

AUGUSTA STATE UNIVERSITY

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

BEN PERKINS AND ANNA ELISA ANDRES TRIMBLE SCHOLARSHIP

Purpose: To provide financial assistance for a male black student pursuing and advanced degree in education and teaching math and science in the junior high or high school system in Richmond County.

Criteria:

1. Teacher returning to the university for the M.Ed or professional returning to the university in the MAT program.
2. The student must maintain an overall cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.00.
3. The student must be interested in working in an inner city school in Richmond County

Additional Guidelines:

The scholarship(s) may be awarded each year with qualified students eligible for support twice.

Once awarded a scholarship, if a student withdraws from the university or fails to maintain a 3.00 overall cumulative GPA, he/she will not be eligible for additional support under the provisions of the program.

The recipient(s) will be selected by the Faculty Scholarship Committee within the College of Education.

Selection Process within the College of Education:

Students wishing to apply for the scholarship should do so two weeks before fall pre registration:

1. Complete the process in the Office of Financial Aid to determine financial need
2. Submit an essay entitled "What does a Graduate/Undergraduate Degree in Education mean to me?"
3. Supply a transcript verifying the required GPA
4. Supply professional written endorsement
5. Return all required information to the Office of the Dean, College of Education who forwards it to the Chair of the Scholarship Selection Committee.

The Faculty Scholarship Committee determines the recipient(s) of the scholarship and forwards the recommendation to the Dean, College of Education.

The Dean forwards the recommendation (s) of the departmental committee to the Scholarship and Financial Assistance Committee.

Recipients will be announced each year before the beginning of the fall semester.