

**Renewal TEACH Grant Application****Academic Year: 20__ to 20__****Return To:** The Office of Financial Aid
Kretzmann Hall, 1700 Chapel Drive, Valparaiso, IN 46383
Fax: 219.464.5012 Email: Finaid@valpo.edu**Student Name:** _____ **Valpo ID #:** _____

This application is for students who have previously received the Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education Grant and wish to re-apply.

To be eligible for a TEACH Grant renewal, you must do the following:

- Complete the **Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA®) form**.
- Still be enrolled in a TEACH-Grant-eligible program designated by Valparaiso University
 - A TEACH Grant eligible program is a program of study that is designed to prepare students to teach as a highly qualified teacher in a high-need field that leads to a bachelor or master degree.
- Have scored above the 75th percentile on one or more portions of a college admissions test or maintained a cumulative GPA of at least 3.25.
- Completed **TEACH Grant subsequent counseling** that explains the terms and conditions of the TEACH Grant service obligation. You must complete counseling each year that you receive a TEACH Grant.
- Sign a new **TEACH Grant Agreement to Serve or Repay** each year you receive a TEACH Grant.
- Complete and return this form to the Office of Financial Aid
- **Provide and attach a written statement confirming why you believe you qualify for the TEACH Grant. You must include what state you will be teaching in, the subject you will be teaching, and the grade level you will be teaching.**

Please answer the following questions:

Are you an Undergraduate Student or a Graduate Student? Undergraduate _____ Graduate _____

Major: _____ Minor/area of concentration: _____

Current cumulative G.P.A. _____

I certify that I have completed the TEACH grant Subsequent Counseling Session in its entirety and completed a new Agreement to Serve or Repay and understand the material presented. I understand that if I fail to meet any of the service requirements outlined during the counseling session, the TEACH grant will be converted to an Unsubsidized Direct Loan, of which I will be required to repay.

If I change academic programs, I must notify the Financial Aid Office in writing immediately, and therefore, I could lose my TEACH Grant if I am no longer in a TEACH Grant eligible program.

Student Signature _____ Date _____