Why Be A Cooperating Teacher?

**Reflect | Connect | Discover**

**SEE YOUR CLASSROOM FROM A DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVE**

Whether you have been teaching for five months, five years, or five decades, you have a way of teaching that is unique to you. Reflecting on your teaching style can give insight to new, upcoming teachers as they prepare to launch their career.

**RE-ENERGIZE THE CLASSROOM**

Education is a dynamic field. Seeing new techniques in practice in your own classroom can reveal better ways to connect with your students. Sharing control of your classroom with a student can give you that opportunity.

**GET A FRESH LOOK ON EDUCATION AND TEACHING METHODS**

Students in the UWEC Teacher Education Program learn the newest techniques and methods and will bring another innovative perspective to your classroom. Student Teachers can be inspiring to watch as they engage students on a different level. Their excitement can bring new life to your classroom.

**MENTOR AN UP AND COMING PROFESSIONAL**

All Cooperating Teachers receive an adjunct card for on-campus programs and services. Those who host a Student Teacher can apply for a $250 grant to provide innovative techniques in their classroom.

**SHARE WHY YOU LOVE TO TEACH**

![Teacher and student](imageLink)