

Dear Interested, Online Teaching Credential Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in earning a teaching credential through the Cal State East Bay Online Single Subject Credential program. This program is fully accredited and has the same course of instruction as our campus-based program but is a different program than our on-campus program.

Students will begin coursework in the summer and will then serve in a classroom (approved by the Teacher Education Department) in spring and fall while they complete the program coursework concurrently online. If you can email and use a website, then you have the technical skills necessary to complete the program. If you have a commitment to improve our educational system, to regularly participate in your online classes, and to put what you learn into action, then you are the kind of candidate we are seeking.

To complete the application process, you need to take these actions:

1. There are two applications, one to the University and one to the Teacher Education Department. For your Cal State East Bay (i.e. [Cal State Apply](#)) application, you will need one official transcript copy from every institute of higher education that you have ever attended. We highly recommend that you do not submit any transcripts for University admission until you have completed the Cal State Apply application.
2. Please review the application steps and admission requirements [here](#).
3. Please complete the program application in its entirety. The form should be completed as soon as possible. This allows us to open your program admission file.
4. We strongly urge you to consider applying for [Financial Aid \(FAFSA\)](#), even if you believe that you may not qualify. Many working graduate students do qualify for aid.

We have been offering teaching credential programs since 1960. Our graduates become dynamic teacher leaders in their teaching communities who make a positive difference in the lives of their learners throughout their teaching careers.

Please let me know if you have any further questions. We are here to help make the application process as smooth as possible.

Best regards,

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