

CTA/Stanford GSE National Board Cohort for BIPOC Teachers

BIPOC Cohort Overview



The California Teachers Association (CTA) and the National Board Resource Center at Stanford (NBRC) are partnering to launch a cohort of 15 Black, Indigenous, People of Color (BIPOC) teachers committed to earning National Board Certification and serving as teacher-leaders in their communities.

Teachers selected for this cohort will receive full funding for all certification support services offered by Stanford NBRC along with BIPOC cohort and individualized supports. While this opportunity does not cover the direct costs of certification, it will provide support in accessing local funding sources and the new [California National Board Incentive Grant](#).

BIPOC Cohort Supports:

- Regular BIPOC Cohort online community-building, mentoring, and support facilitated by National Board Certified teachers of color.
- NBRC's online nationwide certification support group, including regular opportunities to work with a group of educators and a National Board Certified facilitator in your content area and gradespan.
- Asynchronous materials and resources designed specifically for candidates in the NBRC program.
- Individualized coaching on writing and artifact selection for the National Board portfolio components.

BIPOC Cohort Eligibility:

- Teach in a California public school where 55% or more of the pupils are classified as an English learner and/or foster youth, and/or are eligible for a free or reduced-price meal.
- Be a member of the California Teachers Association (check with your local union leadership if you are unsure).
- Identify as a person of color.
- Meet eligibility prerequisites for National Board Certification. More info at nbpts.org.

Applications due Friday, October 15, 2021 at 11:59p.m. PST

You can access more information, the application form, and register for an upcoming information session at:

bit.ly/cohortinfoapply

