

# Special Curriculum Loans

Pursuing an advanced degree is a time-consuming and often costly challenge, but essential to your professional career advancement. To support our school employee Members, we've developed Special Curriculum Loans to help cover tuition and other costs incurred while enrolled in advanced degree programs or career advancement programs.

## Career and Technical Education (CTE) Credential Program loan

- provides support to aspiring and current teachers to obtain their CTE credential.

## Clear Administrative Services Credential Program (CASC)

- a two year program that provides support for current administrators who are pursuing a Clear Administrative Credential.

## Education Specialist Program/Teaching Credential

- provides support for teachers to pay for an Education Specialist Credential, Added Credential and Added Authorization Programs.

## Paraprofessional Teacher Training Program (PTTP)

- a two year program specifically designed to assist Orange County Department of Education (OCDE) employees enrolled in OCDE's PTTP to pursue their teaching credential.
- offered to help program participants cover tuition costs.

## Preliminary Administrative Services Credential Program (PASC)

- a one year program designed for educators who want to pursue a career in administration (principal).

## Teacher Certification Loan

- designed to assist teachers from any school or district, who are pursuing an advanced certification from the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards (NBPTS).

## Teacher Induction Loan

- helps teachers who are pursuing a California Clear Teaching Credential pay for General Education and/or Education Specialist Credentials Induction program expenses.

## Doctorate of Education in Educational Leadership

- a three-year program for school employees enrolled in the CSU Doctorate of Education in Educational Leadership program and provides financial support for the program's tuition, textbooks and fees.

## Masters in Speech and Language Pathology

- a two-year program for enrollees of any Masters in Speech and Language Pathology advanced degree program. Candidates will have an employment agreement with their district office.



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To learn more about these loans and how to apply, visit a SchoolsFirst FCU Branch or call 800.462.8328.

## SPECIAL CURRICULUM LOANS—FIXED RATE

This loan program is designed to assist school employees who are enrolled in approved California Commission on Teacher Credentialing or National Board for Professional Teaching Standards career advancement programs.

Approved Program	Description	Maximum Term <sup>1</sup>	Maximum Loan Amount
Teacher Induction Loan	Helps teachers who are pursuing a California Clear Teaching Credential pay for General Education and/or Education Specialist Credentials Induction program expenses.	60 months	\$10,000
Education Specialist Program/ Teaching Credential	Provides support for teachers to pay for an Education Specialist Credential, Added Credential and Added Authorization Programs.	60 months	\$15,000
Teacher Certification Loan (NBPTS)	Designed to assist teachers pursuing advanced certification from the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards.	24 months	\$2,500
Paraprofessional Teacher Training Program (PTTP) Loan	Assists school employees who are pursuing a teaching credential and are enrolled in a PTTP.	24 months	\$1,500
Career and Technical Education (CTE) Credential Program	Provides support to aspiring and current teachers to obtain their CTE credential.	24 months	\$2,000
<u>Clear</u> Administrative Services Credential Program (CASC)	For current administrators who are pursuing a Clear Administrative Credential.	60 months	\$15,000
<u>Preliminary</u> Administrative Services Credential Program (PASC)	Designed for educators pursuing a career in administration (principal). Plus, make no payments for the first 12 months. <sup>4</sup>	48 months	\$10,000

## SPECIAL CURRICULUM LOANS—VARIABLE RATE

This loan program is designed to assist school employees who are enrolled in approved higher education programs.

Approved Program	Description	Maximum Loan Amount
Doctorate of Education in Educational Leadership (CSU)	A three-year CSU course of study leading to a Doctorate of Education in Educational Leadership.	<p>\$50,000 total for the three-year program.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To be taken in three annual advances</li> <li>Must reapply every year</li> <li>New loan request will be added to the existing balance each year</li> </ul>
Masters in Speech and Language Pathology	A two-year program for enrollees of any Masters in Speech and Language Pathology advanced degree program. Candidates must have an employment agreement with their district office.	\$25,000 total for the two-year program.

CTI Induction Program is a Commission approved Induction Program.

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