

10 Fast Facts About Teach For America

- 1** Our teachers (corps members) come from all backgrounds and careers—you don't have to be an education major or a teacher to apply.
- 2** Only one in five of our alumni considered a teaching career before applying to the corps.
- 3** We are looking for people who want a meaningful career in all fields—teaching will give you the perspective and leadership experience to advocate for equity within any career.
- 4** We don't just look for recent graduates—one in three of our corps members applied as a graduate student or professional.
- 5** Our corps members hail from more than 850 colleges and universities.
- 6** Nearly 50 percent of corps members identify as people of color.
- 7** Our training and support program starts with independent pre-work, an intensive summer training program with student teaching, and continues throughout the two-year commitment with one-on-one coaching and professional development sessions.
- 8** Corps members teach in 52 urban and rural regions nationwide.
- 9** Corps members are hired by schools and districts for open positions just like any other teacher, and receive the same salary and benefits as other beginning teachers.
- 10** More than 80 percent of our alumni work in education or in careers that positively impact low-income communities.

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