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### § 9905. Definitions

In this chapter:

#### (1) Field-based course

The term “field-based course” means a course of instruction offered by an institution of higher education that includes a requirement that students teach a minimum of 3 lessons or sequences of lessons to elementary or secondary students.

#### (2) Institution of higher education

The term “institution of higher education” has the meaning given that term by section 1001 of this title.

#### (3) Master teacher

The term “master teacher” means an individual—

(A) who has been awarded a master’s or doctoral degree by an institution of higher education;

(B) whose graduate coursework included courses in mathematics, science, computer science, or engineering;

(C) who has at least 3 years teaching experience in K–12 settings; and

(D) whose teaching has been recognized for exceptional accomplishments in educating students, or is demonstrated to have resulted in improved student achievement.

#### (4) Mentor teacher

The term “mentor teacher” means an elementary or secondary school classroom teacher who assists with the training of students participating in a field-based course.

#### (5) Director

The term “Director” means the Director of the National Science Foundation.

(Pub. L. 111–358, title V, §555, Jan. 4, 2011, 124 Stat. 4025.)

### § 9906. Authorization of appropriations

There are authorized to be appropriated to the Director to carry out this chapter \$10,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2011 through 2013.

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