Enclosed find your copy of the Fond du Lac Area Retired Educators scholarship application.

Thank you for making this scholarship available to all Fond du Lac County high school graduates who are currently education majors.

Applications are due March 8, 2022.

Please direct any questions or concerns to Jan at bisoyk@gmail.com
Fond du Lac Area Retired Educators 2022 Scholarship Cover Sheet

Since 1988, more than $81,000 in scholarships has been awarded by the Fond du Lac Area Retired Education Association (FAREA) to deserving students who wish to pursue a career in the field of education. For 2022, FAREA is again offering scholarships to both public high school seniors and to university/college students.

Public high school seniors, residing in Fond du Lac County and who will be attending a university/college with a DPI accredited School of Education, are eligible for $500 scholarships (minimum).

Any university/college student not yet accepted into a DPI accredited School of Education is also eligible to apply for a $500 scholarship (minimum).

University/college students who graduated from a Fond du Lac County public high school and who have been accepted into a DPI accredited School of Education, are eligible for a $750 scholarship (minimum).

High school applicants should provide:

- A completed 2022 FAREA application.
- A certified transcript of your high school grades and subjects taken.
- A copy of ACT or SAT test score results.
- Two letters of recommendation: one must be from the teacher of a class you attended; the second letter can be from a member of your community (suggestions: neighbor, family friend, employer, minister, youth worker) who is not related to you.
- A personal essay explaining a little about yourself, why you want to teach and why you should be given this scholarship.

College applicants should provide:

- A completed 2022 FAREA application.
- A certified transcript of your college courses and the grades earned.
- Copy of your letter of acceptance into the School of Education.
- Two letters of recommendation: one must be from the teacher of a class you attended in college; the second letter can be from a member of your community (suggestions: neighbor, family friend, employer, minister, youth worker) who is not related to you.
- A personal essay explaining a little about yourself, why you want to teach and why you should be given this scholarship.

Applications should be sent to:

Jan Soyk, FAREA Scholarship Co-Chair
N3540 Mitchell Road
Eden, WI 53019

Applications must be received by March 8, 2022.

Questions: Contact Jan Soyk, (bjsoyk@gmail.com) FAREA Scholarship Co-Chair
2022 FAREA Scholarship Application

Name: _______________________________ Email: _______________________________

Address: _______________________________ Phone: _______________________________

High School/College you are presently attending: _______________________________

Family Information

Father’s Name: _______________________________ Occupation: _______________________________

Father’s Place of Employment: _______________________________

Mother’s Name: _______________________________ Occupation: _______________________________

Mother’s Place of Employment: _______________________________

Please list the name and age of all siblings. If you have siblings, now attending or graduated from college, please indicate the name of the school and year of graduation.

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Employment Information

List any paid employment you have had in the past three years.

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Community Activities
High School students: List all community activities you have participated in over the past three years.
College students: List all community activities you have participated in during your college years.

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How has participation in these activities helped you?

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Letters of Recommendation
Two letters of recommendation must accompany this form. One letter must be from a teacher whose class you have attended. A second letter should be from an employer, or other community member who can comment on your worthiness for this scholarship. Do not have a relative write a letter of recommendation.

Future Plans
University/College you will be or are currently attending: __________________________

As an educator, what grade level do you wish to teach?
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As an educator, what subject/s do you wish to teach?
______________________________________________________________________________

Financial Information
Estimated cost of attending the school of your choice next year:

1. Tuition and Fees: __________________________

2. Room and Board: __________________________

3. Books: __________________________

4. Other: __________________________

Total: __________________________

Estimated Resources available for next year:

1. Personal Savings: __________________________

2. Anticipated Summer Earnings: __________________________

3. Anticipated School Year Earnings: __________________________

4. Contributions from parents: __________________________

5. Scholarships/Grants already received: __________________________
Please explain your financial need. How do you plan to finance your education? Are there extenuating circumstances (for example; illness, disabilities, job loss) that may affect your ability to pay for college?

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Personal Essay:

Please attach an essay of about 500 words. Tell us about yourself. Why do you want to be a teacher? Why should you be given this scholarship?

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Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Parent if applicant is under 18

**High School Applicants: Include an official transcript of your coursework, ACT/SAT test scores, and two letters of recommendation with this application.

**University Applicants: Include an official transcript of your college courses and grades earned, a copy of your letter of acceptance into the School of Education, and two letters of recommendation with this application.