

National Board Certification Incentive Grant



Why should I apply?

- Board Certified teachers are more likely to stay in the profession and have a higher impact on student performance.
- Teachers who initiate the certification process are eligible for a \$2500 grant and will receive a \$5000 annual stipend during their five-year commitment.



Is this program for me?

If you hold a BA, have completed three years of teaching or counseling, and have a valid state teaching or counseling license, then YES!

What is my commitment?

- Eligible teachers have three years to complete National Board Assessments.
- After board certification, teachers commit to teach in high-need schools for five years.

Where can I learn more?

- Check the [NBPTS website](#) for information about the candidate certification process.
- Check the [California Department of Education](#) to see if your district has a local support group.