



The Charles G. Schober and Helen W. Schober Scholarship **For Elementary, Secondary, and Special Education Credential Candidates**

Administered by the Humboldt Area Foundation

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

Background Information

Helen W. Schober completed a bachelor's degree at Humboldt State in 1938 when it was a normal school, and a master's degree in educational administration from San Francisco State. She thoroughly enjoyed her many years of service as a teacher and school principal. She was a supervisor for the Humboldt County Office of Education (HCOE), and provided support for teachers and administrators in her role as program manager of the Humboldt Educational Resource Center. Helen was greatly esteemed by her colleagues and friends, and was known for her remarkable communication skills and generous professional contributions. Her husband, Charles, was an engineer with the California State Division of Highways.

Available Scholarships

Scholarships ranging from \$500 - \$1,114 are available for Elementary Education, Secondary Education, and Special Education credential candidates. The scholarships will be awarded only if there are qualified applicants. The scholarships must be used during the academic year awarded, and the award amount will be split in two, with half of the award money given each semester.

Scholarship Selection Criteria

Application requirements for the Charles G. Schober and Helen W. Schober Scholarship:

- 1) Contingent acceptance into the Elementary, Secondary, or Special Education credential program, including assigned apprentice teaching fieldwork placements for the coming year, and full-time HSU student status maintained during the credential program.
- 2) GPA at or above the minimum for admission to HSU's Credential Program as designated by the CSU Chancellor's Office (2.67 overall GPA or 2.75 for the last 60 semester units).
- 3) Submit a letter of application describing personal characteristics which discuss your interest in a career in teaching, potential for becoming an excellent teacher, communication skills, and leadership abilities. (You may use your **Professional Goal Statement** from your application for this.)
- 4) Submit three letters of recommendation. (You may use the letters of recommendation from your credential program application.)

Application Process

Applications must be submitted by **Friday, May 29, 2009 by 5:00 p.m.** 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

The award will be based on the selection criteria and application materials. The award is contingent upon admission to the Elementary Education, Secondary Education, or Special Education credential program. The scholarship must be used in the year and semester awarded.

Scholarship applicants will be notified of the results via mail.



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APPLICATION FORM

Applicant Name _____ Student ID No. _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

_____ Email: _____

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 Schober Scholarship donor(s) and selection committee members for selection purposes.

_____ Date: _____

(Signature)