

## Graduate Teaching Fellow Application

The Minnesota Educators Partnership offers Graduate Teaching Fellowships as part of a broader initiative that seeks to connect schools and universities to promote teacher development and student learning. Graduate Teaching Fellowships exemplify collaboration between K-12 and university to achieve a shared vision.

### Requirements for eligibility for Graduate Teaching Fellow Application

- Appropriate Minnesota teacher licensure by August 2017.** Needs completion of (1) Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science Teaching degree, (2) all required testing, and (3) submitted application for license. (Candidates selected for this program **must** submit a copy of their Minnesota license as proof of eligibility to begin the Graduate Teaching Fellowship before by August 2017.)
- Earn a 3.0 overall/cumulative grade point average**

**Submit 1 copy of the following** to Jill Ryan, Minnesota State University, Mankato, AH 117, Mankato MN 56001 OR [jill.ryan@mnsu.edu](mailto:jill.ryan@mnsu.edu) OR Fax (507) 389-2838.

- completed application form including personal statement (below)
- résumé
- supporting materials (teaching experience evaluations or letters of recommendation from mentor teacher and/or university supervisor.)
- unofficial copy of undergraduate transcript
- Copy of Minnesota teaching license, proof of application for Minnesota teaching licensure, **or** statement for becoming *eligible* to apply for teaching licensure, including testing timeline. *Candidates may apply for the Fellowship program and accept offers **while** their application for MN teacher licensure is in process/pending [in process/pending = candidates will have successfully earned a degree from an accredited teacher preparation program, will have passed all Minnesota Teacher Licensure Examinations (MTLE), and will have been recommended for licensure.]NOTE=Candidates who answer “Yes” to any question on the Conduct Review Statement within the license application may experience delays in receiving their licensure.*

**Once offered and accepted a Graduate Teaching Fellowship candidate will apply for admission to Minnesota State University, Mankato’s College of Graduate Studies.** <http://grad.mnsu.edu>

**All Fellowships available for 2017-2018 will be posted on the following websites:**

- Minnesota Association of School Administrators (MASA) Jobsite Online: <http://jobsitemnasa.fmgateway.com/>
- EdPost Listings: <http://www1.stcloudstate.edu/joblistings/edpost/>

For additional information about the Graduate Teaching Fellowship Program, go to:

<http://ed.mnsu.edu/csup/tosafellow.html>

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Telephone Number(s): 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Licensure**

**File Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ (include anticipated date you will apply if no current license)

*Check those licensures you will have been granted by the end of the summer.*

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| _____ Elementary (Grades 1-6) | _____ Middle School (5-8)_____ |
| _____ Kindergarten            | _____ Pre-primary (Age 3-5)    |
| _____ Secondary (5-12): _____ | _____ Coaching                 |
| _____ K-12 Specialist: _____  | _____ Other _____              |

**Teaching Fellow Openings**

Check the Professional Development School district(s) where you would like your application forwarded for consideration:

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| _____ Bloomington Public Schools       | _____ Owatonna Public Schools        |
| _____ Centennial Public Schools        | _____ St. Peter Public Schools       |
| _____ Faribault Public Schools         | _____ Sibley-East Public Schools     |
| _____ LeSueur-Henderson Public Schools | _____ Tri-City United Public Schools |
| _____ Mankato Area Public Schools      | _____ Waseca Public Schools          |

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## COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

*Innovative | Effective | Collaborative | Relevant*

### **Personal Statement:**

Write a statement summarizing your teaching skills, qualifications, graduate school aspirations, and reasons why you should be selected for a Graduate Teaching Fellowship with Minnesota State Mankato and the Minnesota Educators Partnership.

*Write carefully as your style, content, written expression, and organization will be used to help advance your candidacy from the application stage to interview stage. Please limit your statement to no more than 500 words. You may include the Personal Statement as an attachment to this application.*