

Yale Teacher Preparation & Education Studies Program

Undergraduate Enrollment Process

Sophomores: You **should enroll** in Teacher Prep if you...

- are interested in exploring teaching after graduation from Yale
- want to teach in a public school for early childhood or grades 7 – 12
- want to teach in a private school
- want to be prepared for Teach for America
- want to explore elementary school teaching opportunities
- want to understand teaching as a path to policy making in education
- want to become a part of a group of smart teachers that are changing education from inside and outside their classrooms

Enrollment process:

1. Complete an enrollment packet, which becomes the first part of your portfolio:
 - a. Student Information Form (if not already completed) – attached
 - b. Federal Race & Ethnicity reporting – attached
 - c. Copy of your Yale transcript (printout from SIS is acceptable)
 - d. One letter of reference
 - e. A one-page statement: Why do you want to teach?
 - f. A one-page statement: What should a teacher know and be able to do?
2. Submit the packet **by April 23** (earlier is helpful) to Kendra Mack at the Teacher Preparation & Ed Studies office, 35 Broadway Rm. 204 or teacher.prep@yale.edu
3. Schedule a 30-min meeting to discuss your essays with the Director – sign up for a time at <http://doodle.com/t9t2b82agapkuh5e> and come to our office at 35 Broadway at the time you sign up for. You do not need to wait for a confirmation of the time.

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Student Information Form: Undergraduate

Name: _____

Residential College: _____ Class: _____

Major: _____

Program: Secondary (Gr 7 - 12) _____ (subject)

Early Childhood (Birth - 3) Elementary Exploration (K-6)

Cell Phone: _____

Yale Email: _____

Non-Yale Email: _____

Local Address: _____

Permanent Address: _____

(if different) _____

Secondary school attended: _____

Extracurricular activities:

Experience with children or young people:

Other work experience:

Study abroad plans:

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Race & Ethnicity Data Reporting

Name: _____

Class: _____

1. Are you Hispanic or Latino?

- Yes
 - Central America
 - Cuba
 - Mexico
 - Puerto Rico
 - South America (excluding Brazil)
 - Spain
 - Other _____
- No

2. Regardless of your answer to the prior question, please check *one or more* of the following groups in which you consider yourself to be a member:

- White
- Black or African American
- Asian
- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

Definitions:

White: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.

Black or African American: A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.

Hispanic or Latino: A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

Asian: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

American Indian or Alaska Native: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), who maintains cultural identification through tribal affiliation or community attachment.

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander: A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.