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EARLY FIELD EXPERIENCE RESOURCES

The Multiple Subject, Single Subject, and Special Education Teaching Credential Programs at San Francisco State University require candidates to fulfill 45 hours of Early Field Experience in a public classroom setting. Applicants must demonstrate that they have fulfilled the Early Field Experience *prior* to applying to the credential program. This Early Field Experience requirement can be met by volunteering, substitute teaching, or working in a regular education classroom (multiple subject general education classroom for Multiple Subject Credential; middle or high school classroom for Single Subject Credential in an appropriate subject area; and K-12 for Education Specialist Credential) in a California public school. The classroom should be culturally and linguistically diverse, meaning that at least **one third of the students are English Language Learners**. The intention is for applicants to gain some exposure to and familiarity with the role of the teacher, the student age group, the current curriculum standards, and the public school environment. The experience should be within the last 5 years. Experiences in private schools, higher education, religious education, after school programs or outside the U.S. will **not** meet this requirement.

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