



# TEACH MISSISSIPPI INSTITUTE

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## ONLINE PROGRAM



Information Guide  
Spring 2014

# Dear Prospective Teach Mississippi Institute Participant –

Thank you for your interest in the Teach Mississippi Institute Online Program (TMI)! TMI is a MDE-accredited, alternate route program for persons wishing to teach at the secondary level (grades 7-12). It is broken into 2 components, TMI I and TMI 2, both of which are taught online.

## **TMI 1** (10-week online course) [SPRING CLASS BEGINS MARCH 1, 2014](#)

TMI I is a 10-week online course. The online course covers...classroom instruction, effective teaching strategies, classroom management, state curriculum frameworks, planning and instructional methodologies, and use of testing as formative and summative evaluation tools

During the course, students will be required to participate in...online discussions, weekly unit quizzes, weekly written assignments, lesson planning, and...anticipate spending at least 6-8 hours per week on the course.

In addition, students are required to...

- + complete 60 hours of field experience/observation in a MS secondary school,
- + submit a 500-word reflective summary of the field experience,
- + attend Orientation in Oxford, MS, and
- + attend the Live Seminar in Raymond, MS

Upon completion of TMI I, students will receive a certificate of completion and recommended to the Mississippi Department of Education for their, temporary, non-renewable teaching license.

Once the student has secured a teaching position, he or she may then join TMI 2.

## **TMI 2** (4.5 month online course & first-year employment) [COURSES BEGIN EVERY FALL & SPRING](#)

TMI 2 is a 4.5-month online course taken during the first year of employment. The online course takes an in-depth view into the teaching profession, covering...inclusion teaching, effective classroom management, differentiated instruction, instruction for special needs, ...and more.

During the course, students will continue a similar online course format, including...online discussions, unit quizzes, written assignments, and comprehensive final exam.

In addition, students are required to...

- + attend the Live Seminar in Oxford, MS, and
- + attend the Live Seminar in Raymond, MS

Upon completion of TMI 2, students will receive a certificate of completion for the program and recommended to the Mississippi Department of Education for a 5-year standard, renewable teaching license.



### **Cost of TMI 1 - \$915**

- + \$775 tuition
- + \$125 textbook
- + \$15 lunch fees (for Orientation and Live Seminar)

### **Cost of TMI 2 - \$1445**

Includes tuition, textbook, and lunch fees for two live seminars

### **Additional Information**

Included in this packet are the Spring 2014 TMI application, Praxis information, and financial aid opportunities.

### **Important Dates**

The Spring 2014 TMI I session is **March 1 to May 17, 2014**

Orientation in Oxford, MS is on **March 1, 2014**.

Live Seminar at the Eagle Ridge Conference Center in Raymond, MS is on **May 3, 2014**.

**Both Orientation and Live Seminar are MANDATORY for completion of the TMI I online course.**

### 1) Will I receive college credit for the course?

No, students do not receive college credit for the course.

### 2) What is the cost of the program?

The cost of tuition for TMI I is currently \$915 which includes the cost of your textbook. The tuition for TMI II is \$1445. The TMI I tuition will be due before orientation begins in order to guarantee your admission to the program. For the second component, the money is due before the component ends and you can utilize a monthly payment plan for the second component.

### 3) Is financial aid available?

Please refer to the Financial Aid page provided with your packet. You will need to contact your local Win Job Center to inquire about funding under the program title "Alternate Route to Teachers License." For other funding, such as Sallie Mae, follow the instructions on the page.

### 4) What are critical needs areas and what does that mean for me?

The critical needs areas are math, sciences like biology, chemistry, and physics, foreign languages like French, Spanish, and German, and special education. TMI students who choose to teach one of these subjects are more likely to be accepted to the program and will more easily find a job after the program ends.

### 5) What is the GPA requirement for admission?

The GPA requirement for admission is 2.5 based on a 4.0 scale. GPAs below 2.5 may be considered for probationary admission.

### 6) What materials do I need to turn in to apply, and when are application materials due?

We need from you the application which you can print off of our website, an official transcript from your undergraduate school showing your bachelor's degree, and any official Praxis Core or II score reports that you have. You may have ETS send us your original Praxis scores by giving them our code 1806. Furthermore, your application must include the \$40 non-refundable application fee, made payable to TMI.

### 7) How do I submit my Praxis score reports to TMI?

Score reports are no longer mailed to test takers. Please make sure to select the Teach Mississippi Institute (Recipient Code **1806**) when you register for your exams so that we may receive a copy of your scores from ETS. You will view your scores as a locked, Adobe PDF online. Make sure to save a copy of your PDF to your computer as this PDF is your official score report.

### 8) When will I find out if I've been admitted?

A few days after the application deadline, we will email acceptance and rejection letters to all students who turned in complete applications to us. It is important that the student application indicates a working email address.

### 9) Can I be admitted without one or more of the Praxis scores?

Yes, you can be conditionally accepted into the TMI I class without having taken the Praxis tests. This means you can go through the course, but in order to fully complete the course, you must successfully pass Praxis I and II. We strongly recommend that have some of the tests passed before applying.

### 10) What does the online class cover?

How much time will I have to spend per week on it? The online class covers classroom instruction and application in the fields of effective teaching strategies, classroom management, state curriculum frameworks, planning and instructional methodologies, and use of testing as formative and summative evaluation tools. During the course students will be required to participate in online written assignments and complete online quizzes. Students should anticipate spending 6 to 8 hours on the course every week. In addition to classroom instruction, participants must spend 60 hours in a secondary school setting, gaining hands-on supervised experience. All students in TMI I are required to attend a one day orientation, which will be held on **March 1, 2014** in Oxford. Participants will also attend 1 additional live seminar, which will be held on **May 3, 2014** in Raymond, MS. More information will be provided on live workshops upon acceptance to the program.

### 11) When and where do I do my sixty (60) hours of field experience?

The sixty hours of field experience must be done in a Mississippi school. You can observe any classroom in grades 7 through 12 even if the subject area being taught is not the subject area you wish to teach. You may begin your 60 hours of field experience as soon as you have been admitted to the program—you do not have to wait until the start of class. Please email [tmi@olemiss.edu](mailto:tmi@olemiss.edu) the following information and we will mail a letter on your behalf to the school or schools of your choice: Name of School, Name of Principal, School Mailing Address, City, State, Zip. Please note that all observations MUST be done in the state of Mississippi and in grades 7-12.

### 12) What will happen at the end of the first component and at the end of the second component?

Upon successful completion of the first component of TMI I, participants may apply to the Mississippi Department of Education for a non-renewable temporary License and seek employment in a Mississippi public school district (or MDE-accredited private school). Securing an appropriate teaching position is the responsibility of the participant, but the Institute will assist where possible. Successful completion of this year of employment and the second component of the Teach Mississippi Institute, the internship, results in a standard, 5-year renewable Mississippi teacher's license.

### 13) What grades can I teach when I complete TMI?

Students who complete TMI are able to teach their subject area in grades 7 through 12.

### 14) Does TMI assist with job placement or recommendations?

No, not directly. TMI does not place students in schools. In addition, TMI instructors and staff cannot write letters of recommendations for students being the nature of an online course. However, TMI can write letters of good standing or letters of completion that detail your enrollment or completion of the TMI program.

<b>Application Deadline</b>	February 7
<b>Background Check Submission</b>	February 14
<b>Session Starts</b>	March 1
<b>Orientation</b>	March 1
<b>Tuition Payment - \$915</b>	
+ \$775 tuition	March 1
+ \$125 textbook	
+ \$15 lunch fee (for Orientation and Live Seminar)	
<b>Observation Hours Reduction Request</b>	April 4
<b>Live Seminar</b>	May 3
<b>Coursework Completion</b>	May 17
<b>Session Ends</b>	May 17
<b>Reflective Essay Due*</b>	May 17
<b>Field Experience Due</b>	May 17
<b>Materials Deadline Extension Requisition</b>	August 22
<b>Materials Extended Deadline</b>	December 5

\*The above dates are tentative and subject to change. Updated dates will be available on our website once they become available.



### Fall 2014 Dates

are not set at this time.  
Please check back with us  
at a later date by visiting [tmi.olemiss.edu](http://tmi.olemiss.edu)



## Admission Requirements

- + Bachelor's degree from an accredited university/college with a minimum 2.5 GPA **OR**
- + Senior-standing within 15 hours of a Bachelor's degree from an accredited university/college with a minimum 2.5 GPA;
- + Passing, *Praxis*<sup>TM</sup> Core test scores
- + Passing, *Praxis II*<sup>®</sup> test score in a MS Department of Education-approved subject area\* (Please see listing under Praxis Testing Information)
- + Background check with CertifiedBackground.com

## Background Check Information

All Teach Mississippi Institute participants must submit for a criminal background check. Applicants must submit their background check request with CertifiedBackground.com after the Teach Mississippi Institute has received their application. When submitting for the background check, make sure to use the Teach Mississippi Institute package code **TB23** to process your order. Background checks cost \$40 and is to be paid to CertifiedBackground.com.



## Praxis Information



The Teach Mississippi Institute requires both Praxis<sup>TM</sup> Core Content Area tests in Reading, Writing, and Math and Praxis II Subject Area test taken in a Mississippi Department of Education-approved subject area (For a list of all approved subject areas for TMI, please see **Page 6** of your information guide). Please have your scores sent to **Institutional Code - 1806**

**ATTENTION:** The Mississippi Department of Education (MDE) has changed the requirements for *Praxis I*<sup>®</sup>. Please review pages 5 and 6 of your information guide for more details.

## Transcript Information

The Teach Mississippi Institute requires an official copy of your college transcript that shows proof of a Bachelor's degree awarded from an accredited college or university. TMI only requires transcript from the college or university from which you received the Bachelor's degree; we do not require copies of community college or 2-year institution transcripts. However, if you have received a Master's degree, you can submit that transcript to us in addition to the one with the Bachelor's degree. Even if you graduated from the University of Mississippi, you will still need to request a transcript be sent to the TMI Office. Institutions can send transcripts via a e-transcript service to [tmi@olemiss.edu](mailto:tmi@olemiss.edu) to the attention of Paige Davis.

**ATTENTION:** If you have attained Senior status and within one semester of your degree, the TMI Office requires a copy of your transcript to be sent once the degree has been conferred and listed on the transcript.

## Conditional Acceptance Information

Students may be granted a one-time conditional acceptance into the Teach Mississippi Institute without having one or more of the above items, excluding the background check requirement. This means a student can start TMI 1 in the semester. However, in order to fully complete TMI 1, conditionally accepted students must turn in the above items to the Teach Mississippi Institute Office by the date specified on their acceptance letter.

**EFFECTIVE July 1, 2013:** if a student fails to submit the required materials and thus fails the TMI 1 course, they may only be allowed to rejoin TMI 1 after all requirements have been met.



Make sure to select the Teach Mississippi Institute's Recipient Institutional Code (1806) when you register for the Praxis I and II so that our office will receive your scores from ETS.

Save yourself \$30! ETS will no longer mail out official Praxis test scores.

Your official scores will be in a locked Adobe PDF. Make sure to save the "locked" Adobe PDF of your Praxis I and II scores to your computer. Failure to do so will result in having to order scores from ETS for \$30.

For more information about ETS and Praxis testing, please see the Page 6 of your information guide.



## Praxis™ Core Content Area

Content Area	Test Code	Computer Testing Dates	Min. Score
Reading	5712	12/9-12/21; 1/13-1/25; 2/3-2/15; 4/7-4/19; 5/12-5/24; 6/16-6/21; 7/14-7/26; 8/4-8/16	156
Writing	5722	12/9-12/21; 1/13-1/25; 2/3-2/15; 4/7-4/19; 5/12-5/24; 6/16-6/21; 7/14-7/26; 8/4-8/16	162
Mathematics	5732	12/9-12/21; 1/13-1/25; 2/3-2/15; 4/7-4/19; 5/12-5/24; 6/16-6/21; 7/14-7/26; 8/4-8/16	150

## Praxis 2® Subject Area

Approved Subject Area	Test Code	Computer Testing Dates	Min. Score
Biology	5235/0235	12/9-12/21; 1/13-1/25; 2/3-2/15; 4/7-4/19; 5/12-5/24; 6/16-6/21; 7/14-7/26; 8/4-8/16	150
Business Education	5101/0101	10/7-10/19; 12/9-12/21; 1/13-1/25; 2/3-2/15; 4/7-4/19; 5/12-5/24; 6/16-6/21; 7/14-7/26; 8/4-8/16	153
Chemistry	5245/0245	12/9-12/21; 1/13-1/25; 2/3-2/15; 4/7-4/19; 5/12-5/24; 6/16-6/21; 7/14-7/26; 8/4-8/16	151
English*	5038	10/7-10/19; 12/9-12/21; 1/13-1/25; 2/3-2/15; 4/7-4/19; 5/12-5/24; 6/16-6/21; 7/14-7/26; 8/4-8/16	167
Family & Consumer Science	5121/0121	12/9-12/21; 7/14-7/26	153
French	5174	11/29-12/7; 2/24-3/1; 4/28-5/3; 7/28-8/2	153
German	5183	11/29-12/7; 2/24-3/1; 4/28-5/3; 7/28-8/2	154
Marketing Education	0561		151
Mathematics*	5161	12/9-12/21; 1/13-1/25; 2/3-2/15; 4/7-4/19; 5/12-5/24; 6/16-6/21; 7/14-7/26; 8/4-8/16	160
Physics	5265/0265	7/29-8/3; 10/7-10/19; 1/13-1/25; 5/12-5/24; 6/16-6/21; 8/4-8/16	139
Social Studies	5081/0081	12/9-12/21; 1/13-1/25; 2/3-2/15; 4/7-4/19; 5/12-5/24; 6/16-6/21; 7/14-7/26; 8/4-8/16	150
Spanish	5195	11/29-12/7; 2/24-3/1; 4/28-5/3; 7/28-8/2	160
Speech Communications	5221/0221	12/9-12/21; 1/13-1/25; 2/3-2/15; 4/7-4/19; 5/12-5/24; 6/16-6/21; 8/4-8/16	143
Special Education	5354/0354	12/9-12/21; 1/13-1/25; 2/3-2/15; 4/7-4/19; 5/12-5/24; 6/16-6/21; 7/14-7/26; 8/4-8/16	152

\*The test codes listed above for English and Mathematics are the newest test codes. For participants that have already taken and passed the tests with the old codes (English: 5041/0041; Mathematics: 5061/0061), these test scores will be accepted until 9/1/2015. We strongly encourage participants that have not taken the Praxis II in subject areas Math or English, to take the newest test code.

## Praxis™ Testing Locations

Flowood, MS.....(601) 664-9960	Hattiesburg, MS.....(601) 266-6123	Jackson, MS.....(601) 366-6400
Memphis, TN.....(901) 678-1457	Memphis, TN.....(901) 756-1425	Meridian, MS.....(601) 484-8724
Monticello, AR.....(870) 460-1454	Oxford, MS.....(662) 915-6501	Starkville, MS.....(662) 325-6610
Tupelo, MS.....(662) 844-2998		

## Mississippi Department of Education Praxis™ Guidelines

The Mississippi Department of Education (MDE) over recent years has made changes to the requirements of ALL teacher education programs. The most recent change is the replacement of the *Praxis I*® content area tests with the new *Praxis*™ Core Academic Skills for Educators tests, also known as *Praxis*™ Core, or CASE by MDE (Praxis Core and the (MDE) CASE are the same test). Below is an explanation of how these recent changes affect current and prospective students of the Teach Mississippi Institute Online Program.

**Praxis I® PPST Test** - The MDE will accept the **old passing PPST scores taken before 9/1/2012** if the educator took and passed the test before 9/1/2012 and **applies for a license by 9/1/2014**. This means the educator must have completed the TMI 1 program and have a recommendation by the university.

The PRAXIS I PPST test is a requirement for alternate route educators.

Test Name	Test Code	NEW SCORE <i>Beginning 9/1/2012</i> Accepted until 9/1/2015	OLD SCORE Taken <i>before 9/1/2012</i> Accepted until 9/1/2014
Reading	0710/5710	172	170-if taken before 9/1/2012
Writing	0720/5720	173	172-if taken before 9/1/2012
Mathematics	0730/5730	172	169-if taken before 9/1/2012

### NEW *Praxis*™ Test: Core Academic Skills for Educators (CASE) (also known as *Praxis*™ Core by ETS)

The CASE test will begin on **9/1/2013**, BUT the PRAXIS I Pre Professional Skills Test (PPST) will be offered for test takers until 12/31/2013. After 12/31/2013, the PPST PRAXIS TEST **will no longer be offered**.

**The educator CANNOT combine parts of the PPST and parts of the CASE to meet certification requirements.**

Beginning 01/01/2014, educators must take and pass the CASE in order to meet certification requirements.

\*Praxis Core test codes, test dates, and scores are available on Page 5 of your information guide.

*Information above was taken from an official MDE notification of policy change document.*

## Praxis™ FAQs

How does the Core/CASE test affect me?

If you have *not taken or completed all parts* of the *Praxis I*® tests, we STRONGLY urge you to take the *Praxis*™ Core/CASE tests.

If you *completed all parts* of the *Praxis I*® before September 1, 2012, you will need to apply for your temporary license no later than **September 1, 2014**, OR take the *Praxis*™ Core/CASE tests.\*

If you *completed all parts* of the *Praxis I*® after September 1, 2012, you will need to apply for your temporary license no later than **September 1, 2015**, OR take the *Praxis*™ Core/CASE tests.\*

\*Please note that we advise our TMI 1 students not apply for the license until they have secured a full-time teaching position in a Mississippi school. If you do not take the *Praxis*™ Core/CASE tests, you must secure a teaching position no later than Fall 2014 or Fall 2015, respectfully.

**Can I still be admitted to TMI without already taken the Praxis Core/CASE tests?**

Yes, you can be conditionally accepted into the TMI program without passed the Core/CASE tests. However, tests must be completed by **April 18, 2014**. If you are unable to complete the tests by this deadline, you can extend your course by an additional three months (See Page 4).

Please contact the TMI Office for further details.



Application must include Non-Refundable Application Fee of \$40, payable to University of Mississippi/TMI

Name: Last First Middle Maiden "Preferred"

Social Security Number (SSN)

Date of Birth (DOB): Month/Day/Year

Male

Female

Mailing Address: Number & Street

Apt.#

City

State

Zip Code

( )

Phone

E-mail

**Ethnicity:** (Please mark the applicable category)

American Indian  Alaskan Native  Asian  Black, non-Hispanic  White, non-Hispanic  Hispanic  Pacific Islander  Other

**Military Experience:**  Army  USAF  Navy  USMC  Reserve  MSNG  Coast Guard

**Have you received your Undergraduate Degree?**

Please mark the applicable response.

Yes, I have received my undergraduate degree.

No, but I have achieved senior status in pursuit of my undergraduate degree. I understand that I must complete my undergraduate degree to successfully complete the TMI program.

**List the name of all colleges/universities attended in pursuit of your undergraduate degree.**

**In what subject area(s) do you wish to be licensed?** (Please mark all that apply)

Biology  Business Education  Chemistry  English  Family/Consumer Science  French  German  
 Marketing Education  Mathematics  Physics  Social Studies  Spanish  Speech Communications  Special Education

Yes  No Are you currently licensed in Mississippi?

Yes  No Are you currently addicted or currently dependent on alcohol?

Yes  No Are you currently addicted or currently dependent on other habit-forming drugs?

Yes  No Are you a habitual user of narcotics, barbiturates, amphetamines, hallucinogens, or other drugs having similar effects?

Yes  No Have you been convicted, pled guilty, or entered a plea of nolo contendere to a felony as defined by federal or state law?

Yes  No Have you been convicted, pled guilty, or entered a plea of nolo contendere to a sex offense as defined by federal or state law?

Yes  No Have you had a teaching certificate/license denied, suspended, and/or revoked by another state?

### CHARACTER DETERMINATION:

I understand that a "Yes" answer on any of the questions will require a hearing before the Commission on Teacher and Administrator Education Certification and Licensure and Development when I submit my application for a license and could result in denial of a license. I acknowledge that the answers to the above questions are true and correct. I understand that submission of this application does not guarantee my acceptance into the TMI program. I understand that I must submit to a background check only through CertifiedBackground.com to be eligible for acceptance, pending the results of the check. I understand that I need to complete all components of the TMI program and will utilize my license to teach the students of the state of Mississippi.

Signature of Applicant

Date

# tmi@olemiss.edu

TMI I Spring 2014 class is March 1-May 17, 2014  
Deadline to apply: February 7, 2014

P.O. Box 729, University, MS 38677  
Phone: 662.915.7314  
Facsimile: 662.915.5138



# Thank You for your inquiry about the Teach Mississippi Institute!

The Teach Mississippi Institute hopes that you will choose our program for your alternate path to teaching in the state of Mississippi. **The application deadline for the SPRING 2014 session is February 7, 2014.** Students must submit to a background check no later than February 14, 2014. Completion of this application does not guarantee acceptance to the Teach Mississippi Institute.

Please send application packet to: Teach Mississippi Institute; P.O. Box 729; University, MS 38677

Please make checks or money orders payable to "University of Mississippi/TMI"

## Application Checklist

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Signed Application – due February 7, 2014   | <input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$40 Application Fee – due February 7, 2014 | <input type="checkbox"/> Praxis Core Test Scores*             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Background Check – due February 14, 2014    | <input type="checkbox"/> Praxis II Specialty Area Test Score* |

## Notes:

- + The application must include a handwritten signature.
- + The non-refundable \$40 application fee should be made payable to The University of Mississippi/TMI.
- + Applicants must submit to a background check. Applicants will receive notification of their acceptance into the program after the TMI Office receives the background check results. The background check is administered through Certified Background Check. Applicants will receive instructions from Certified Background via email after they submit their signed application and app fee to the TMI Office. The \$40 background check fee IS TO BE PAID TO THE BACKGROUND CHECK COMPANY.
- + The transcript from your degree granting institution must be submitted via electronic e-script (if your institution offers it) to [tmi@olemiss.edu](mailto:tmi@olemiss.edu) or sealed envelope bearing the seal or signature of the registrar. If sent by mail, you can either:
  - Ask the institution to mail your transcripts to the TMI office, **OR**
  - Ask the institution to mail your transcripts to you, and may be stamped "student issued." If you select this method, do not open the sealed envelope!
- + Test scores must be submitted as originals. Please make sure to select the Teach Mississippi Institute Recipient Code (1806) when you register for your Praxis exams OR e-mail your Official Adobe locked PDF of your Praxis scores to [tmi@olemiss.edu](mailto:tmi@olemiss.edu). No printed copies will be accepted.

\*Students may be conditionally accepted into the program and begin coursework prior to passing the Praxis Core and/or Praxis II. However, students will not be allowed to complete TMI I without providing passing Praxis scores.

All students in the TMI program must attend the **MANDATORY** Orientation on **March 1, 2014** in Oxford on The University of Mississippi campus. There will be **NO EXCEPTIONS** granted.

The next TMI 1 class begins **March 1**.  
Deadline to apply **February 7**.

Please visit [tmi.olemiss.edu](http://tmi.olemiss.edu) or email [tmi@olemiss.edu](mailto:tmi@olemiss.edu) for more information.

## As an applicant to the Teach Mississippi Institute,

You are eligible to apply for various financial assistance opportunities. Since the TMI program is a non-credit/non-degree seeking program, federal financial aid will not cover the tuition and fees of our program. In addition, TMI does not work directly with the Office of Financial Aid at the University of Mississippi, therefore all financial aid monies must be forwarded directly to the TMI Office. \*Some exclusions may apply.

### WIN Job Centers of Mississippi

The WIN Job Centers of Mississippi offer WIA/ITA job opportunity funding for applicants of alternate route programs, such as TMI. When contacting your local WIN Job Center to discuss potential funding of TMI tuition and fees, you will want to find out if they have money under their program title: "Alternate Route to Teachers License – Secondary Education".



Please note that the WIN Job Centers operate differently from location-to-location and not all have funding for our program. For a complete listing of all WIN Job Centers, please visit their website at <http://mdes.ms.gov/win-job-centers/>.



### AmeriCorps

The AmeriCorps program provides educational award funding to students who have completed previous work under their program. Award monies for the TMI program can only be used to cover tuition and fees of the program.

If you are interested in finding out more about AmeriCorps funding, please visit their website at [www.americorp.gov](http://www.americorp.gov).

### Sallie Mae

Sallie Mae has partnered with the TMI program to offer private student loans to our students who qualify. Monies provided are private student loans, which must be paid back according to the terms and conditions set forth by Sallie Mae. Students seeking funding from Sallie Mae can only ask for the total amount of tuition and fees for the TMI program. Excess loan funding for our program cannot be reimbursed to the student.

When applying for the loan, be sure to use our program code: **00244099**

If you are interested in finding out more about Sallie Mae private student loans, please visit our funding page at [www.salliemae.com/00244099](http://www.salliemae.com/00244099).



### Troops to Teachers

Troops to Teachers helps thousands of military retirees, separating active duty, and currently drilling members of the reserve components are eligible for potential funding. Please visit their website at [www.mde.k12.ms.us/troops-to-teachers](http://www.mde.k12.ms.us/troops-to-teachers).

You can also call (601) 359-6654 for more information.

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