

**Cameron NUE Teachers' Association  
Scholarship Application Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Parents Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

State briefly the college you are planning to attend and the subjects and grade level that you have an interest in teaching.

The Cameron Teachers' Association is composed of elementary, middle, and high school teachers. We offer a \$600 scholarship to a graduating senior who has an interest in entering the teaching profession because we believe that this scholarship provides encouragement for our Cameron graduates to pursue a career in the teaching profession. We also believe that the recipient of this scholarship will view this as a special award because it demonstrates they have earned the confidence of their teachers.

If you are selected to receive this scholarship, you will be given a check for \$600 to be used for second semester. Before a check will be issued, you will be required to ask your college advisor to state that you are planning a sequence of courses that will allow you to be admitted to the College of Education at your school.

Selection for this scholarship will consist of four parts:

- A) Transcripts of classes and grades
- B) Three references
- C) Written response to three questions
- D) Possible interview of applicants

Due date: April 6, 2012

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Applicant's name \_\_\_\_\_

Name of reference \_\_\_\_\_

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Please tell us your perspective of the applicant for this scholarship. Include in your narrative his/her ability to follow through with challenges, work ethic, ability to work with people and anything else that you believe will support the award of this scholarship.

Please sign your name at the end of your narrative.

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- A. List your high school courses and the grades that you earned in each class. Include your involvement in activities associated with school and activities outside of school, it would be acceptable to use the same information that you use for other scholarships.
- B. Distribute the three reference forms. High school, middle school or elementary school teachers must complete two of the reference forms. Someone who is not associated with the school and is not related to you should complete the third reference form. Please have the person you chose as your reference return this form to you.
- C. Write a response to each of the questions listed below. It is recommended that you type your response and then revise later. It is acceptable to have someone proof read your responses and give suggestions. The quality with which you are able to communicate your thoughts is more important that how much you write.

#### Question #1

Discuss one or two significant educational experiences that you have had and the influence that experience has made in your interest in the teaching profession.

#### Question #2

Discuss some of the qualities that you have observed in people that have had a significant influence in your educational experience and how you want to emulate those qualities.

#### Question #3

Discuss why you think it is important for you to become a teacher and the contribution you wish to make to education.