

OREGON CONFERENCE OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS TEACHER PROFESSIONAL GROWTH FUND 2025-2026

COURSEWORK FOR ACADEMIC CREDIT

1. Summer School through Walla Walla University

(NPUC Education Code 5430:00)

- a. Tuition is subsidized by NPUC, WWU, and OR Conference at no cost to OR Conference teachers.
- b. One round trip to Walla Walla University mileage will be reimbursed, if attending in person.
- c. Allowance for dormitory rent is provided/reimbursed for each week in attendance (eight-week limit), if attending in person.
- d. Year-round teacher-specific asynchronous courses are also available at no cost to the OR Conference teacher if the courses are required for certification renewal.
- e. Part-time teachers may be eligible for WWU summer and/or asynchronous courses at no cost. Talk with your superintendent for more information.
- f. Textbooks and food are the responsibility of employee.

2. Classes for Academic Credit at any College

- a. One equivalent round trip to Walla Walla University per calendar year mileage reimbursed.
- b. Weekly dormitory rent rate given for each academic credit earned (eight-week limit).
- c. Total reimbursement not to exceed your cost of tuition.

3. Graduate Degree Programs

*Read the [NPUC Education Code](#)

WORKSHOP/CONVENTION FUND

1. Full-time certificated teachers are eligible for **\$500** per *calendar* year.
2. Written request must have prior approval of principal and/or Office of Education.
3. Suggested uses of fund:
 - a. Workshops – fees, per diem, mileage, workshop material
 - b. Regional or national conventions
 - c. Substitute pay while you work on a special curriculum project at your school
 - d. Teacher study groups for professional growth
 - e. Substitute teacher pay if more than one professional/observation day is needed
 - f. Membership in a professional organization
 - g. The purchase of specialized equipment
4. Receipts must be submitted by **June 20** to Cristina Fonseca in the OR Conference Office of Education at Cristina.Fonseca@oregonadventist.org or fax to 503-850-3446.