

FAMILY CHILD CARE EDUCATORS

Perhaps you have heard about the T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood® Scholarship Program, but didn't think you could afford it. Here is some information that may convince you that you can!



IT'S MORE REASONABLE THAN YOU MAY THINK!

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First — for Family Child Care Educators, T.E.A.C.H. works directly with you in a collaborative partnership.

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Second — T.E.A.C.H. has scholarship models for the Florida Staff Credential/Renewal, the Director Credential/Renewal, the National CDA/Renewal, and Associate and Bachelor's degrees. T.E.A.C.H. also offers a Master's degree scholarship for an online graduate program focusing on ECE Leadership.

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Third — T.E.A.C.H. provides a release time reimbursement of \$10.46 per hour (for 3 hours each week that you are in class).

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?

It means that the cost is shared so you are not alone in achieving your goals and reaching your highest level of effectiveness.

DO YOU HAVE EMPLOYEES WHO WORK WITH YOU?

We have scholarships for them as well. Just call us and we will explain the models that fit their needs.



HOW IS THIS GOING TO WORK?

Below is an example of how much it will cost you to attend a Florida community/state college for an Associate or Bachelor's degree.

Let's keep the following in mind as we walk through an example of the Associate Degree Model (other models vary slightly):

- You (the scholar) are responsible for 20% of tuition and 10% of books.
- T.E.A.C.H. pays 80% of tuition.
- You receive 3 hours per week of paid time off (release time).
- T.E.A.C.H. awards you a \$400-\$600 bonus when you complete your contract. A contract is defined as 3 semesters and 9-18 credit hours.



Tuition will be about \$350 per class. For 2 classes per semester:	$\$350 \times 2 =$	\$700
Scholar co-pay is 20% of total tuition. (Hold on. You won't need to write a check!)	$\$700 \times 20\% =$	\$140
Release time reimbursement (per semester); that is up to \$1,446 over 3 semesters!	$\$10.46 \times 3 \text{ hrs} \times (16 \text{ weeks}) =$	\$502
Student access stipend (to help with additional expenses)*	$\$125 \times 1 \text{ semester} =$	\$125
Amount T.E.A.C.H. would owe you each semester	$(\$502 + \$125) - \$140 =$	\$487

* Student access stipend is per semester also! Remember, you will be reimbursed for paid release time **each** semester you are enrolled.



GIVEN THIS OPPORTUNITY, CAN YOU AFFORD NOT TO GO TO SCHOOL?

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