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I received the TEACH Grant as a Senior during my undergraduate and during my time in the credential program. The TEACH Grant has helped support me while completing the necessary requirements to become a teacher. Although I received the Cal Grant A, scholarships, and worked part time, with the high cost of living and tuition I found myself still pinching pennies every month. The TEACH Grant helped minimize some of the financial burden while completing my education. The credential program I was admitted into was a partnership which required me to student teach over a year long period. Consequently, my ability to work sufficient hours was almost nonexistent. I decided to enter into this program for the fact that I wanted to gain more in-class experience working alongside a veteran co-teacher. Enrolled in my final student teaching I am confident I am prepared and am a highly qualified teacher who will properly teach the students of my community. Without the additional support from the TEACH Grant I truly feel that I would not have been able to receive the proper education and training I felt was necessary. In my opinion, the TEACH Grant helps foster quality educators by providing financial relief during this crucial time in education.