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## **Deadline Approaching to Submit Proposals for Teacher Residency Grant Pilot Program**

*Proposals are due by February 7, 2022*

**(INDIANAPOLIS)** – The deadline to submit proposals for the [Indiana Teacher Residency Grant Pilot Program](#) to the [Indiana Commission for Higher Education](#) is Monday, February 7, 2022, at 5 p.m. ET. The grant was created in 2019 by the Indiana General Assembly and provides \$15,000 per teacher resident position to support their year-long residency.

Eligible applicants include school corporations or charter schools which have an existing teacher residency program, or beginning with the 2022-23 academic year, will start a program in partnership with an approved postsecondary educational institution. Residency models can be implemented at the undergraduate, graduate or non-traditional educator preparation program levels.

Teacher residency programs are year-long, paid teaching experiences for student educators who plan on teaching kindergarten through 12th grade. Students teach alongside an experienced mentor teacher, preparing them for the classroom after graduation. The program is modeled after medical residency and apprenticeship programs.

Additional information is available at [www.in.gov/che/4519.htm](http://www.in.gov/che/4519.htm) or by contacting Assistant Commissioner for Program Development and Administration Eugene Johnson at [TeachRes@che.in.gov](mailto:TeachRes@che.in.gov).

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Created in 1971, the Indiana Commission for Higher Education plans, coordinates and defines Indiana's postsecondary education system to align higher learning with the needs of students and the state. The Commission also administers Indiana's financial aid programs, including the [21st Century Scholars](#) early college promise scholarship, which celebrated 30 years in 2020. Learn more about the Commission's [Reaching Higher in a State of Change](#) strategic plan at [www.in.gov/che](http://www.in.gov/che).