



## Online Bachelor's or Master's Degrees at GCU's National Center for Teacher Preparation

Grand Canyon University (GCU) is addressing America's teacher shortage with generous scholarships. Our pledge is to provide affordable and accessible education for aspiring educators.

### Why Choose GCU?

#### Affordable:

- **Generous New Scholarships:** Opportunities for qualifying school district employees seeking initial teacher licensure:
  - **32% off tuition** for online<sup>1</sup> bachelor's programs<sup>2</sup>
  - **25% off tuition** for online<sup>1</sup> master's programs<sup>3</sup>

#### Flexible:

- **Online Coursework:** One class at a time online,<sup>1</sup> allowing you to network with peers and faculty nationwide
- **Local Field Experiences:** Field experience hours and student teaching opportunities in your current district<sup>4</sup>

#### Supportive:

- **Quick Transcript Evaluations:** Unofficial evaluation within 24 business hours after submitting transcripts for a personalized graduation plan including a preliminary schedule and anticipated date of graduation, provided the schedule is followed
- **Academic Support:** Guidance around licensure prep — including support with teacher certification exams
- **After College:** Lifelong teaching support and resources thanks to GCU's College of Education Promise

**Over 85 GCU alumni have been recognized in the field of education, including as Superintendent, Administrator or Teacher of the Year award recipients (as of May 2023).**

Keep changing lives. And let GCU's National Center for Teacher Preparation help you achieve your dream.

**Start Your Journey Today!**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:**

If seeking licensure or certification, applicants to the program are responsible for contacting their state department of education for licensure requirements and program approval. In addition, fingerprint and background clearance is required.

<sup>1</sup> Excluding observational, practice-based experiences and student teaching.

<sup>2</sup> MOU 9238: This scholarship is only valid for applicants who are currently working for an accredited school or district, seeking initial teacher licensure, not already a licensed teacher and applying for one of the following bachelor's programs: Early Childhood Education, Early Childhood Education and Early Childhood Special Education, Elementary Education (any emphasis), Elementary Education and Special Education, Educational Studies, Secondary Education (any emphasis), Special Education (any emphasis). This scholarship cannot be used in conjunction with any other GCU scholarships. This scholarship will be applied toward your tuition only, and you will not receive funds in excess of your charges.

<sup>3</sup> MOU 9237: This scholarship is only valid for applicants who are currently working for an accredited school or district, seeking initial teacher licensure, not already a licensed teacher and applying for one of the following Master of Education programs: Early Childhood Education, Early Childhood Education and Early Childhood Special Education, Elementary Education, Elementary Education and Special Education, Secondary Education (any emphasis), Special Education (any emphasis). This scholarship cannot be used in conjunction with any other GCU scholarships. This scholarship will be applied toward your tuition only, and you will not receive funds in excess of your charges.

<sup>4</sup> Candidates currently in paid education positions may be eligible to complete practicum/field experience hours, and/or student teaching in their paid role if the school district setting aligns with the setting required in the candidate's program of study/course, if the candidate has an appropriately certified mentor available at the accredited school site and if the candidate is able to fulfill all expectations, including the completion of all course assignments.

Grand Canyon University is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission (HLCCommission.org), an institutional accreditation agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education. Please note, not all GCU programs are available in all states and in all learning modalities. Program availability is contingent on student enrollment. Important policy information is available in the University Policy Handbook at [gcu.edu/academics/academic-policies.php](https://gcu.edu/academics/academic-policies.php). The information printed in this material is accurate as of MARCH 2024. For the most up-to-date information about admission requirements, tuition, scholarships and more, visit [gcu.edu](https://gcu.edu). Approved by the Dean of the College of Education on March 7, 2024. ©2024 Grand Canyon University 24COEE0048