

EC/ELE/MLE Graduate Student Scholarship Application Fall 2015

Name _____ E-Number _____ E-mail _____

Graduate Degree _____ Total Grad hours _____ (as of Fall 2015) Cum Grad GPA _____

Undergrad Institution _____ Undergrad Major _____ Cum GPA _____ Certificate Type _____

Address: Local _____ Phone # Local _____

Permanent _____ Permanent _____

Are you over 25 years of age?	Yes	No
Are you completing a Post Bacc program for Teacher Certification?	Yes	No
Are you a full-time student at EIU?	Yes	No
Are you working towards a Master's Degree?	Yes	No
Are you working towards a Certificate in Reading Instruction?	Yes	No
Will you receive and financial aid administered through EIU for 2015-2016?	Yes	No

Please select the award(s) for which you wish to be considered:

Sabina L. McNutt and James L. McNutt, Sr. Education Scholarship:

The recipient(s) must be a part or full-time graduate student, majoring in Elementary Education and accepted to Eastern Illinois University. Preference will be given to students pursuing a Master's Degree in Elementary Education with an emphasis in Reading and the Certificate in Reading Instruction. The award recipient must maintain an overall minimum 3.3 GPA. Financial need is a primary consideration. A one page document describing your dedication to education and your ambitions to reach your goals must be attached. Please include in this essay your active involvement with children, families and your community. This scholarship is awarded in fall, but recognized at the department ceremony in the spring.

Carol Helwig Award:

The recipient must be a graduate student, working towards certification in or a master's degree in Early Childhood, Elementary, or Middle Level Education. The individual must be a non-traditional student (i.e., at least 25 years old) and enrolled as a full-time student at Eastern Illinois University. Financial need is a consideration. You may only receive this award one time. This award is paid out and recognized in the spring. Dr. Helwig requests that the recipient meets with her for a luncheon.

To complete the application process,

1. Your signature on this form certifies that you meet all criteria for the scholarship for which you are applying.
2. Please attach:
 - a. a typed explanation for each scholarship you select that details why you should be considered for the award
 - b. a copy of your undergrad and grad transcripts, if not an EIU graduate
 - c. any additional documentation or information that would advance your case for each specific award.
3. All applicants will be advised by mail of the Committee's decision in your regard.
4. Turn in this application to Buzzard Hall, Room 2220, or email all materials to elescholarships@eiu.edu no later than 4:00 p.m. on October 8, 2015.
5. Recipients will attend and be honored at the Department of EC/ELE/MLE Awards Ceremony held on April 15, 2016.

Your Signature

Date