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**Student Profile:**

I've known for a long time I wanted to become a teacher. For me, teaching is more than a profession; it's my passion! I recognize that teaching is not just imparting education, it is mentorship of young minds. While going through the Multiple Subject Credential Program at California State University, Stanislaus, the TEACH Grant has helped me significantly. With the TEACH Grant, my financial stress has lowered and I have been able to concentrate my attention on gaining knowledge and experience while being in the credential program. I will be forever grateful for being given the opportunity to receive the TEACH Grant and I hope it continues to benefit those that are also passionate future teachers.