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## Expanded Wisconsin Fast Forward- Technical College Grants Teacher Training and Development Grants

	Number of Contracted	Total Amount	Minimum Estimate of Teachers Gaining
Expanded WFF	Grants	Contracted	Licensure
EF182TD	8	\$373,338	67

## **Grantee Contract Summaries**

**Milwaukee Public Schools** – DWD issued a grant of \$50,000 to Milwaukee Public Schools to license a minimum of 8 new teachers in partnership with UW-Milwaukee and Milwaukee Area Technical College. Teacher candidates will be gaining licensure in Special Education through an expansion of the MPS Professional Licensure with Undergraduate Support (PLUS) Program.

**Isthmus Montessori Academy** – DWD issued a grant of \$49,999 to Isthmus Montessori Academy in Madison to license a minimum of 6 teachers as an expansion of their IMA Fellows Project. The Teacher candidates will be receiving Wisconsin Montessori Licenses for general education courses.

**Berlin Area School District** – DWD issued a grant of \$45,000 to Berlin Area School District to license a minimum of 6 teachers through the district's '3'R's – Recruitment, Retention, and Resilience' Project. Teacher candidates will gain licensure as Special Education and Reading Specialist teachers from UW-La Crosse and UW-Oshkosh, respectively. Candidates who are already teaching in the district may also participate by gaining certification to teach dual enrollment courses, per the Higher Learning Commission standards.

**Campbellsport School District** – DWD issued a grant of \$50,000 to Campbellsport School District to license a minimum of 8 new teacher candidates. Teachers will be recruited to fill existing vacancies in the areas of Family and Consumer Science, Library Media, and Career and Technical Education at Moraine Park Technical College and other schools in the UW system, as necessary.

**Baraboo School District** – DWD issued a grant of \$50,000 to Baraboo School District to license a minimum of 8 new teacher candidates. As a component of the district's 'Thunderbird Teacher Training' Program, new teacher candidates will work toward their 'Special Education/Initial Educator 1801 - Cross Categorical' Teaching Licenses.

**School District of Janesville** – DWD issued a grant of \$50,000 to the School District of Janesville to license a minimum of five teachers in the subject areas of Special Education, EL (English Learners), and

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STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) as a part of its 'Grow Your Own' teacher recruitment initiative.

**Hayward Community School District** – DWD issued a grant of \$28,500 to Hayward Community School District to license a minimum of 8 new teacher candidates in the subject areas of English, Elementary Education, and Special Education as a part of its Hayward Hurricanes 'Teach Like a Cane' Program.

**Seton Catholic Schools** – DWD issued a grant of \$49,839 to Seton Catholic Schools in Milwaukee to license a minimum of 18 new teachers in the subject areas of General Education, Spanish and ESL (English as a Second Language) as a part of its 'Seton Teacher Residency' Program. Teacher candidates will attend courses at Cardinal Stritch University while completing their assessments and residency.