

### What is the Signature Teacher Residency Model?

The Signature Teacher Residency model provides the opportunity for our UTSA COEHD teacher candidates to participate in the educational growth of students over a longer period of time, while simultaneously integrating course work into the clinical experience. The program consists of:

- Clinically-embedded coursework
- Carefully selected Mentor Teachers
- Year-long clinical teaching (two semesters)
- Co-teaching and Co-planning with a mentor teacher from day one
- Weekly clinical seminars
- Dedicated Residency Faculty

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### Areas of Teacher Certification

Residency Model helps to address the critical demand/shortage areas and makes teacher candidates in these areas more competitive:

- EC-6 ESL
- EC-6 Bilingual Education

Fall 2024: Expanding to Special Education, Middle-Level, Secondary, All-Level Certification.

Highly qualified teacher candidates can choose to apply to one of the following residency programs:

#### **UTSA Signature Teacher Residency**

- TCLAS funded Clinical Teacher Residency
   All EC-6 Certification Areas
- UTSA-NISD-PreClinical Through Clinical Teaching Residency
  - All-Level Certification Areas
- UTSA-NISD CAST Teach HS Residency
  - Secondary Certification Only





# What are the benefits of the Signature Teacher Residency Model?

- Financial Support and Scholarships
- Fully funded Residency Stipends
- · Cohort of Teacher Candidates
- Carefully Selected Mentor Teachers
- More Interaction with EC-12 Students
- District and Campus Involvement
- Research and Presentation
   Opportunities and Seminars

### How do I get into a residency?

- 1. Attend Clinical Teaching Information Session
- 2. Submit online application (after CT Info Session)
- 3. UTSA & District select candidates for interviews
- 4. Districts conduct interviews and recommend candidates for TCLAS Signature Residency
- 5. UTSA notifies candidates of recommendations for TCLAS and other residencies
- 6. Sign and Submit acceptance letter to UTSA
- 7. District begins on-boarding process

## Collaborative Partnerships













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