



TEEMM

Training & Employing
Education Majors in
Mesquite ISD

The artifacts below are examples of Mesquite ISD’s selection process for teacher residents and host teachers. The process begins with a university recommendation for the candidate to pursue the residency. The candidate then applies for a residency role at Mesquite ISD (the district offers both paid and unpaid positions).

Host teachers in the district are also required to submit an application. These applications are used to assist the selection and matching of residents to host teachers.

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University Recommendation

Please complete the following information for each student interested in Mesquite ISD for their student teaching or teacher residency. We have a comprehensive application and selection process for both the students and the Cooperating Teachers to ensure positive outcomes. We will follow up with the students you recommend to get them started in the application process.

University Contact Information

Email:

Your First Name:

Your Last Name:

Teacher Candidate Information

Teacher Candidate's First Name:

Teacher Candidate's Last Name:

Teacher Candidate's Email:

When would you like them to begin our TEEMM program?

Spring 2024

Fall 2025

Certification Seeking:

EC-6

4-8

Special Education

Bilingual

Music

Art

Theater Arts

PE

Secondary English

Secondary Math

Secondary Science

Secondary Social Studies

Other:

Anything else you would like Mesquite ISD to know about this candidate:

Resident Teacher Application

Email:

First Name:

Last Name:

Cell or home phone number:

Name of High School you graduated from:

What is the name of the university you are working with to complete your undergraduate degree?

Your most current GPA from your official transcript:

What semester are you seeking to begin your work in Mesquite ISD?

- Fall 2024
- Spring 2025

Are you seeking elementary or secondary certification?

- Elementary
- Secondary

What certification are you pursuing? (for example: EC-6, 4-8 Generalist, etc)

What appeals to you MOST about being a teacher?

Why are you interested in serving as a teacher resident/student teacher in Mesquite ISD?

Are you interested in pursuing the paid student teaching position with Mesquite ISD or would you rather a traditional unpaid program?

- Yes - I would like to be considered for the paid teacher residency program where I will be a full time employee of Mesquite ISD and earn \$30,000 for the year (or \$15,000 for one semester)
- No - I prefer the traditional path of teacher residency where I fulfill the expectations of teacher residency, but not serve as a full time employee of Mesquite ISD.

Describe in at least 2 complete sentences why you should be chosen as part of the Mesquite ISD Paid Teacher Residency where you will be a full time employee of Mesquite ISD earning \$15,000 each semester plus benefits.

Mesquite ISD has a limited number of paid Teacher Resident/Student Teacher positions. Will you be interested in serving as a student teacher in Mesquite ISD if we are not able to pay?*

- Yes
- Perhaps, but I will want to explore paid options before I commit to Mesquite ISD
- No

What factors will you consider when making the decision to pursue teaching in Mesquite ISD after graduation? How likely are you to work in Mesquite ISD if offered a position?

What else would you like the selection committee to know about your situation as an applicant?

Host Teacher Application

First Name:

Last Name:

Mesquite ISD email address:

How many total (in and out of Mesquite ISD) years of teaching experience will you have completed at the end of 23-24?

Current campus or department:

What level do you currently teach?

- Elementary
- Middle
- High

Current grade and content you are teaching:

Certifications:

Certification Level:

- EC-6
- 4-8
- 7-12
- K-12

Previously taught courses or grade levels:

District phone extension (if available):

Cell or home phone number:

What appeals to you MOST about being a host teacher?

How do you hope to develop as an educator while serving as a host teacher?

What are the most important skills needed to become a successful teacher?

Are you also interested in being considered as a teacher for future educators to observe to fulfill requirements from their college or alternative certification programs?*

Yes

No

What else would you like the selection committee to know about you as we select Cooperating Teachers for the 24-25 school year?

What other questions do you have about this program?