



KinderCare Education Scholarship Model Narratives

Early Childhood Associate Scholars Program

The T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood® Associate Scholarship Model is for child care providers and/or directors enrolled or eligible to enroll in an Early Childhood Education program, working toward an associate degree at a participating college or university

T.E.A.C.H. Scholarship Recipient

The T.E.A.C.H. Scholarship recipient will receive a per-semester stipend for tuition, travel, bonus, and study time for up to three semesters per contract. The T.E.A.C.H. recipient will agree to pay ten percent of charged tuition, maintain good academic standing while also working at least 30 hours per week (if applicable) in a licensed child care KinderCare Education setting and will continue employment at participating program for at least twelve months in that setting serving children at conclusion of scholarship term.

T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood®

The T.E.A.C.H. scholarship will pay 70 percent of the recipient's tuition, reimburse 70 percent of book costs up to \$35 per credit hour, reimburse participating ECE programs up to \$10 an hour to offer recipient paid study time, pay the recipient a travel/internet stipend of \$165 each scholarship, and pay out a bonus based on academic performance at the end of the scholarship term.

Participating Early Childhood Program

The participating Early Childhood Program agrees to pay 20 percent of charged tuition, offer up to three hours of paid study time per week, and pay out a bonus at the end of work commitment period.