



## Colorado Center for Rural Education

### 2022-2023 Application Due Dates

- 2<sup>nd</sup> RIES Application Timeline: 11/1/21 - 2/28/22

**Rural Inservice Educator Stipend:** The Colorado Center for Rural Education and the Colorado Department of Higher Education encourage talented inservice PK-12 educators working in a rural Colorado school district to pursue the necessary qualifications to: (a) teach concurrent enrollment courses, (b) add an additional endorsement; or (c) fulfill a local faculty need. The Rural Inservice Educator Stipend provides recipients with up to \$6,000 to offset costs associated with a qualifying program provided by one of Colorado's institutions of higher education.

- CRTS (for Fall 2022) Application Timeline: 12/1/21 - 3/31/22

**Colorado Rural (Student) Teacher Stipend:** The Colorado Center for Rural Education and the Colorado Department of Higher Education encourage talented teacher candidates to student teach in Colorado rural school districts and eventually become a teacher in a Colorado rural school district. The value of the stipend is up to \$4,000 for the semester of student teaching. Stipend recipients are expected to complete student teaching in a Colorado rural school district and then apply to and work in a rural school district.

- NBCT Application Timeline: 1/1/22 - 4/30/22

**National Board Certified Teacher Stipend:** The Colorado Center for Rural Education and the Colorado Department of Higher Education encourage talented K-12 educators in rural Colorado school districts to pursue National Board Teacher Certification (NBCT). All NBCT stipend recipients will receive support and mentorship from NBCT facilitators in a Colorado Rural National Board cohort. The value of the stipend is \$4,250.00, which is the amount needed to (a) enroll with the National Board; (b) register for each of the four components of the NB portfolio; and (c) participate in the Rural National Board Cohort, which is paid for by the Colorado Center for Rural Education to facilitators on behalf of cohort members. If selected as a National Board Teacher Certification Scholar, the recipient will receive half of the stipend at the start of the program and the remaining half after participating in the Colorado Rural National Board Cohort for the first year. Recipients must commit to remaining in a rural setting for three (3) years after becoming a National Board candidate.

- RIES Application Timeline: 5/1/22 - 8/31/22

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- SPSS Application Timeline: 6/1/22 - 9/30/22

**Special Services Provider Stipend:** The Colorado Center for Rural Education and the Colorado Department of Higher Education encourage talented individuals interested in Special Services Provider employment in rural or small rural schools in Colorado to apply for the Special Services Provider Stipend (SSPS). The SSPS provides recipients with up to \$6,000 to pay for a variety of program-related costs during their final clinical experience (e.g., application fees, official transcripts, evaluation, tuition and fees, exams, fingerprinting, licensing, technology and travel costs).

- CRTS (for Spring 2023) Application Timeline: 7/1/22 - 10/31/22

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For more information about the Colorado Center for Rural Education stipends, please see:

<https://www.unco.edu/colorado-center-for-rural-education/stipends/>