

Teacher Induction Program (TIP) General Information

What: A two-year (or one), job-embedded program that is focused on extensive support and mentoring to new teachers through individualized learning plans, inquiry cycles, and collaborative mentorship circles.

Why: To collaborate with a mentor and other teachers to co-construct knowledge, analyze and grow in your practice, and earn a clear teaching credential!

Program Goals

Each year in the program, candidates must demonstrate growth and development toward master of the California Standards for the Teaching Profession (CSTP) using their own classrooms for job-embedded action-research.

TIP Eligibility



Teacher of record for at least one class in the area in which the credential holder is authorized to teach and teaching a minimum of 60%.



Employed at a Reach partner LEA, school, or organization.



Holds a Preliminary Teaching or Education Specialist Credential.

Price:

(Includes both tuition and cost of Reach-provided Mentor)

Traditional 2 years: \$9,000 (\$4500/yr) ECO (1 year) Program: \$5,000

Scope and Sequence:

Y1 & ECO

Fall: Reach 325A Spring: Reach 335A

Y2

Fall: Reach 325B Spring: Reach 335B

ECO Information:

- Reach TIP makes available an Early Completion Option (ECO) for "experienced and exceptional" candidates who meet the program's established criteria. Information about ECO, a one-year pathway, will be provided during orientation.
- Reach Intern Candidates will be automatically enrolled in ECO without an application, with positive faculty recommendation, unless they opt into the traditional pathway.

Learn more at reach.edu

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