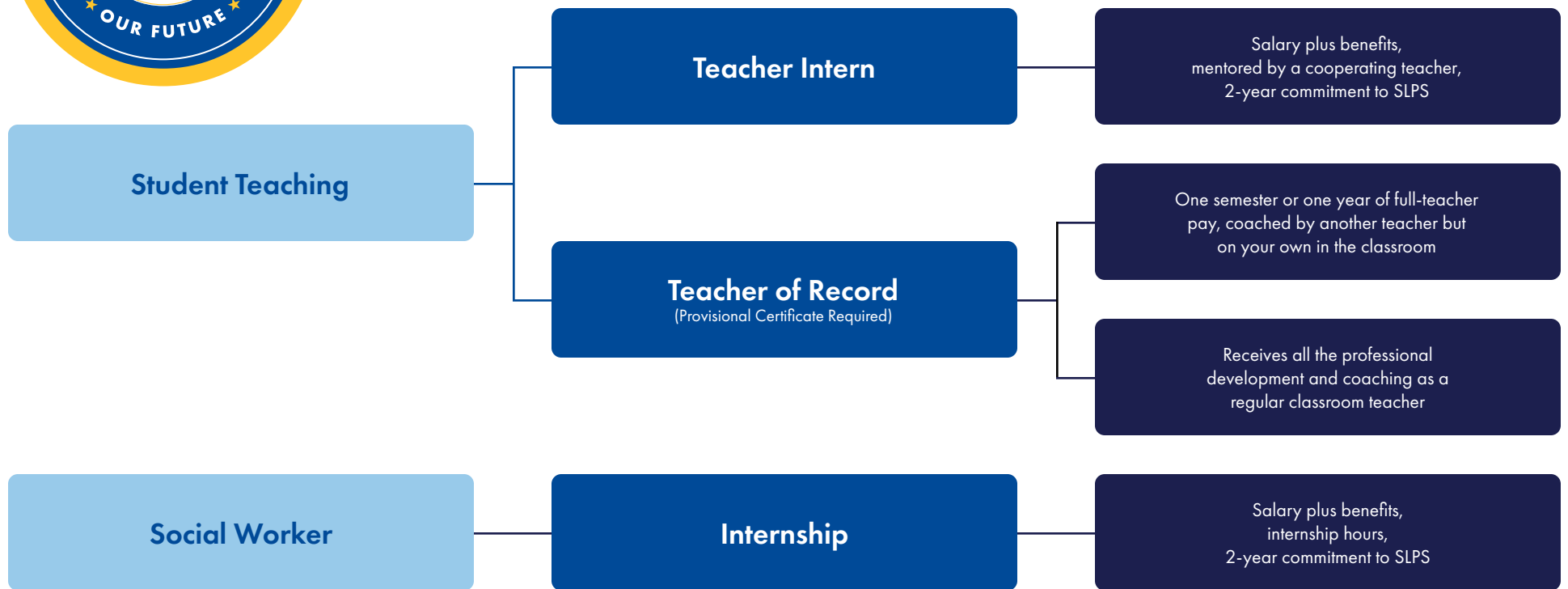




# Paid Student Opportunities with SLPS

*...yes, paid!*



## Why Saint Louis Public Schools?

- ▶ We care about our city and believe in our students ability to achieve. We are home to three of Missouri's top 20 high schools!
- ▶ Through the generous support of the Parsons Blewett Memorial Fund, **certified teachers receive up to \$30,000 in tuition reimbursement after their first year!**
- ▶ As an educator in a Title I district, you would be eligible for \$5,000+ of loan forgiveness after 5 years of teaching, and **FULL loan forgiveness** after 10 years through Public Service Loan Forgiveness.
- ▶ We offer **FULLY PAID benefits** for employees – health insurance, life insurance, dental, and wellness plans.
- ▶ Public school teaching is one of the few careers left with a **robust pension retirement plan**. Thinking of retirement early in your career is essential for success in the end.

**Questions? Contact our team at [StudentTeach@SLPS.org](mailto:StudentTeach@SLPS.org)**



# SLPS Placement Process for Student Teachers, Interns, and Observers

## STEP 1: University Responsibility

University submits request via link [SLPS.org/StudentTeach](https://SLPS.org/StudentTeach)

- Student Teaching
- Practicum
- Observation
- Internship

- ▶ University information (name, email)
- ▶ Student information (name, email)
- ▶ Type of placement
- ▶ Select desired school in SLPS
- ▶ Background checks must be within 6 months
- ▶ TB test must be within 1 year

## STEP 2: University Responsibility

University informs student of placement requirements and sends an email to [StudentTeach@SLPS.org](mailto:StudentTeach@SLPS.org)

Required Documents	40 Hours and Above	Below 40 Hours
TB Test	Yes	No
Background Check	<a href="#">Substitute Certification</a> or <a href="#">FBI</a> Background	<a href="#">Substitute Certification</a> or <a href="#">FCRSR</a> Background

## STEP 3: Student Responsibility

Teacher Intern, 2024-2025

[App.HireNimble.com/JobView/57375](https://App.HireNimble.com/JobView/57375)

Social Worker Intern, 2024-2025

[App.HireNimble.com/JobView/77676](https://App.HireNimble.com/JobView/77676)

Unpaid Student Teaching, Practicum, Observation, and Internship Placement Request

[App.HireNimble.com/JobView/10135](https://App.HireNimble.com/JobView/10135)

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## STEP 4: Placements (Recruitment Team Responsibility)

Recruitment team will review student's application and the university's request. Once verified, Recruitment Team will send an email to the student and forward information to university and partner school's principal. University, principal or supervisor, and student determine collaboratively the logistics of placement.

If student applicants do not have all required information uploaded in Nimble application, the Recruitment Team will notify the student and university by email of the missing documentation. Once application is updated, student and/or university need(s) to reply to email that required information is uploaded and application is complete.



# Paid Student Teaching Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

## Teacher Intern

## Teacher of Record

## Social Worker

<b>What is the rate of pay?</b>	Visit <a href="http://SLPS.org/Apply">SLPS.org/Apply</a> for salary information	Visit <a href="http://SLPS.org/Apply">SLPS.org/Apply</a> for salary information	Visit <a href="http://SLPS.org/Apply">SLPS.org/Apply</a> for salary information
<b>Employment type?</b>	Full-time	Full-time	Full-time
<b>What benefits are included?</b>	Medical/dental/vision	Medical/dental/vision	Medical/dental/vision
<b>What certification is needed?</b>	None	Provisional certificate or letter of eligibility from university	Pursuing Bachelor of Social Work (BSW) or Masters of Social Work (MSW)
<b>Will I be paying into the Retirement system?</b>	Yes, 9% is deducted from your paycheck.	Yes, 9% is deducted from your paycheck.	Yes, 9% is deducted from your paycheck.
<b>Which SLPS schools are participating?</b>	Sample Host Schools: Stix, Lexington, Shaw, Dewey, Adams, Buder, Betty Wheeler, Hodgen, Patrick Henry, Soldan, Mason, Mullanphy, Woodward, McKinley, Collegiate, Roosevelt, Clyde C. Miller, AESM, Compton-Drew	Any school with current vacancy.	Any school with current vacancy.
<b>Will I serve in a classroom with a cooperating teacher or supervisor?</b>	Yes, cooperating teachers have been identified as master teachers, certified in content area, and been teaching at least 3 complete years in content area.	No, you will be the lead teacher in the classroom. However, an Academic Coach or another teacher will still serve as a CT to complete your MEES evaluation.	Yes
<b>Are students required to interview for this opportunity?</b>	Yes, you will be interviewed by HR.	Yes, you will be interviewed by a building principal.	Yes, you will be interviewed by the Director of Social Work.
<b>What is the commitment by the student teachers?</b>	Student teacher will sign a contract committing two years as a teacher of record post-graduation.	Student teacher will sign a contract committing to working as the teacher of record for the duration of the school year.	Student teacher will sign a contract committing two years as a teacher of record post-graduation.
<b>Is there a timeline teacher candidates are expected to be in the role?</b>	Student teachers are required to complete at least 12 credit hours of student teaching requirement per DESE. Also, required to complete the semester remaining in role (as aide in classroom or substitute).	Will be required to serve as teacher of record in assigned placement for the duration of the school year.	Complete their required internship hours in compliance with their respective social work program. Also, required to complete the semester remaining in role (as aide in classroom or substitute).