



TEACH! SouthCoast UrbanSouth

An Innovative Accelerated Alternative
Post-Baccalaureate Urban Teacher Preparation Program
for Initial Licensure in **MATH** or **SCIENCE**

What makes TEACH! unique?

TEACH! is an innovative, accelerated, alternative teacher preparation program that guides participants toward earning Massachusetts initial licensure, specifically, to teach middle or high school math or science in an urban school district.

- Full-time, one-year program
- Option to participate as an apprentice or full-time, working teacher
- Free MTEL preparation
- Substantial scholarships
- Convenient course scheduling around the school district calendar
- Opportunity to integrate course work into teaching practice
- Opportunity to learn from experienced instructors and practitioners from TEACH! partner schools
- Opportunity to participate in an e-mentoring and onsite New Teacher Support Network for 2-3 years
- Guaranteed future job interviews for candidates who are endorsed by UMass Dartmouth

Who Should Apply?

- Career changers who have professional experiences relevant to math or science
- College seniors or recent graduates in the arts and sciences or business
- Diverse candidates are strongly encouraged to apply



Program Options

TEACH! SouthCoast
Training teachers for...
New Bedford
Fall River

TEACH! UrbanSouth
Training teachers for...
Brockton
Plymouth
Taunton
Wareham



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TRAINING TEACHERS FOR...
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COURSES and LOCATIONS
TEACH! SouthCoast courses are face-to-face, interactive classroom experiences, held at the UMASS Dartmouth Center for University, School and Community Partnerships at 200 Mill Road in Fairhaven, MA

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TRAINING TEACHERS FOR...
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Taunton
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TEACH! UrbanSouth courses are an innovative blend of online learning and traditional classroom meetings that are held at alternating sites within each school district.

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The Application Process

1. Complete a **UMASS Graduate Certificate Program Application**
2. **Required Essay:** Submit an essay describing your professional goals and your commitment to teaching in an urban middle or high school
3. **Application Fee:** \$40.00 payable to the University of Massachusetts Dartmouth
4. Upon notice of preliminary acceptance by the TEACH! Program Director, submit:
 - MTEL program exam scores
 - Two recent letters of recommendation (one of which addresses either your experience or potential to work with middle or high school populations)
 - Proof of a completed bachelor's degree (official transcript) from an accredited institution of higher education with a GPA of 2.75 or higher