



College of Education Scholarships

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Redefine the Possible™

What are Scholarships

- Monetary award for an individual student scholar, for the purpose of furthering their education
- Awarded based on a range of criteria which usually reflect the values and purposes of the donor or founder of the award



Scholarship Guidelines at Sac State

- Award is *usually* for the next academic year, not the current year
- To receive the scholarship, you must...
 - Meet award criteria
 - Status enrollment
 - Usually full-time (unless noted in the scholarship)
 - GPA requirements
 - Demonstrate and/or remaining unmet need
- A student may not receive funding beyond their full cost of attendance



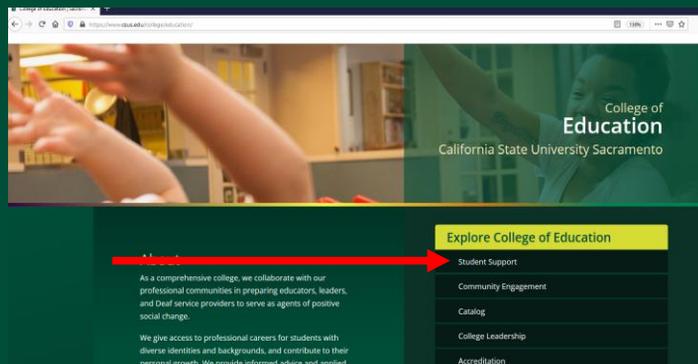
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- Often these scholarships represent a family or organization's wish to honor the legacy of a colleague's work, the life of a loved one, or their own wish to contribute in a meaningful way to their community
- Awards vary from \$150 to \$2,000



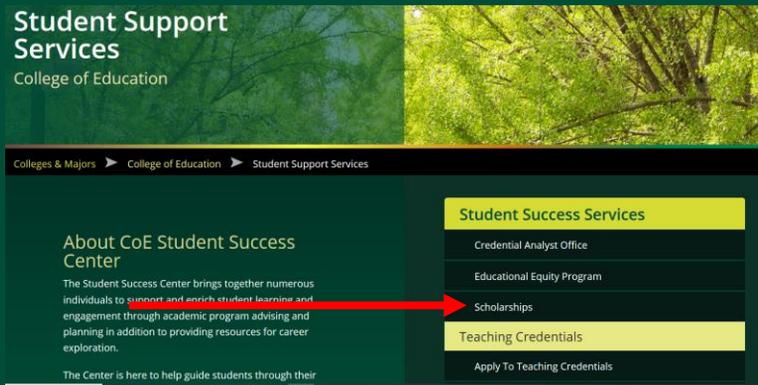
Steps to Locate CoE Scholarships

- Step 1: <http://www.csus.edu/coe/>
- Step 2: Click “Student Support”



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Step 3: Click “Scholarships”



Due: Friday, March 19, 2021

College Scholarships & Grants



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List of Scholarships

[List of College of Education scholarships.pdf](#)

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Check out the Lists of Scholarships

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[Link to Scholarship Application Portal](#)

List of Scholarships

Scholarship listing



Current Scholarship Opportunities

AC Nielsen International Bilingual/Multicultural Education Scholarship	No living relative; no letter is required for this scholarship.
Armando Ayala Memorial Scholarship	Mrs. Ruth Ayala
Barbara Lee Crocker Memorial Scholarship	Mr. Larry Crocker
Barbara R. Faight Memorial Scholarship for Elementary Student Teachers	No living relative; no letter is required for this scholarship.
California Retired Teachers Association Scholarship Honoring Founder Laura E. Settle	Laura E. Settle Scholarship Committee

Click on the scholarship name to learn more about the scholarship



A.C. NIELSEN INTERNATIONAL BILINGUAL/MULTICULTURAL SCHOLARSHIP

Benefactor: A.C. Nielsen International

Purpose: This endowed scholarship was established in 1995 to provide support for students working to obtain a credential with the intention of working in bilingual education.

Scholarship recipients, no letter of thanks is required for this scholarship.

Make a list of the scholarships that you intend to apply for with some notes about the sponsor and eligibility requirements. Also note if there are any supplemental requirements.

Excel is great for this.
This will be your resource as you work on your application.



How To Apply

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Remember the Deadline

FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 2021



The Application

- Use your Saclink Id to login
- If you are not a current Sac State student and are applying for the Credential, M.A. or ED.D. programs you should have a Saclink ID from your application

Sacramento State Scholarships

The Financial Aid & Scholarship Office at Sacramento State awards nearly \$4M dollars in institutional scholarship opportunities each year. By completing a single application, students are matched to available scholarship opportunities offered at Sac State. Scholarships are offered by various colleges, departments, and organizations to undergraduate and graduate students who meet specific criteria.

Apply

Applicants & Administrator Login

Opportunities

Applicants and Administrators [References and Reviewers](#)

Welcome!

If you are a Sac State Student or Scholarship Administrator, please sign in using your Saclink user ID and password.
DO NOT USE: "@csus.edu" or Student ID number.
Only username and password is allowed

If you are a Sac State Faculty or Staff serving as Reference or Reviewer, Please click on the [Reference and Reviewers Page \(Tab\)](#)

Login

Applicant / Administrator Login

Password

[Trouble signing in?](#)



Important Note

- By completing a single application, you are matched to available scholarship opportunities offered at Sacramento State
- So, do not procrastinate and make sure to address all questions



The Writing Process

General Application: Questions Asked of Applicant

- Demographic questions
- Personal Statement questions
 - note 2,000 character limit per question
 - Describe in detail your academic achievements and goals
 - Describe in detail your career goals
 - Describe in detail any campus groups or organizations that you belong to
 - Describe in detail any positions of leadership that you have had
 - Describe in detail any community service that you participate in



Other Recommended Opportunities

- Based on responses to demographic questions you will receive a notice of other *recommended opportunities*
 - I highly encourage you to review these



The Writing Process

Tips for the Writing Process

- Use your excel file to help you write your responses to the personal statement
- You are writing for all of the scholarships in these statements
- Focus on the word “describe”.
- Use complete sentences
- Faculty reviewers score applicants higher when applicants *describe in detail*.
- Think about experiences broadly
 - Community Service
 - Course internships
 - Volunteer experiences
 - Employment experiences
 - Children’s Center?
 - Leadership Experiences
 - Group work within your classes



The Writing Process

Tips for the Writing Process

- NEVER describe using only one-three words.
 - Rather, always use complete sentences.
- NEVER state “none”
 - Get creative, you all have had positions of leadership
 - Get creative, you all have participated in some type of community service
 - Rethink “campus groups and organizations” to highlight what you have contributed to the campus community



Steps in the Writing Process

1. Practice explaining your goals and academic interests to others
2. Prewriting—open ended brainstorming
3. Outline—identifying a few main points and a logical sequence
4. Draft—putting ideas into words, backing claims with evidence
5. Proofreading—double check spelling and grammar, polish prose



What makes your responses great?

- Concise
- Well-written
- Organized
- Relevant



Supplemental Materials

- Supplemental Application (indicated by *)
 - Letters of recommendation
 - Responses to a prompt
 - Example, Marian Wright Edelman
 - Applicants must submit an essay about past experiences with children and families and future goals. Preference for candidates who want to work in the non-profit or policy area.



Letters of Recommendation -- Reference

Your reference will receive an automated email.

ABC has requested that you serve as a reference for a financial aid opportunity. Please note that your letter will remain confidential and not viewable by . Your reference will only be viewed by those reviewing his/her application, though he/she will be able to see that you have successfully provided a reference.

Please address the **applicant's academic achievement** and **promise of academic success** as well as the **applicant's service and contribution to the department, college, university and/or community at-large**. It will aid the Committee in determining the best candidates to reward for their activities and future promise. Please be as honest as possible in your reference and keep in mind that the student will never see your response.



References

Who is Your Reference?

- Your college professor
 - Past or Present
- Your supervisor
- Your mentor
- Your advisor

- Someone who can speak to your strengths, your contributions.

- Someone who knows your aspirations.

Who is Not Your Reference

- Your family member
- Your best friend
- Your partner



Other Recommended Opportunities

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References
▼ Account

Application Progress

- General Application
- Other Recommended Opportunities ⓘ

Recommended Opportunities Show Filters

Award	Name	Actions
\$200.00	<p><u>The Lt. Peter Lenhart Siller Memorial Scholarship</u> The Lt. Peter Lenhart Siller Memorial Scholarship is to honor the memory of Lt. Peter Lenhart Siller and to assist veterans and their families in...</p>	<p style="margin: 0;">Apply</p> <p style="font-size: 0.8em; margin: 0;">by 03/16/2018</p>
\$500	<p><u>University of California, Davis Medical Center Volunteer Services</u> The University of California, Davis Medical Center Volunteer Services provides funds for former or current UCDCMC volunteers studying in a...</p>	<p style="margin: 0;">Apply</p> <p style="font-size: 0.8em; margin: 0;">by 03/16/2018</p>
\$0.00	<p><u>JIM SANDERS MEDIA AND LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP</u> This scholarship is to honor and support the leaders of today and tomorrow among the California State University student population. The media...</p>	<p style="margin: 0;">Apply</p> <p style="font-size: 0.8em; margin: 0;">by 03/16/2018</p>
\$5000	<p><u>Peggy Saunders Hall Memorial Scholarship</u> Peggy Saunders Hall (1926-2010) was a talented artist and enthusiastic teacher. She studied in Chicago and Los Angeles before pursuing her teaching...</p>	<p style="margin: 0;">Apply</p> <p style="font-size: 0.8em; margin: 0;">by 02/20/2018</p>



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<https://www.csus.edu/apply/financial-aid-scholarships/scholarships/>

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National Science Foundation Robert Noyce Scholarship

- For individuals who aspire to teach high school mathematics and science
- Noyce Scholars can receive two years of funding with stipends of \$15,000 per year
- Eligibility Requirements
 - CSUS Senior applying to CSUS credential program
 - Majored in STEM discipline
 - Minimum GPA of 3.0 in last 60 semester units
 - U.S. Citizen, national, or permanent resident
 - A plan to complete a single subject credential in mathematics or science
- Application requires
 - Letter of Recommendation
 - Personal Statement, 2 pages
 - Reasons wanting to be a science or mathematics teacher; how are you prepared for the challenges and opportunities to teach; how a Noyce scholarship will contribute to your professional development



We Are Here To Help

COE Student Success Center

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About CoE Student Success Center

The Student Success Center brings together numerous individuals to support and enrich student learning and engagement through academic program advising and planning in addition to providing resources for career exploration.

The Center is here to help guide students through their academic careers at Sacramento State. Advisors provide academic assistance to both prospective and continuing students in the College of Education. We recommend that undergraduate students meet with an advisor once per semester to discuss course planning and graduation.

Schedule an Advising Appointment

Drop in Advising Hours:
Mon-Fri: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
& 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Virtual Front Desk
Tuesday & Thursday
9am - 11am
1pm-3pm

