



**NCTM Grants, Scholarships, and Awards  
Mathematics Education Trust (MET)**

NCTM established the Mathematics Education Trust (MET) in 1976 to channel the generosity of donors by creating grants for teachers from preservice to leadership that span a range of learning, teaching and research opportunities.

Grant Name	Applicants	Grade Level(s)	Maximum Award	Due Date
<b>Scholarships and Awards for Preservice Teachers</b>				
Prospective PK-6 Elementary Teacher Course Work Scholarship	Preservice Elementary School Teachers	PK-6	\$10,000	May 1
Prospective 7–12 Secondary Teacher Course Work Scholarship	Preservice Secondary Teachers	7–12	\$10,000	May 1
Prospective Teacher NCTM Annual Meeting Attendance Award	Preservice Teachers	PK–12	\$1500 plus conference registration	May 1
Opening Gates for Prospective Teachers	Mathematics Educators	PK-12	\$490	May 1

<b>Coursework and Scholarship Grants for In-Service Teachers</b>				
Advanced Mathematics Education Coursework Scholarship for Grades 9–12 Teachers	Coaches, Teachers, Teacher-Leaders	9–12	\$3000	Nov. 1
Mathematics Graduate Coursework Scholarship for Grades PK–5, 6–8, and 9–12 Teachers (3 different scholarships)	Teachers	PK–5	\$3200	Nov. 1
		6–8	\$3200	Nov. 1
		9–12	\$3200	Nov. 1
Professional Development Scholarship Emphasizing History, Number Theory, or Discrete Mathematics	Teachers	6–12	\$3000	May 1

<b>Research Grants</b>				
Classroom Research Grant (PK–6 and 7–12) (2 different grants)	Teachers, Mathematics Educators, Research Focus	PK–6	\$6000	Nov. 1
		7–12	\$6000	Nov. 1
Action Research on Mathematics Teaching Practices Grant	Coaches, Teachers, Teacher-Leaders, Preservice Teachers, Research Focus	PK–12	\$6000	May 1

<b>Professional Development Grants</b>				
Emerging Teacher-Leaders in Elementary School Mathematics Grant	Coaches, Teachers, Teacher-Leaders	PK–5	\$6000	Nov. 1
Fostering Support of Mathematics Learning for Multilingual Learners (PK–12) (co-funded with TODOS)	Coaches, Teachers, Teacher-Leaders	PK–12	\$4000	Nov. 1

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<b>Professional Development Grants (cont.)</b>				
Future Leader Initial NCTM Annual Meeting Attendance Award	Teachers	PK–12	\$1500 plus conference registration	May 1
School In-Service Training Grants for PK–5, 6–8, and 9–12 (3 different grants)	Coaches, Teachers, Teacher-Leaders	PK–5 6–8 9–12	\$4000 \$4000 \$4000	May 1 May 1 May 1
Teacher-Leader Professional Learning Grant (PK–12) (co-funded with NCSM)	Teachers, Teacher-Leaders	PK–12	\$4000	Nov. 1
Teacher Professional Development Grants for PK–5, 6–8, and 9–12 (3 different grants)	Coaches, Teachers, Teacher-Leaders	PK–5 6–8 9–12	\$3000 \$3000 \$3000	Nov. 1 Nov. 1 Nov. 1

<b>Other Grants</b>				
Connecting Mathematics to Other Subject Areas Grant (9–12)	Coaches, Teachers, Teacher-Leaders	9–12	\$4000	Nov. 1
Designing Innovative Lessons and Activities for Mathematics Teaching (K–8)	Coaches, Teachers, Teacher-Leaders	K–8	\$5000 plus up to 2 renewals of \$5000 each	Nov. 1
Engaging Students in Learning Mathematics Grant (6–8)	Teachers	6–8	\$3000	Nov. 1
Enhancing Student Mathematics Learning through the Use of Tools and Technology Grant	Coaches, Teachers, Teacher-Leaders	PK–12	\$3000	May 1
Equity in Mathematics Grant (6–12)	Teachers	6–12	\$8000	Nov. 1
Improving Students' Understanding of Geometry Grant (PK–8)	Teachers	PK–8	\$4000	Nov. 1
Partnership for Transition to College Readiness Grant	Higher Education and Teachers	9-12	\$8000	Nov. 1
Using Music to Teach Mathematics Grant (PK–2)	Teachers	PK–5	\$3000	Nov. 1

### Lifetime Achievement Awards

An award presented annually at the NCTM Annual Meeting and honoring NCTM members with a lifetime of achievement in mathematics education at the national level. Nominees should have a minimum of 25 years of distinguished service to mathematics education. Applications are due May 1.

### Affiliate Grants

Three grants are available to NCTM Affiliates: The Kenneth B. Cummins Grant for Partner Affiliates (up to \$3,500), the Associate Affiliate Grant (up to \$2,500), and the Student Affiliate Grant (up to \$2,000). These grants are awarded to Affiliates in good standing to initiate professional activities or programs that might otherwise not be possible. Applications are due May 1.

For additional information about all MET grants and application details see [www.nctm.org/Grants](http://www.nctm.org/Grants).