

# Urban Teacher Preparation Program

## Corcoran CTE Pathway

**The Career Field:** Experts predict a need to fill 100,000 teaching positions across the country beginning in 2018 and continuing for years after that. Urban school districts will be among the areas with the most jobs available. Whether it's identifying and meeting the individual educational needs of a multi-cultural, economically diverse student population, building supportive relationships with students and families, or teaching and advocating for social and economic justice, the urban educator's job is a challenging but highly rewarding career choice.



**The Program:** The Urban Teacher Prep Pathway at Corcoran provides students with the opportunity to prepare for a career in urban education and earn no-cost transferable college credits. Students in the program will learn about and practice the unique skills required to be a successful educator in a diverse urban environment. They will develop an understanding of teaching and learning through hands-on lessons, work-based experiences, and specialized coursework.

Students in this program can earn their NYS TA certification and enter the SCSD Career Ladder program, which will provide the structure and support to become a teacher at SCSD.



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### Career Opportunities

- » Classroom teacher (K-12)
- » Teaching assistant (K-12)
- » Other school-based activities

### Work-Based Experiences

- » College visits
- » Job shadowing
- » Professional workshops and seminars
- » Classroom experience

### Career & Academic Support

- » Mentoring
- » College Partners SCSD connections and support

### Graduates Receive

- » NYS Regents Diploma or a Regents Diploma with Advanced Designation
- » No-cost, college credits transferable to two or four year degree programs
- » Unique skills and knowledge providing you with a head start to a career in urban education
- » Teachers Assistant certification
- » Practical experience

### Who

Any SCSD 8<sup>th</sup> grade student may apply to the Urban Teacher Preparation Program at Corcoran High School.

### Cost

There is no cost to attend the Urban Teacher Preparation Program.

### Where

Students in the Urban Teacher Preparation Program will attend Corcoran High School.

### Apply

During the 8<sup>th</sup> grade year, students apply online at [www.scsd.us](http://www.scsd.us) or in person at the **Student Registration Center (1005 W. Fayette St.)**.

All applicants (accompanied by a parent or guardian) must complete an in-person interview with Corcoran staff.

Are you interested in a career making a difference in the lives of young people and working in an urban environment?

**The Urban Teacher Prep Pathway at Corcoran may be for you!**