

# Professional Educators of Tennessee Foundation

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*Serving the Students and the Educators of Tennessee*

## Application Active Service Educator Grant

This grant is available only to those educators currently employed in a Tennessee public or private school in a professional capacity and who are enrolling or enrolled in a Tennessee college or university to increase their skills or knowledge. The grant is awarded for one year. The applicant may apply for this grant in subsequent years for a maximum of two years.

This form and all accompanying documents must be returned to the above address for the applicant to be considered for a grant. An applicant's race, religion, age, or national origin will not be considered in the awarding of this grant. No one related to a member of the selection committee will be considered for this award.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT ALL RESPONSES ON THIS APPLICATION

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

FULL NAME \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ -- \_\_\_\_\_ -- \_\_\_\_\_

*May be left blank if applying for less than \$600*

NAME OF SCHOOL \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF SYSTEM (IF PUBLIC SCHOOL) \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE OR SUBJECTS TAUGHT \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's responses may be published, anonymously or signed, in various education literature.

*Peer Educator Recommendations* should be mailed to PETF separately. It is customary for the applicant to provide stamped addressed envelopes for this purpose.

No application will be considered unless we have received.

1. This application, both pages completed front and back.
2. Proof of employment in a professional capacity in a Tennessee school. (This could be a letter from your system or administrator or a copy of any document which would show you as an employee. If using a pay-stub, please black out any dollar amounts.)
3. Two *Peer Educator Recommendations* from peer educators who have taught with you within the past two years, one of which can be an administrator.

What is your greatest reward (1) and disappointment (2) you have experienced as an educator?

(1)

(2)

In what way did your undergraduate experience prepare or not prepare you for your current teaching assignment?

What do you hope or expect to gain from the classes you are planning to take?

How can our public schools best serve the needs of gifted and highly motivated students?

How would you improve your school if you had the power?

What about your favorite teacher, when you were in K-12, made that person your favorite?

Why is it important for educators to be professional in attitude and actions?