## RE: SOCIAL SECURITY AND TEACHERS

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Dear Dr. Fox - Thank you for your comment. This is an interesting topic. A state or local government agency is not required to participate in Social Security as long as it is providing a pension for its employees. As a result, some public employees in the U.S. are not covered by Social Security. Public school teachers are not covered in about a dozen states, including California.