



California Retired Teachers Association Scholarship

Administered by Humboldt State University

DUE: Friday, May 29, 2009 by 5:00 p.m.

Scholarship Award

One scholarship will be awarded per year in the amount of \$1,000. All credential candidates in Elementary Education, Special Education, or Secondary Education are welcome to apply.

Scholarship Eligibility and Selection Criteria

The California Retired Teachers Association Scholarship is entirely need-based, and the recipient of the award will be selected by Financial Aid. To be eligible for this award, you need to:

1. Be a full-time student, who will be enrolled at Humboldt State University pursuing a teaching career during year of award. Eligible students are those enrolled in credential programs during their student teaching year, including elementary, secondary and special education, and those in the Liberal Studies Elementary Education-Integrated program.
2. Possess academic merit as required for the credential program (GPA of 2.67 overall or 2.75 for last 60 semester units).
3. Have demonstrated financial need with a FAFSA on file at the Financial Aid Office.
4. Have senior or post baccalaureate standing during the year of award.
5. **Be a graduate of a public, private or charter high school in Humboldt or Del Norte counties or the Klamath-Trinity Joint Unified School District**, or, if there no candidates from these schools or districts, then the award may be given to the most qualified candidate, meeting all other criteria, according to financial need.
6. Recipients may only receive this award one time.

Application Process

The application deadline is **Friday, May 29, 2009 by 5:00 p.m.** Please drop off the attached application form to: Kristin Mack in Harry Griffith Hall, Room 202. If you are mailing in your application, please mail it to:

HSU School of Education
Attn: Kristin Mack
1 Harpst Street
Arcata, CA 95521.

Selection Process

Once the scholarship applications have been received, the School of Education will forward each applicant's information to the Financial Aid Office. The Financial Aid Office will then review the applicants' FAFSAs to determine financial need and select the scholarship recipient. Recipients will be notified by mail.

If you are chosen as the recipient, you will be requested to write a letter of appreciation to the donor or donor representative with a copy of the letter to the School of Education.



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APPLICATION FORM

Applicant Name _____ Student ID No. _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

_____ Email: _____

Name of High School _____

City, County, and State of High School _____

I certify the application information I have supplied is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

_____ Date: _____

(Signature)

PRESS RELEASE

If selected, I authorize Humboldt State University to utilize information I have provided in the application, excluding financial information, for press releases.

_____ Date: _____

(Signature)

FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION RELEASE

I authorize the release of personal information from my financial aid file to the California Retired Teachers Association Scholarship donor and selection committee members for selection purposes.

_____ Date: _____

(Signature)