GRANT APPLICATION

Please print all information.

Chapter Name: _____

Name: _____

Home Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: **(Personal, non-school e-mail required)**

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CTA Member ID# _____

Check if Requesting SOUTH Conference: ☐

PLEASE NOTE: THIS IS AN M/MTUC GRANT, NOT A CTA GRANT.

DEADLINE TO SUBMIT THIS APPLICATION IS FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2026

Merced/Mariposa Teachers UniServ Council

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2026-27 New Educator Weekend

The Merced/Mariposa Teachers UniServ Council (M/MTUC) is offering a total of 20 grants for this conference. Submit your grant application by Friday, September 11, 2026, to the Merced/Mariposa CTA office: 3351 M Street #105, Merced, 95348; mmtuccta@mmtuc.org; or fax: 209-723-9598. Grant recipients will be notified via personal (non-school district) email after the application deadline.

This conference is for educators in their first three years in the profession and has everything they need to be successful in their first years of teaching. **This grant is intended for the New Educator Weekend – North on November 13-15, 2026; however, members may request to use the grant for the New Educator Weekend – South on February 19-21, 2027, with the mileage reimbursement limited to the roundtrip distance between the member's home and the North venue.**

The following conference expenses are covered by this grant and will be reimbursed after the conference, receipts required:

REGISTRATION: The registration fee for members is $49.

LODGING: One half the cost of the hotel for Friday and Saturday nights will be reimbursed based upon the CTA rate for double occupancy rooms. **If you do not room with another conference attendee, you will be responsible for one-half of the room cost.** The CTA room rates are:
North: San Francisco Airport Marriott Waterfront, $164/night + tax; hotel registration deadline October 26, 2026, or until sold out.
South: Hilton Orange County/Costa Mesa, $177/night + tax; hotel registration deadline February 4, 2027, or until sold out.

PARKING: North: $18/night Self-parking; South: $18/night Self-parking.

MEALS: Saturday dinner: Up to $50 with itemized receipt or up to $20 with non-itemized receipt.

TRAVEL: Mileage is reimbursed at the IRS rate for the roundtrip distance between member's home and the NORTH conference venue, based on the shortest highway route.

NOTE: *Substitute costs are not covered by this grant.*

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