# Teacher Perks TIP SHEET

We asked teachers what they need and would really like after this year of teaching and then rounded up some educator perks to share with you. We hope that these tips in four key areas—self-care, travel, classroom, and teaching resources—show our appreciation to teachers, save you a little time, and bring a little joy!

# A Treat Just for You

### Find savings on teacher threads.

Need a little retail therapy that won't break the bank? Is there paint on your favorite pair of work jeans? Need a new fleece or sneakers for recess duty? The teacher wardrobe needs to work almost as hard as educators do. Spruce it up with major retailers' educator discounts when you present your current teaching ID!



# Make home an oasis.

When you head home after a busy day in your classroom, you'll want it to be a space where you can relax and recharge.

Home and accessories retailers often offer teacher perks like percentage discounts and free shipping. You might even be eligible for special discounts on home insurance, utilities, and maybe even a **mortgage!** 

#### **Teacher Tip:**

Many stores and shops offer discounts to teachers.

Whether you are shopping at a national chain or a local shop, be sure to ask! You might be eligible for a percentage off or shipping deals.

## **Teacher Tip:**

If you teach at a public school, you may be eligible for government rates so be sure to inquire!

# A Little Break

#### You deserve a vacation.

As a teacher, you can likely get several travel-related discounts, especially if you're a member of a **teaching association**. There are educator discounts on rooms from national hotel chains and transportation like car rentals. If you're working with a travel agent, let them know that you do the world's most important job and

they may be able to score some extra benefits for you, depending on where you want to go and how you will travel. And many theme parks, education sites, and experiential travel sites are discounted for teachers.

## Or a staycation. . .

You're probably entitled to free or discounted access at local museums and attractions in or near your own city or town, or cool gear to

event. Take time to take in a local performance with major ticket deals.

## Or at least, a minute!

Mindfulness activities have a big benefit.

Even if you can jet away to an exotic locale or spend time exploring the attractions in your own region, you can also take advantage of these activities for yourself and your classroom, and as a teacher you may be able to get free access!





# Stock Your Classroom

#### Refresh your learning space.

Educators are always looking for innovative ways to bring joy and wonder into their classroom spaces. Sometimes these ideas can cut into an already limited budget or require teachers to buy their own resources. Educator discounts help keep your classrooms stocked and fresh throughout the school year, from custom pencils to 3-D printers to furniture!





## Upgrade your tech.

Having the best digital tools will help you in so many ways, plus save you time. Teachers can get savings on cool gadgets, **software**, and **devices**. You may even get a free trial as a teacher to see if a new application or program is a good fit for you and your students.

# Teaching Resources

### Save on teaching tools.

Looking to spark imagination, innovation, and problem-solving in your classroom? These companies are offering educator discounts to help educators expose curious minds to new **books**, **projects**, and hands-on learning opportunities.





# **Rely on the Sadlier Resource Center!**

Sadlier offers **free resources** to teachers and professionals year-round in the searchable Sadlier School resource center on various subjects and topics. You'll always find something printable and timely to support you in your own professional development or to share with students and families.

#### **Teacher Tip:**

Teachers are often eligible for free trials on subscriptions or services for the classroom, so be sure to ask about this benefit before purchasing something new!

