

# How to Support BIPOC Teachers

## Support Teachers Directly

Many public schools and new teachers rely on [Go Fund Me](#) and [Donors Choose](#) to help supply their classrooms and student needs. With the start of the school year, many teachers will post their individual needs to this site.

## Support non-profit organizations whose primary mission is to provide teacher supplies:

- [Resource Area for Teachers \(RAFT\)](#)
- [SCRAP SF](#)
- [East Bay Depot for Creative Use](#)

## Support teacher training and professional development are offered by local Bay Area non-profits, including:

- [The New Teacher Project](#)
- [Communities in Schools](#)
- [California Teacher Development Collaborative](#)

## Support teachers of color who work in low-income communities:

Schools are often underfunded and understaffed. Many non-profits offer temporary additional staff to help support school needs throughout the day including before and after school care, recess supervision, and additional academic supports for students not yet at grade level.

Examples of non-profits:

- [Citizen Schools](#)
- [City Year](#)
- [Reading Partners](#)
- [Think Together](#)

## Support teachers of color with student loans:

Many loan forgiveness or education award programs for teachers are funded through community service programs, like AmeriCorps. Teacher preparation programs include:

- [Teach for America](#)
- [KIPP Teacher Residency](#)
- [Voices Academies](#)
- [San Francisco Teacher Residency](#)
- [Marshall Street \(Summit Public Schools\)](#)
- [Alder Teacher Residency \(Caliber Schools, and Envision Education\)](#)

## Support teachers of color with student loans who are impacted by COVID-19

- [California State Program](#)
- [Federal Program](#)

For more information, please visit Sequoia Impact Program website at <https://hello.sequoia.com/sequoia-impact>.