Teaching Credentials

Multiple Subject, Single Subject, and Education Specialist

Credential Info Session Information

National University (NU)

NU informational Flyer

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National UNIVERSITY

PARTNERSHIP BENEFITS

- Teaching Position in District
- Possible Stipend from District •
- Tuition Scholarships from National University
- Cohort Model
- Co-teaching
- Culture of Collaboration
- Test Prep Support



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Additional Information

Next Steps

- Review the <u>C2T Webpage</u> to access the C2T Application
- Application deadline is March 31, 2023
- Applicants will be notified of the status of their application via email by mid April
- If selected, applicants will meet with C2T Coordinator and university representative to plan next steps



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C2T Application

PUSD Classified to Teacher (C2T) Application

- Includes background information, education and personal statement questions
- Transcripts and test scores can be uploaded

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click Here to Apply

Questions?



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