



CALL ME MiSTER

The Call Me MiSTER Program is a USF St. Petersburg campus initiative that partners with Pinellas County Public Schools. We are recruiting men of color to get their undergraduate teacher certification or a Master's of Arts degree in Teaching.

The mission of the USF's Call Me MiSTER (an acronym for Mentors Instructing Students Toward Effective Role Models) initiative is to increase the pool of available licensed teachers from a broader, more diverse background. Individuals desiring to teach and serve as role models in urban elementary or middle schools are encouraged to apply.

Call Me MiSTER requires a deep commitment to becoming an elementary school or a middle school teacher in urban schools. Call Me MiSTER supports could include:

- Cohort membership
- Mentorship opportunities
- Tuition and/or book supports
- Academic and social supports
- Monthly urban education professional development seminars
- Field experiences in urban schools
- Summer Leadership institutes
- Conference presentations and other professional experiences
- Guaranteed urban school teaching position in Pinellas County Schools



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