

2016-17 TEACH Grant Request Form

Name_____ WCUPA ID _____

Anticipated Enrollment; please fill out the number of credits you will be taking each term:

Fall ______ credits Spring ______ credits

GRANT INFORMATION: The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program provides grants to students who intend to teach in a public or private elementary or secondary school that serves students from low-income families. West Chester University requires applicants to be formally admitted into a qualifying education program (FATE milestone).

PLEASE REVIEW THE APPLICATION PROCEDURES ON OUR WEBSITE AND PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING **INFORMATION:**

2016-17 FAFSA is submitted with West Chester University listed. **YES NO**

Date_____ TEACH Grant Counseling Session was completed online (www.teach-ats.ed.gov)

Date I was formally admitted (FATE Milestone) into an eligible TEACH Grant Program (undergraduate students only).

Current Cumulative GPA ______ (requires a cumulative GPA of 3.25 or better)

My Eligible Program of Study_____

(please review the eligible programs of study provided on the TEACH grant page of our website)

PLEASE CERTIFY THAT YOU HAVE REVIEWED AND UNDERSTAND THE INFORMATION BELOW BY **INITIALING EACH STATEMENT:**

I understand that the TEACH Grant has a four-year service obligation that I must fulfill as a highly qualified teacher in a high-need field within a school that serves students from lowincome families for the award to remain a grant.

I understand that if I fail to meet all of the conditions of the award or if the conditions are not documented as required, the award will be permanently converted to a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Direct Loan and that I will be responsible to repay the loan with interest calculated from the date of each TEACH Grant disbursement.

I understand that once a TEACH Grant is converted to a loan, it cannot be converted back to a grant.

I will notify the Financial Aid Office immediately if I do not want to receive the TEACH Grant award. I may cancel or reduce my award at any point up to 14 days after funds have been disbursed

Student Signature_____

Date_____