

Inspire Young Minds

Engineers make Bridges Artists make Paintings Scientists make Rockets But Teachers make them All.

I want to bring about sustainable positive change that will continue to propagate on its own, and I think teaching is the best way to do that. While my education at Mines has prepared me to be an effective engineer, I believe that my time is better spent giving others the tools to critically evaluate and address the challenges they encounter.

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THINKING ABOUT TEACHING SCIENCE?'

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Did you know...

There are student **loan forgiveness** programs and **scholarships** for science and math teachers.¹

At year 15, the middle 50% of teacher salaries ranges between **\$65,000 and \$110,000** (IQR), nationally.^{2,3,6}



Most teaching jobs have **better retirement benefits** than private industry. ³



Teachers **rate their lives better** than all other occupation groups, trailing only physicians. ⁴

Behind every advance in medicine or technology is a **teacher who left a lasting impression.**



- 1. See Federal Student Aid at studentaid.ed.gov
- Research conducted at the Colorado School of Mines
 See https://nces.ed.gov/
- 4. See Gallup Poll data at https://news.gallup.com/poll/ 161324/physicians-lead-wellbeing-transportation-workerslag.aspx

5. See opportunities at https://www.state.gov/key-topicsoffice-of-overseas-schools/teaching-in-internationalschools-overseas/

6. IQR = interquartile range which means the middle 50%



You can get a **job almost anywhere** in the **U.S. or abroad** as a science or math teacher. ⁵

Teachers earn additional pay of **\$1,000 - \$8,000 (IQR)** for optional activities like coaching, running afterschool clubs, and tutoring. ^{3,6}



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