Prepare to make an impact on students in Philadelphia schools!
The School District of Philadelphia and its four (4) residency partners are recruiting our next cohort of Teacher Residents. Successful candidates will follow in the footsteps of 100+ current and former teacher residents, impacting hundreds of students across the city. Highlights of the Teacher Residency Program are:

- Partners: Drexel University, Relay GSE, Temple University & University of Pennsylvania
- Focus on: Middle and Secondary Math, Science, English and Spanish Language Certification
- Residents train with a seasoned mentor teacher for one school year
- Salary of $38,611 and benefits, plus a $7,500 tuition stipend
- Cohort Model
- Residents commit to working within the District for 3 years after Residency year

Teacher Content Areas and Grades:
- Grades 4-8: Math and Science
- Grades 7-12: Biology, Chemistry, Earth & Space Science, General Science, Mathematics, Physics

Average program cost (2019): $2,370

Certification: PA Instructional I
- optional Master’s degree

Admissions Requirements:
- Bachelor’s degree
- Official transcript(s)
- Essay, resume, and letters of recommendation
- Passing Praxis Exam(s) score
- Minimum GPA: 3.0 *

SDP Residency Partner since 2018

All residents must first earn admission to the teacher residency program of one of our partner institutions. For questions, special circumstances or to initiate the process, please be in touch with the contact above.