



SUTR  
SPPS Urban Teacher Residency



Saint Paul Public Schools Urban Residency (SUTR) program aims to prepare and retain highly qualified teachers for Saint Paul Public Schools. SUTR provides non-licensed education professionals an affordable, accelerated program to earn their Minnesota teaching license and master’s degree in 15 months from the University of St. Thomas.

### PROGRAM GOAL:

SUTR aims to recruit and retain effective, diverse teachers and serve as a model for schools and universities to continually improve on their ability to eliminate racial disparities.

### WHO SHOULD APPLY?

Non-licensed education professionals in Saint Paul who are dedicated to education and have a bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution

### WHAT WILL THE PROGRAM LOOK LIKE?

- Participants will co-teach with an experienced teacher for one academic year
- Participants will be part of a cohort of other residents at the University of St. Thomas

#### Residency Year Overview

June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.
<b>Graduate Level Content:</b>														
Educational Psychology Introduction to Education Educational Equity & Inclusive Practices (2 semesters) Classroom Management Intercultural Development Inventory (IDI) Culturally Responsive Pedagogy				Language and Literacy Content & Pedagogy in License Area (Math, Science, Elementary, & SPED) Educational Psychology, cont. Research for Equity Courageous Conversations Culturally Responsive Pedagogy				Specialized Literacy Content & Pedagogy, continued including English Learners and STEM ed-TPA American Indian Tribal Communities Mindful Inquiry National Urban Alliance Strategies				IDI Post Test Application of CARE Reflection and Resources Career Support Launching Your Career Induction		

### WHAT DOES THE PROGRAM COST? \*

- University of St. Thomas tuition = \$20,850 without scholarships
- SPPS gives participants \$22,500 in tuition assistance
- St. Thomas offers scholarships from \$3,000 - \$8,000
- Participants can also qualify for Federal student loan forgiveness while teaching (\$5,000 - \$17,500)

### WHY SUTR?

- Increase your earning potential (an SPPS teacher with a master’s degree and no experience earns \$47,920)
- Earn your license in Math 5-12, Physics 9-12, Earth/Space Science 9-12, Science 5-8, Special Education or Elementary Education in 15 months\*\*
- Receive hiring preference from SPPS after program completion



\* ABS license will have additional costs

\*\* Pending the submission and requisite review and approval of the University of St. Thomas programs by the Minnesota Board of Teaching.

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