The Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program provides up to $3,760 per year for graduate and undergraduate students who intend to teach full-time in high-need subject areas for at least four years at schools that serve students from low-income families. Students may receive up to $16,000 for undergraduate study and up to $8,000 for graduate study. Part-time students are eligible, but the maximum grant will be reduced.

Students who do not complete the teaching commitment required will have the grant converted to an Unsubsidized Federal Stafford Loan. For complete information on the requirements, review the information provided by the U.S. Department of Education at http://studentaid.ed.gov/PORTALSWebApp/students/english/TEACH.jsp.

Based on meeting all of the following criteria, I request consideration for the TEACH Grant for 2016-2017:

- I plan to teach in one of the high-need subject areas (Bilingual Education and English Language Acquisition, Foreign Language, Mathematics, Reading Specialist, Science, Special Education, or another teacher shortage area listed in the Department of Education’s Annual Teacher Shortage Area Nationwide Listing)
- I have a cumulative GPA (or transfer/high school GPA for new students) of 3.25 or scored above the 75th percentile on a college admissions test (e.g. SAT, ACT)
- I am enrolled in a TEACH Grant-eligible Teacher Preparation program______________________________ Name of major(s)

After submitting this form, I will:

- Complete the TEACH Grant online counseling session at www.mappingyourfuture.org
- Complete the TEACH Grant Agreement to Serve at www.teach-ats.ed.gov

When all steps are complete, the Financial Aid Office will evaluate my eligibility, and notify me via email if a TEACH Grant award is paid.

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**Student Name:** ________________________________  **Loyola ID:** ________________________________

(Please print)  (Your 11-digit Loyola ID number begins 0000.)

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**Student Signature***  **Date**

*Typed and digital signatures are not acceptable