

**FORT BEND COUNTY
RETIRED EDUCATORS ASSOCIATION**

**2023-2024
SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION**

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Applications must be postmarked or
emailed to Holly Haynes by

Friday, April 5, 2024

If you have any questions, please contact me at
713 822-6267 or hphaynes@gmail.com
or contact your Counselor/College Facilitator for more information

Holly Haynes,
FBCREA Scholarship Chairperson

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PURPOSE: The purpose of this scholarship is to assist students planning to enter the teaching profession and affirm our encouragement of their career goals.

AMOUNT: Up to four scholarships in the amount of \$1000 each will be awarded to qualified graduating seniors who meet the requirements stated below.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: To be eligible for this scholarship a student must:

1. Be a graduating senior at a public high school in one of the following Fort Bend County School Districts: Brazos ISD, Needville ISD, or Lamar CISD.
2. Plan to complete a degree with teacher certification at an institution of higher learning **in the state of Texas.**
3. Be a citizen of the United States of America.
4. Complete a typed, double-spaced, 12-font essay not to exceed 500 words.
This essay **must** include:
 - Why you want to be a teacher
 - School organizations/leadership positions held
 - Honors and awards received
 - Non-school activities or any experiences that have helped prepare or influence the applicant's decision to become an educator
 - Special abilities/attributes the applicant possesses may also be included
5. Provide an official high school transcript.
6. Complete all sections of this application.

SELECTION COMMITTEE: The Selection Committee will consist of members of the Fort Bend County Retired Educators Association Scholarship Committee.

PROCEDURE: The Selection Committee will notify the recipients of the scholarships. They will receive a letter with specific steps to follow. The \$1,000 will be credited to their college/university account after registration.

EXPIRATION DATE: This scholarship shall be forfeited if the recipient fails to enroll in an accredited institution of higher learning in the state of Texas by the end of January, 2025.

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Name: _____ Date of Birth _____

(mm/dd/yyyy)

Complete home mailing address, including zip code:

_____ Phone: _____
_____ (Home or Cell)

_____ E-mail: _____

High School: _____

Size of Senior Class _____ Class Rank _____ Graduation Date _____

GPA _____ SAT Composite _____ ACT Composite _____

Have you been employed while attending high school? _____ How long? _____

Place of employment _____

Texas College/University you plan to attend: _____

Have you received your letter of acceptance? _____ Current A.P. hours taken: _____

Major _____ Minor(s) _____

List any other Scholarships/Grants for which you have applied.

Father's name _____

Employer or source of income _____

Mother's name _____

Employer or source of income _____

Family income: ____ Under \$25,000 ____ \$25,001-\$50,000 ____ \$50,001-\$75,000 ____ Over \$75,000

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List the first name of siblings who are attending college. Use N/A if there are none.

List the name and age of other siblings who are living at your household. Use N/A if there are none.

Include your essay and most current transcript with your application.

Your application must be emailed (hphaynes@gmail.com) or postmarked (Mrs. Haynes, 2434 Shady Oaks Lane, Rosenberg, Texas 77471) by **Friday, April 5, 2024**.

No late applications will be accepted.

Your signature **must be included** at the end of this application **and** at the end of your essay.

Applicant's Signature

Date

