Federal TEACH Grant Request Form
Fall 2016 - Spring 2017

Student Name: ___________________________  Panther ID: ___________________________

Award Request: Select one option only.
☐ Academic Year (Fall and Spring terms)
☐ Fall 2016 Only
☐ Spring 2017 Only

Eligibility Requirements to receive the Federal TEACH Grant: Please read carefully. You must initial every term and condition as a confirmation that you fully understand and have fulfilled each requirement.

1. I have completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.FAFSA.gov.

2. I am a U.S. Citizen or eligible non-citizen.

3. I am admitted to an eligible degree-seeking program.

4. I have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.25.

5. I am a 3rd, 4th, or 5th year undergraduate OR a graduate student.

6. I am enrolled in coursework that is necessary to begin a career in teaching. Coursework that will prepare a student to teach in a high-need field, which includes subjects on the nationwide shortage area list. The list can be found at http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/pol/tsa.html, which is updated each year by the U.S. Department of Education.

7. I am enrolled for at least half-time status during the semester(s) in which I am requesting the award.

   The TEACH grant will be adjusted based on enrollment status.

   Undergraduate Enrollment Status:
   - Fulltime (12+ credits) | Three-Quarter Time (9-11 credits) | Half-Time (6-8 credits)
   - Less than Half-Time (< 5 credits)

   Graduate Enrollment Status:
   - Fulltime (9+ credits) | Half-Time (5-8 credits)

8. I meet FIU’s Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy. The policy can be found at: http://onestop.fiu.edu/financial-aid/satisfactory-academic-progress/index.html.

9. I have completed the TEACH Counseling and the TEACH Grant Agreement to Serve (ATS) for the academic year in which I am requesting the award. The ATS is found at: www.teach-ats.ed.gov.

I certify that I fully understand and meet all of the requirements to receive this award. I understand that I must fulfill ALL of my obligations within my ATS in order to prevent my TEACH Grant award from becoming a Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan. I know that I must teach full-time for at least 4 academic years within 8 calendar years of completing or otherwise ceasing to be enrolled in the study for which the TEACH Grant was received. I understand that failure to comply with my duties of my signed agreement, my award will convert to an unsubsidized loan that will contain accumulated interest as of the date that it was originally disbursed and I am solely responsible for the repayment of this loan.

Student Signature: ___________________________  Date: ___________________________

Office Use Only:

Academic Program: ___________________________

Fall Academic Level: ___________________________  Spring Academic Level: ___________________________

Fall Cum. GPA: ___________________________  Spring Cum. GPA: ___________________________

Fall Enrollment: ___________________________  Spring Enrollment: ___________________________

Denial Reason: ___________________________