

Intern Teacher Credential* & Masters of Arts in Teaching Graduate Program

Offered through Alternatives in Action, this job-embedded program supports you to work as a teacher while pursuing your Multiple or Single Subject California Preliminary Teaching Credential and your Master of Arts in Teaching degree.

Coursework is designed to help you improve student outcomes in real time. Relevant assignments bridge theory and practice. One-on-one coaching, onsite mentorship, caring professors, a dedicated advisor, and a cohort of peers provide ongoing support.

Learn more and apply at reach.edu/graduate-programs.

Tuition

\$7,500 per year

Program Length

Two years, or if qualified, one-year early completion option

Credentials Offered

- Multiple Subjects
- Single Subjects – Art, Business, English, Health Science, Foundational-Level Mathematics, Mathematics, Music, Physical Education, Science (Biological Science, Chemistry, Foundational-Level Science, and Physics), Social Science, World Languages (Languages other than English)

Eligibility

- Have a Bachelor's of Arts degree
- Be employed as a teacher of record for at least one class in the credential area and teach a minimum of 7.5 hours per week
- Be employed at a Reach employer partner (public or public charter school)
- Meet the Subject Matter Competency Requirement

Application-to-Completion Timeline

Before You Apply

August – February

- Determine which credential area you want to pursue
- Determine whether you have already met the subject matter competency requirement or if you will have to take the CSET or additional coursework in your content area
 - If needed, sign up for either the CSET, courses, or a combination (more information can be found here, bit.ly/intern-smcr)

Year 1

August – May

- Work as an intern teacher
- Complete year 1 of the program:
 - Engage in weekly synchronous seminars (on Zoom)
 - Complete weekly job-embedded coursework, coaching, and onsite mentorship

Application Window

February – May[^]

- Complete your **free** application at reach.edu/graduate-programs
- Secure a teaching job for the upcoming school year
- Meet the SMCR, if needed

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June – July

- Optional: take two electives to complete your master's degree

Preservice

May – July

- Once admitted to the program, complete your enrollment paperwork
- Complete orientation (synchronous)
- Complete the mostly asynchronous preservice course (required to be intern-eligible)

Year 2

August – May

- Continue working as a teacher while you complete year 2 of the program
- Graduate with a CA Preliminary Teaching Credential and a Master of Arts in Teaching

[^]We also offer a second application window in August–Sept. Sept enrollees complete preservice Oct–Dec become intern-eligible in Jan, and follow a Jan–Dec two-year program. For more information, please contact grad@reach.edu.