

Highly-Qualified Teacher Grant
Expert Systems for Teachers Series® Online Courses
Taylor County Public Schools

What is the Highly-Qualified Teacher Grant?

The Highly-Qualified Teacher Grant has been established for teachers (novice or experienced) with new assignments, assignments “out-of-field” or not “Highly Qualified” to set them on a path to be “Highly Qualified” and “Highly Effective.” The grant provides tuition-free Expert Systems for Teachers Series® Online Courses, subject-specific instructional support materials, subject-specific mentoring support, Subject Area Exam SAE (SAE) test preparation materials, and the Florida Teacher Certification Exam (FTCE) fee. Over 100 courses are offered through the University of Florida (UF) and University of North Florida (UNF) Divisions of Continuing Education. View the universities link at http://thetlf.org/TLF_Universities.html

Who should enroll to take these online courses?

- Teachers assigned to a subject “out-of-field” and need to be “Highly Qualified” in the subject
- Teachers with a collegiate major or minor in a general subject area and are “technically qualified” to teach the subject who have not taught the specific subject previously
- Teachers of the subject that are interested in ways to improve their understanding of or delivery of the subject

How will I benefit?

- The course is a complete, sequential day-to-day map through the teaching of the course in your classroom with editable instructional support materials and subject-specific mentoring teacher access. Additionally, this “how to teach this subject” course is designed for use with any textbook you have been assigned.
- If you are “out-of-field” and need to take a Subject Area Exam (SAE) to be highly-qualified, 60 in-service credits are awarded to you upon passing the SAE; 60 in-service credits will be awarded upon passing the end-of-course content mastery test on the online course content. In addition, the grant provides each “out-of-field” teacher enrolled in the program FTCE Subject Area Exam test preparation materials and funding for the FTCE Subject Area Exam.
 - Although the 60 credits awarded by the UF and UNF Divisions of Continuing Education for the online course completion are not college credit, Brevard Public Schools (BPS) teachers can have the 60 course in-service credits transferred onto their Brevard ProGOE² transcript through our Master Inservice Plan by submitting the course certificate of completion to the Office of Professional Development, Brevard Public Schools.
 - Upon submission of a passing score to our office, an additional 60 in-service credits can be earned towards renewal of a professional teaching certificate for passing and adding the SAE to your

certificate. In addition, you will be designated as “Highly Qualified” in the subject upon passing the SAE and adding the certification area to your teaching certificate.

- If you **are** “Highly Qualified” in the subject, but the course content is new to you, 60 in-service credits will be awarded to BPS teachers contingent upon passing the online course’s end-of-course content mastery test and submitting your course certificate of completion to the Office of Professional Development, ESF (without the need to take the SAE).

What will I learn?

- The scope and sequence of the subject material
- The content and pedagogy to successfully deliver the material to your students
- How to engage your students in the subject on a daily basis

What is the course format and requirements? It is an online, asynchronous, independent study through a school year. Funding through the Highly-Quality Teacher Grant will provide a limited number of seats. You can register at any time on a first-come, first served basis. There is a subject-specific pre-test and post-test for each online course. The pre-test does not count toward the grade as it only establishes a baseline of content knowledge. To pass the online course the post-test must be passed with a score of 70% or better.

Where can I find the list of 100 courses with additional details?

http://www.thetlf.org/TLF_Universities.html

What Master Inservice Plan Component identifier number code will be used to transfer the online course credits onto my transcript? (list continues on pages 3-5)

Subject Area	<i>Expert Systems for Teachers^(TM) Series Course</i>	NEFEC MIP Component Identifier Code
AP (Advanced Placement)	AP Art History (AP®Aligned*)	1-000-001
AP (Advanced Placement)	AP Biology (AP®Aligned*)	1-1015-001
AP (Advanced Placement)	AP Calculus (AP®Aligned*)	1-009-001
AP (Advanced Placement)	AP Chemistry (AP®Aligned*)	1-015-001
AP (Advanced Placement)	AP Environmental Science (AP®Aligned*)	1-015-001
AP (Advanced Placement)	AP History of Europe (AP®Aligned*)	1-016-001
AP (Advanced Placement)	AP Language and Composition (AP®Aligned*)	1-008-001
AP (Advanced Placement)	AP Literature and Composition (AP®Aligned*)	1-008-001
AP (Advanced Placement)	AP Physics (AP®Aligned*)	1-015-001
AP (Advanced Placement)	AP and Regular Psychology (AP®Aligned*) 2TM's	1-016-001
AP (Advanced Placement)	AP Statistics (AP®Aligned*)	1-009-001
AP (Advanced Placement)	AP U.S. History (AP®Aligned*)	1-016-001
ART	Elementary Art K-6 (7 TM's)	1-000-001
ART	Art 1 (HS) - 2 TM's	1-000-001
ART	Art 2 (HS)	1-000-001
ART	Art 3 - Multimedia (HS)	1-000-001

BUSINESS & COMPUTER SCIENCE	HTML (MS or HS) 2TM's	3-404-001
BUSINESS & COMPUTER SCIENCE	Keyboarding (MS or HS)	3-404-001
BUSINESS & COMPUTER SCIENCE	Office Procedures (HS)	3-404-001
COMMUNICATIONS	Middle School Journalism (MS) 2TM's	1-008-001
COMMUNICATIONS	Journalism (HS)	1-008-001
COMMUNICATIONS	Public Speaking (HS)	1-008-001
COMMUNICATIONS	Scholastic Newspaper (MS or HS)	1-008-001
COMMUNICATIONS	Scholastic Yearbook (MS or HS)	1-008-001
COMMUNICATIONS	TV Production (MS or HS) Years 1 and 2	1-008-001
EXCEPTIONAL STUDENTS	Exceptional Students	1-007-001
FAMILY & CONSUMER SCI.	Career Planning (HS)	1-211-001
FAMILY & CONSUMER SCI.	Confronting Drug Use	1-211-001
FAMILY & CONSUMER SCI.	Interior Design (HS)	1-211-001
FAMILY & CONSUMER SCI.	Life Management (HS)	1-211-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB Biology (HS)	1-015-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB Chemistry SL (HS)	1-015-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB Chemistry HL (HS)	1-015-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB Economics (HS)	1-016-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB English B (HS)	1-008-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB Environmental Systems (HS)	1-015-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB French B (HS)	1-007-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB Geography (HS)	1-016-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB History of the Americas (HS)	1-016-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB History of Europe (HS)	1-016-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB Math Studies (HS)	1-009-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB Math SL (HS)	1-009-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB Spanish Ab Initio HS)	1-007-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB Spanish B (HS)	1-007-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB MYP Technology (Grades 5-10) 2TM's	3-404-001
INTL. BACCALAUREATE (IB)	IB Theory of Knowledge (HS)	1-016-001
IGCSE (CAMBRIDGE INTL. CURR.)	IG FRENCH 0520	1-007-001
IGCSE (CAMBRIDGE INTL. CURR.)	IG HISTORY 0470	1-016-001
LANGUAGES	Spanish 1 (HS)	1-007-001
LANGUAGE ARTS	Grades 2-5 Language Art (4TM's)	1-008-001
LANGUAGE ARTS	Creative Writing (HS)	1-008-001
LANGUAGE ARTS	Elementary Poetry	1-008-001
LANGUAGE ARTS	English 9 (HS)	1-008-001
LANGUAGE ARTS	English 10 (HS)	1-008-001
LANGUAGE ARTS	English 11 & 11 Honors (2 TM's)	1-008-001
LANGUAGE ARTS	ESOL/ESL, (English as 2nd Language)	1-008-001
LANGUAGE ARTS	Essay Writing (HS)	1-008-001
LANGUAGE ARTS	Great Books (HS)	1-008-001
LANGUAGE ARTS	Literature, American (HS)	1-008-001
LANGUAGE ARTS	Literature, British (HS) ☐	1-008-001
LANGUAGE ARTS	Literature, World (HS)	1-008-001
LANGUAGE ARTS	Poetry, High School	1-008-001

MATHEMATICS	Pre-Algebra (MS or HS) 2TM's	1-009-001
MATHEMATICS	Algebra 1 (MS or HS)	1-009-001
MATHEMATICS	Algebra 2 (HS)	1-009-001
MATHEMATICS	Geometry (HS)	1-009-001
MATHEMATICS	Trigonometry (HS)	1-009-001
MATHEMATICS	Pre-Calculus (HS)	1-009-001
MUSIC	Elementary Music K-5 (6 TM's)	1-000-001
MUSIC	Jazz Theory (HS)	1-000-001
MUSIC	Music Appreciation (MS or HS)	1-000-001
MUSIC	Orchestra (HS)	1-000-001
SCIENCE	7th Grade Science	1-015-001
SCIENCE	8th Grade Science	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Anatomy & Physiology (HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Astronomy, Middle School	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Aquatic Science (HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Astronomy 1 and 2, Conceptual (HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Biology, Introductory (HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Biology, Honors (HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Biology, Adapted (HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Botany (HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Chemistry (HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Chemistry, Honors (HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Earth Science (MS/HS) 2TM's	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Ecology (HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Environmental Science - Regular and Honors (HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Marine Biology & Oceanography (HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Physical Science (MS or HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Physics Through Inquiry - (HS)	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Physics, Honors - 2TM's	1-015-001
SCIENCE	Zoology (HS)	1-015-001
SOCIAL STUDIES	American Government (MS / HS)	1-016-001
SOCIAL STUDIES	Civics (inc. Character Ed. Application, MS/HS)	1-016-001
SOCIAL STUDIES	Geography, World (MS or HS)	1-016-001
SOCIAL STUDIES	History, U.S. (HS)	1-016-001
SOCIAL STUDIES	Sociology (HS)	1-016-001
SOCIAL STUDIES	Western Civilization (HS)	1-016-001
SOCIAL STUDIES	World History: Early Man to Present	1-016-001
SOCIAL STUDIES	World History, Modern: Age of Discovery to Present (MS or HS)	1-016-001

Key: TM's are Teacher Manuals with CD's; MS: Middle School Use; HS: High School use

How do I register for one of the courses sponsored by the *Highly-Qualified Teacher Grant* and offered through the *Expert Systems for Teachers Series® Online Courses*?

Here is a link to the application form and details of the courses:

http://thetlf.org/TLF_Universities.html

Complete the Grant Enrollment Application form you will find linked there and email to the address below.

You will need to save the enrollment application form to your computer, open it, type on it, save it again, and attach it to a reply email to registration@teacherpd.net

Once your application form is received,

- the university will confirm your registration, payment of tuition, fees or any necessary FTCE and FTCE test prep book will be paid for by the grant or, once the grant is filled, and depending upon availability (through the district), by Title 1, 2a or 5 professional development funds,
- the course materials will be delivered,
- mentoring teacher access will be arranged,
- online login information will be delivered,
- you will take a pre-test online (that will not count toward your grade) and
- eventually, an end-of-course test will be taken (70% is passing).
- Once passed, a certificate of completion will be delivered to you and application should be made to apply for MIP hour credits