

WEA Teacher Residency 2023-2024

WEA's Teacher Residency is a partnership between WEA, your local education association, your school district, and YOU!

In the founding 2023-24 year of the WEA Teacher Residency, we are fortunate to have enhanced benefits to support our district partners and residents, including unique supports and very affordable tuition. Each partner is responsible to support you on your journey to become a special education teacher. Detailed information, applications, admissions, and program information is available here.



WEA Teacher Residency provides

- Assessment fees
- Certification fees
- Coursework and curriculum materials
- Fingerprinting & Clearance Fees
- Summer Institute 1 & 2
- Yearlong Mentored Residency and Cohort support
- Up to 900 Clock hours
- Classroom Curriculum Reimbursement
- Ongoing Connection & Support

WEA Teacher Residency will cover and/or reimburse candidate costs for required assessments, certifications, fingerprinting/clearance, and all course program materials. WEA will cover the costs associated with in-person travel for the summer institutes and residency events. WEA TR provides instructional coach(es), field supervisor(s), and instructional faculty who are current practitioners.



School District provides

- Paid Residency
- Yearlong Mentored Residency
- Placement in various instructional rounds
- Technology
- Job Interviews
- Conditional Job Offer

Our partner school districts will provide candidates/residents with a paid residency with a minimum salary of \$35,000, including benefits. The District will provide mentor(s)/cooperating teacher(s) and place candidates in various special education settings, rotating throughout the residency year. Upon successful completion of the program & certification, candidates will be guaranteed job interviews for all eligible positions, with a conditional job offer.



Candidate/Resident commits

- Tuition payment totals \$2.000
- Attendance Summer Institutes, Yearlong Residency, & Regional Cohort Meetings
- Employment Commitment to District
- Cohort participation

Candidates will pay \$2,000 in tuition for the program in installments and commit to employment in the partner district for 3 years following successful completion of the program and teacher certification requirements.

Candidates/Residents will attend all program requirements (in-person, synchronous, and asynchronous), as well as be active participants in their regional and state cohort.



LEARN MORE! Apply Today!