The Knowles Teaching Fellowship is an intensive five-year program that supports early-career, high school mathematics and science teachers in their efforts to develop teaching expertise and lead from the classroom.

Fellows are eligible for grants, but must request funds.** For the purpose of eligibility, we consider an applicant’s first year of teaching to be the first year in which they teach full time for the full academic year as the teacher-of-record. See knowlesteachers.org/apply for details.

“I encourage all new teachers to apply because not only does Knowles give you resources and support, it also gives you a voice. One of the biggest things I’ve taken away from my participation in the Fellowship is the courage and the confidence to speak up at my school and enact real, positive change to best support students.”

- John Holcomb, Knowles Senior Fellow, Chemistry Teacher, Sequoia High School, Redwood City, California

FINANCIAL SUPPORT*
Knowles Teaching Fellows have access to funding for professional development, classroom materials and stipends.

COACHING & MENTORING
Knowles Teaching Fellows are supported by experienced teachers who assist with a wide range of personal and professional challenges faced by beginning teachers.

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Knowles Teaching Fellows are able to tap into a national network of nearly 450 teachers who support one another in their efforts to improve education.

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New math and science teachers who are striving to provide equitable instruction are encouraged to apply for a 2024 Knowles Teaching Fellowship.
To be eligible for a 2024 Knowles Teaching Fellowship, individuals must:
1. have the capacity and determination to commit to teaching as their primary career;
2. have earned a degree in a major related to the mathematics or science discipline they intend to teach between 2014 and September 1, 2024;
3. have earned or will earn a valid state teaching credential/certificate/license that enables them to teach mathematics or science in grades 9–12 in the United States no earlier than January 1, 2019 and no later than September 1, 2024; and
4. be entering their first, second or third** year as teacher-of-record during the 2024–2025 academic year.

Contact us via email at apply@knowlesteachers.org if you have any questions.