



## **EARLY FIELD EXPERIENCE RESOURCES**

The Multiple Subject, Single Subject, and Special Education Teaching Credential Programs at San Francisco State University require candidates to fulfill 45 hours of Early Field Experience in a public classroom setting. Applicants must demonstrate that they have fulfilled the Early Field Experience *prior* to applying to the credential program. This Early Field Experience requirement can be met by volunteering, substitute teaching, or working in a regular education classroom (multiple subject general education classroom for Multiple Subject Credential; middle or high school classroom for Single Subject Credential in an appropriate subject area; and K-12 for Education Specialist Credential) in a California public school. The classroom should be culturally and linguistically diverse, meaning that at least **one third of the students are English Language Learners**. The intention is for applicants to gain some exposure to and familiarity with the role of the teacher, the student age group, the current curriculum standards, and the public school environment. The experience should be within the last 5 years. Experiences in private schools, pre-schools, higher education, religious education, after school programs or outside the U.S. will **not** meet this requirement.

### San Francisco

#### **SFSU Community Involvement Center**

CIC Building  
(415) 338-1486

#### **City College of San Francisco**

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Teacher Prep Center – Bungalow 213  
San Francisco, CA 94112  
(415) 239-3890

#### **San Francisco Education Fund**

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San Francisco, CA 94102  
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### North Bay

#### **Marin County School Volunteers**

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P.O. Box 4925  
San Rafael, CA 94913  
(415) 499-5896  
www.mcsv.org

### East Bay

#### **Berkeley School Volunteers**

1835 Allston Way  
Berkeley, CA 94703  
(510) 644-8833  
<http://www.berkeleypublicschoolsfund.org>  
Email: bsv@berkeley.k12.ca.us

### South Bay

#### **Pacifica School Volunteers**

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830 Rosita Road (Physical address)  
Pacifica, CA 94044  
(650) 355-9432  
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#### **Redwood City School District**

Human Resources, RCSD  
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Redwood City, CA 94063  
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