

Jenkins Memorial Scholarship for Teacher Education

The purpose of the project is to assist outstanding students in preparing for the teaching profession. Students must display Character and personality, academic achievement and potential teaching ability.

Eligibility

Public High School Seniors who:

1. Plan to prepare for a teaching career.
2. Plan to attend a college of the State University of New York for baccalaureate degree in education -OR- plan to attend a two year community college before transferring to a baccalaureate degree program in education in a college of the State University of New York.
3. Have not accepted scholarships exceeding the monetary value of \$16,000.
4. Attend a public high school in New York State in a school district where there is a PTA/PTSA unit in good standing.

Requirements

Students awarded a scholarship are required to do the following:

1. Official education curriculum transcripts must be mailed to the New York State PTA office within 60 days of conclusion of the academic year.
2. If the education curriculum is changed to another major, notification must be made to the NYS PTA office and the scholarship will be immediately terminated.
3. The scholar will submit to the New York State PTA documentation of graduation and recommendation for New York State teaching certification before the final scholarship payment is distributed.

Amount

\$3,000 paid in installments as follows:

- \$700 paid at the end of the first two academic years (usually at the end of the spring semester) after official transcript is received confirming award compliance.
- \$800 paid at the conclusion of the third academic year upon receipt of official transcript confirming award compliance.
- \$800 paid upon receipt of official transcript stating course completion, degree completion and recommendation for teacher certification.

Scholarship Applications due **December 15**

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