



## INSPIRED TO TEACH

OKLAHOMA FUTURE TEACHER SCHOLARSHIP  
& EMPLOYMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAM



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# Are you Inspired to Teach?

Earn up to \$25,500 in scholarships and incentives for becoming an Oklahoma public school teacher.



Qualified Oklahoma students can earn scholarships and incentives of up to \$25,500 for completing an approved teacher education degree and teaching in an Oklahoma public school.

### Requirements:

- Graduate from high school, a homeschool, or earn a GED
- Meet higher education admission standards at:
  - A public or private Oklahoma university with an accredited Oklahoma teacher education program, or
  - A community college with an approved articulation agreement with an accredited Oklahoma university teacher education program.
- Declare a major in an accredited Oklahoma university teacher education program with a degree leading to a standard teaching certificate, or declare a major at a community college with an approved Inspired to Teach articulation agreement with an accredited Oklahoma teacher education program leading to a standard Oklahoma teaching certificate.
- Be enrolled as a full-time (12 credit hours per semester) undergraduate student each semester of eligibility in the program.
- Maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) and a minimum 2.5 GPA throughout matriculation.
- Prior to entry into the Inspired to Teach program, the student shall agree to complete the Oklahoma educator preparation program and agree to teach in an Oklahoma public pre-kindergarten through 12th grade (PK-12) school for a minimum of five (5) consecutive years upon graduation and licensure as a teacher.