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I have always possessed the passion to become a teacher, but it wasn't until I discovered the TEACH grant that I realized the importance of being a teacher in a high-need field. It is one thing to pursue a career in education, but another to be dedicated to giving back to those students in low-income schools who may not have the luxuries of everyday life. I have the power to help these students recognize their own potential in and outside of the classroom. This grant allows me to carry out my passions for becoming a high school educator of diversity, and reduces the stress that is eminent with the financial burden. I am learning so much about the importance of good educators, and have utilized this monetary means to improve my skills and prepare me for my future.