

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Early, Elementary & Reading Education Dept.

Dunlop Scholarship

This scholarship is available to undergraduate students with at least junior status by fall with a minimum GPA of 2.5, and who have declared a minor in Early or Elementary Education. Applicants are judged on scholastic ability, potential as classroom teachers and strength of intention to teach. This scholarship is named for Marcella R. Dunlop who was a 1940 graduate of Madison College.

Elsie Wigley Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is available to both undergraduate and graduate students in Early Childhood Education who will student teach during the fall and/or spring semester and have a GPA of 3.0 or above. Applicants are judged on scholastic ability, potential as classroom teachers and strength of intention to teach. Financial need may be considered. This scholarship is in memory of Elsie Wigley; a former teacher at the Anthony Seeger Lab School.

Ora Y. Sharp Memorial Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship is available to undergraduate students with at least 45 semester hours of credit and who intend to teach in grades K-3. Applicants are judged on scholastic ability, potential as classroom teachers and strength of intention to teach. The amount of awards are determined by the availability of funds. This scholarship is in memory of Ora Sharp who was a first grade teacher and a JMU alumnus.

Dickerson Endowed Scholarship

This award is available to undergraduate and graduate students in PreK-3 or PreK-6 licensure programs. Students should be recognized by faculty as demonstrating leadership in academics and among peers, and professional involvement.

Fenlon Memorial Scholarship

This is an endowed scholarship established by Jane Fenlon Rowe and John Llewellyn Fenlon in lasting tribute to Virginia Elizabeth Tisdale Fenlon and Ada Virginia Pollock Fenlon. Both were elementary school teachers. This scholarship is intended to benefit a JMU student studying Early Childhood or Elementary Education. The recipient must have and maintain a minimum 3.0 grade point average.

"Jessie" Chabot Scholarship

This scholarship is intended for deserving undergraduate students, most usually a senior or 4th year student, seeking Early Elementary Education certification (K-3), for that semester that they are performing their full-time student teaching requirement, either prior to or immediately after graduation. Since JMU discourages students from working during the student teaching semester, the grant should be used to offset general living expenses at the discretion of the recipient. The scholarship recipient will be selected by a selection committee as defined. Only one award of a "Jessie" scholarship is permitted in a lifetime. Other mandatory criteria include: (a) overall GPA of 3.0 or higher; (b) resident of Commonwealth of Virginia.

Ellen Collins Hubbard '45 Memorial Scholarship Endowment in Elem. Education

This scholarship endowment is made by the Rev. James F. Hubbard in memory of his spouse, Ellen Collins Hubbard, a member of the Class of 1945 at Madison College. It will provide financial resources annually to assist one (or more) student(s) in preparing to enter the teaching profession at the Elementary Education level. In her career, Mrs. Hubbard was an elementary school teacher.

Paula K. Frazier Scholarship Endowment in Elementary Education

This scholarship will provide financial resources annually to assist one (or more) students who are pursuing an academic course of study leading to a teaching career in Elementary Education. The donor directs that the successful candidate for this scholarship must demonstrate the following traits and attributes; specifically, the student must:

- Have the capacity to become an inspiring teacher in the field of elementary education;
- Be focused, goal-oriented, and a good planner;

- Have a passion for working with people – and, especially, children;
- Consistently show a 100 percent dedication in all that the student does;
- Embrace appropriate risk taking and appreciates the opportunity to learn from mistakes;
- To be a creative individual who typically is one who thinks “outside the box”; and,
- Be an individual dedicated to “good old-fashioned effort.”

Darrin/Hill Education Scholarship

This scholarship is available to students pursuing licensure in PreK-3 or PreK-6 with at least junior status by fall. Applicants are judged on scholastic ability and need. This scholarship was established by Garney Darrin, a former faculty member in Elementary Education. He established it in honor of Wilhelmina Hill who was the former Director of Social Studies for the US Office of Education.

***(THIS IS A NEED BASED SCHOLARSHIP)**

Sally Goldberg Scholarship for Early Childhood Education

This annual scholarship was established by David Parker, Class of 1982, to honor the memory of his aunt, Sally Goldberg, a former kindergarten teacher to benefit a JMU student who is enrolled full-time in the Early Childhood Education program, is of senior standing, has a minimum GPA of 3.0 at the end of his or her junior year & demonstrates need as determined by filing the Free Federal Financial Aid application. The scholarship recipient will be selected by the Coordinator of Early Childhood Education Program in consultation with the Director of Scholarships by June 1, of the enrolling year. If at any time the student recipient fails to meet the requirements, a new student will be selected. The recipient may receive the scholarship for a maximum of one year (two semesters). Scholarships will be awarded based on the availability of funds.

***(THIS IS A NEED BASED SCHOLARSHIP)**

Charles G. Caldwell Scholarship

This scholarship was established in memory of Dr. C.G. Caldwell. Recipient(s) must be: in Early Childhood or Middle Education at JMU; a student in good standing; and must demonstrate financial need.

***(THIS IS A NEED BASED SCHOLARSHIP)** (awarded to Middle Ed. student in 2011-12)

Carol Carter Fitzgerald Elementary Education Scholarship

This scholarship is intended to benefit a student who plans to complete teacher licensure in early or elementary education, has demonstrated beginning excellence in teacher education, and who has a financial need.

***(THIS IS A NEED BASED SCHOLARSHIP)**

Gail Hudson Guthrie '72 Scholarship

To be eligible for this scholarship, a student must have demonstrated (a) a passion to become a teacher; (b) a need for financial assistance, as determined by the University's Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships; and (c) planned completion of their student teaching requirement during the semester the scholarship is awarded.

***(THIS IS A NEED BASED SCHOLARSHIP)**

Carolyn Morrison Chapman '61 Memorial Scholarship

To be eligible for this scholarship, a student must (a) be a declared education major & be in good standing with the University, (b) demonstrate financial need, as determined by the University's Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships; and, (c) demonstrate a commitment to community service.

***(THIS IS A NEED BASED SCHOLARSHIP)**

***NOTE: MUST HAVE DOCUMENTED NEED AS VERIFIED BY FINANCIAL AID OFFICE.**

**APPLICATION FORMS ARE AVAILABLE IN MEMORIAL HALL,
ROOM 3100 AND SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE
SAME OFFICE WHEN COMPLETED (BEFORE 4:00 PM ON APRIL 1ST)**

Scholarship Application Form
Early/Elementary/Reading Education Programs
Submit to Memorial Hall 3100 by Friday, APRIL 1, 2011
Before 4:00 P.M.

1. Please check all of the scholarships that you are eligible to receive. Only one application required.

Dunlop Wigley Sharp Fenlon "Jessie" Dickerson
 Caldwell Goldberg Fitzgerald Darrin-Hill Hubbard
 Frazier Guthrie Chapman

2. Name _____

3. JMU P.O. Box _____ Email _____

4. Student (PeopleSoft) ID# _____

5. Anticipated Date of Graduation: Undergrad _____ Graduate _____

6. Local Address _____

7. Home Address _____

8. Parents'/Spouse Name (s) _____

Parents'/Spouse Address _____

9. Telephone Number _____ (local) _____ (home)

10. Major _____ Minor/Concentration _____

11. Have you been accepted in teacher education? (Y/N) _____

12. Full-Time Student? (Y/N) _____

Complete 13 & 14 only if applying for need based scholarships:

13. List sources of financial support. (Specify teacher's scholarships, family support, loans, work scholarships, your own employment, etc.)

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14. Did you file a FAFSA for 2011-2012? Yes _____ No _____

15. List 3 references that we could contact regarding scholastic ability and your potential as a teacher. Please include email address and phone number:

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____

16. Preferred grade to teach: _____

Please fill in the column that applies to your present status:

| <i>Undergraduate</i> | <i>Post-Bac</i> | <i>Graduate</i> |
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| Major: | Licensure Program: | Program: |
| Minor: | Undergraduate Major: Undergraduate GPA: | Current License: Y N If yes, what licensure area: |
| Total hours earned after Fall 2010: | Undergraduate Institution: | Total hours earned after Fall 2010: |
| Hours registered for during Spring 2011: | Total hours earned after Fall 2010: | Hours registered for during Spring 2011: |
| GPA | Hours registered for during Spring 2011 | GPA |
| Student Teaching Semester: | Student Teaching Semester: | Student Teaching Semester: (if applicable) |

Personal Statement and Professional Experience

For full consideration, applications must have all of the following documentation attached:

*Attach a personal statement which briefly outlines your career goals following graduation from JMU. Include additional information that you believe the scholarship committee should consider

*Attach a resume.

*Attach an unofficial transcript.

I certify that the information provided on the scholarship application form is correct and accurate. All information on attachments provided is also correct and accurate.

Signature: _____ Date: _____