

Fresno TEACHER RESIDENCY PROGRAM



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Visit fpu.edu/graduate to review information about Fresno Pacific University's Single Subject or Early Childhood Special Education Credential programs.

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Contact a representative from either Fresno Pacific University: graduate.studies@fresno.edu or Fresno Unified School District: tdresidency@fresnounified.org

Ready to Apply Now?

Follow these steps:

1. Complete the Fresno Unified Certificated online application and submit your resume, two letters of support and your transcripts: fpu.edu/fresnoresidency
2. Apply for FPU's Credential Program: fpu.edu/apply
3. Selection begins October 2025 and continues until cohort is filled.

Program Options

	7-12 Cohort	Education Specialist Cohort
Credential	Single Subject	Early Childhood Special Education
Emphasis	English, Math, Science, Social Science, Art, Music or Spanish	Children ages birth to kindergarten with mild to moderate support needs and extensive support needs

Highlights

- Teaching credential from Fresno Pacific University Master of Arts in Teaching or Special Education optional (post-credential)
- Learn from district professionals
- Year-long residency placement
- Teaching positions in Fresno Unified School District
- 12-month program starts May 2026

Program Support

- Cohort model
- \$34,000 financial stipend
- Financial aid and grants may be available
- Culture of collaboration
- Co-teach alongside a mentor teacher
- Residency-specific coursework
- Test prep support

