



2019 ITA Scholarship for Applicants to 4-year Colleges and Universities

Qualifications for Future Educators

- minimum grade point average of 3.0
- typed formal application for scholarship consideration
- Irvine USD high school graduate, class of 2019
- evidence of registration to an accredited four-year college or university, due 10/1/2019
- evidence of interest in entering the education profession

Qualifications for Children of ITA Members

- minimum grade point average of 3.0
- typed formal application for scholarship consideration
- high school graduate, class of 2019
- evidence of registration to an accredited four-year college or university, due by 10/1/2019
- child or dependent of a current member of the Irvine Teachers Association

A complete application requires:

- Completed application form including responses to questions.
- Official transcript from the school registrar in a sealed envelope.
- A confidential letter of recommendation from a recent teacher, counselor, or administrator emailed to scholarship@IrvineTA.org from the writer's school email account by Friday, March 15, 2019.

Submit the application to the Scholarship Selection Committee of the Irvine Teachers Association, 4940 Irvine Blvd., Suite 205, Irvine, CA 92620 or email to scholarship@IrvineTA.org by **4:00 p.m. Friday, March 15, 2019.**

Official verification of enrollment full-time in an accredited four-year college or university is required by October 1, 2019 before the Scholarship Check is mailed to a scholarship recipient. The form for verification will be included with the award notification letter.

2019 ITA Scholarship Application for Students Attending Four-year Colleges or Universities

Name _____ School _____

Home phone _____ Cell _____

Email _____

Home Street Address _____

City, State and Zip Code _____

Parent or Guardian

Name _____

Work phone _____ Cell _____

Counselor's Name _____

Counselor's email _____

My parent/guardian is a member of the Irvine Teachers Association

no yes, Parent's Name _____

School Site _____

Are you planning to pursue a career in education? _____

To which colleges have you applied and been accepted?

What is your intended major and career goal?

Please attach the following to your application:

1. A resume which lists your honors and awards, school activities, community service, special training, accomplishments, etc.

For education career applicants:

2. A. In a cogent, well-structured essay of not more than 500 words, respond to the following prompt:

Consider the following quotation: “Good teaching is one-fourth preparation and three-fourths theater.” – Gail Godwin

Think about your experiences as a student and devise your opinion about this claim. Are there other factors to be added? Do you agree with the proportion Godwin claims? How do you envision your future teaching style with these ideas in mind, as well as your strengths and preferences?

2. B. Upon earning your teaching credentials, what role in the education profession do you plan to pursue and why? (200 words max)

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For non-education career applicants:

2. C. In addition to your academic coursework, what do you hope to learn in college? How will you pursue that learning?

2. D. In a cogent, well-structured essay of not more than 500 words, respond to the following prompt:

Consider this quotation from Sir Walter Scott about attitude: “For success, attitude is equally as important as ability.”

Describe an endeavor you pursued in which your attitude played as large or larger role than your ability, whether the endeavor was successful or not.