# #LatinosTeach Campaign: K-12 Teachers

# Nomination Response Form

The quality of a student’s teacher is the single most influential in-school factor in academic achievement and future life outcomes. With the increase in Hispanic\* population, it is important to have a teaching workforce that reflects the student population in order to meet the demands of our increasingly diverse nation.

***Over 1 out of 4 public school students are Hispanic, while Hispanic teachers represent***

***only 9.3% of the teaching workforce and Hispanic males only represent 2%.***

With the [#LatinosTeach online campaign](https://sites.ed.gov/hispanic-initiative/latinosteach/), the White House Initiative on Advancing Educational Equity, Excellence, and Economic Opportunity for Hispanics (Initiative) features Hispanic teachers nationwide to demonstrate that while they are underrepresented, there are many Hispanics who are dedicating themselves to serving their community through teaching.

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If you have received this form, you have been nominated by a fellow peer to be recognized by the White House Initiative on Advancing Educational Equity, Excellence, and Economic Opportunity for Hispanics (Initiative)) as part of our #LatinosTeach online campaign.

Please fill out this form to complete your nomination and return electronically to WHIEEH@ed.gov. Please note that the information captured on this form may be shared within the federal government and made public. In order to fully consider your nomination we would like to receive responses to all of the following questions, however, your response to each question is voluntary. Examples of information provided may be found on our [webpage](https://sites.ed.gov/hispanic-initiative/latinosteach/). *Please note that responses may be slightly edited by the Initiative team.*

**CAREER SUMMARY**

*Please provide a summary of your career, including any relevant teaching highlights and years of teaching experience. Also provide the name of the school you are currently teaching at.*

## PERSONAL RESPONSES

*Please provide answers to the following questions.*

* *Why Do You Teach?*
* *What do you love about teaching?*
* *What resources (programs, tools, etc.) were available to you throughout your journey into teaching?*
* *When you were a student, was there a great teacher who inspired you?*

## PRESS ATTENTION

*If you have received attention in the press, our understanding of the your activities would be greatly aided if you could provide information about that attention, such as clips/links that highlight the proposed nominee, e.g., articles, blogs, and TV or radio coverage.*

**SOCIAL MEDIA**

*Once nominated, the Initiative would like to tag you in their social media posts. Please provide Instagram, Facebook and Twitter account handles for both you and the school where you teach.*

**PHOTOGRAPH**

*When submitting this nomination form, please provide a headshot that can be attached to the profile and used via social media.*

*\*The terms Hispanic and Latino are used interchangeably, while recognizing their distinctive demographic and cultural meanings.*