



“ To see the world as others see it and to allow for the possibility that others may see something that we have failed to see, or may see it more accurately ”

Senator J. William Fulbright, 1989

# Fulbright Teaching Excellence and Achievement (TEA) Program

Transform Your Teaching. Discover New Possibilities.



## Fulbright Program

The Fulbright Program, founded in 1946, is a global academic exchange initiative of the U.S. government aimed at fostering mutual understanding and promoting friendly, peaceful relations between the United States and other nations. Partnering with over 160 countries, it offers a wide range of fellowships and scholarships. In 49 countries, including Thailand, independent binational Fulbright Commissions administer the Fulbright Program with support from local governments.

## Fulbright Thailand



## Testimonial

“Teaching at Estero High School has been the highlight of my journey. Applying my knowledge and skills in a real classroom setting has been an important part of the program, helping me grow personally and share my experiences. I also had the opportunity to collaborate with fellow teachers from the U.S. and 20 other countries around the world.”



■ Siriwan Boonanunt

2025 TEA in Biology from Thammasat Secondary School to Florida Gulf Coast University



## WHY CHOOSE US?

Global Networks	Cultural Immersion	Academic Excellence
Prestigious Recognition	Professional Skills	Personal Transformation

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## Transform Your Teaching. Discover New Possibilities.

Unlock new horizons in your teaching career with the Fulbright Teaching Excellence and Achievement Program. This six-week program brings international secondary educators to the U.S. to explore innovative teaching methods, engage with instructional technology, and collaborate with U.S. educators and students. Participants gain hands-on experience through classroom observation, co-teaching, and academic seminars, while also experiencing the rich cultural life of their host communities. Open to school educators, the program offers a transformative opportunity to grow professionally, broaden your perspective, and build lasting connections.

### TEA at a Glance

- Purpose:** Seminars at a U.S. university and affiliation with a U.S. school
- Applicant:** Secondary teachers in English, EFL, foreign languages, math, science, social studies, and special education
- Number of Grant:** up to 4 annually
- Grant Period:** 6 weeks
- Application Period:** January - March

### Program Uniqueness

- Binational scholarship supported by the Thai and U.S. governments
- University seminars exploring innovative teaching and instructional technology
- U.S. school practicum with 40+ hours of observation and co-teaching
- Global learning community connecting with international educators
- Cultural immersion experiencing U.S. culture and schools firsthand

### Eligibility

- Thai citizen, up to 50 years old
- Bachelor's degree from Thai university
- Full-time teachers in eligible subjects teaching at the secondary level
- Minimum 3 years of classroom experience (5 preferred)
- Approved leave of absence from their school administration



### Required Documents

- Resume/CV listing all experience since bachelor's degree
- Valid passport or national ID
- Official diplomas and transcripts of all post-secondary education
- Lesson plan in English (max. 5 pages)
- Leave approval form signed by school director
- 2 Institutional Support and Reference (ISRF) Forms

### Grant Benefits

- TOEFL test voucher for post-interview shortlists
- J-1 visa sponsorship
- Round-trip international economy airfare
- Accident and sickness insurance coverage
- Accommodations, meals, and incidental for the duration of the program
- Professional development and cultural activities

### Selection Criteria

- Strong professional and educational achievements with leadership potential
- Proficient in oral and written English
- Clear plan to apply program experience in Thailand
- Potential to build long term U.S.-Thai school partnerships
- Preparedness for an intensive, U.S. based training program
- Willingness to collaborate with international peers
- Ability to represent Thailand effectively in their field and serve as a Thai cultural ambassador

### Grant Timeline

#### Application year

January-March

April

May

August

#### Following year

June

July

September-October

Application period

Interview

TOEFL test

Final result

Pre-departure orientation

Placement Confirmation

Grant period