

Oregon School Employees Association
**Undergraduate Student
Scholarship**



The Oregon School Employees Association (OSEA) is proud to present one Undergraduate Student Scholarship designed to provide assistance to deserving children and grandchildren of OSEA members as they pursue their studies in higher education.

The Undergraduate Student Scholarship is a statewide scholarship of \$1,000.

Each applicant **must** meet the following guidelines to have their essays judged:

- At least one parent (including stepparent), grandparent, sibling, aunt, uncle or legal guardian as sponsor, **must be a member in good standing of the Oregon School Employees Association.**
- Have the status of an incoming junior or senior at an accredited college or university.
- Have a minimum college/university cumulative GPA of 2.8, including all subjects taken through the end of your second year of college. We **must** have an official transcript of these grades with the application and essay.
- Submit one personal letter of recommendation from a college advisor or class instructor.
- Submit a typed, doubled-spaced essay with a minimum of 400 words, maximum of 700. The essay should reflect on your prior years of college and answer the following questions: **“How is your chosen profession going to be affected by organized labor? How will organized labor benefit you after graduation?”** Please avoid the use or reference of sponsor’s name, chapter or school. This essay must accompany the application and will be used for the basis of determining the recipient, only if the above criteria have been met.

The application, along with the above referenced materials, must be received at the Salem OSEA office, **postmarked on or before November 5, 2009**. Address to:

The Undergraduate Student Scholarship
Oregon School Employees Association
4735 Liberty Rd S
Salem, OR 97302

The scholarship recipient will be notified in December 2009. Scholarship funds must be used by the Fall of 2011. The recipient will be asked to provide a picture and short statement for publication.

If additional information is needed, contact the Salem OSEA office, 1-800-252-6732. Reproduction of applications is authorized if additional forms are needed.

