

# SEA SCHOLARSHIPS

## 1. One \$1,000 College Scholarship:

Qualifications:

- Graduating high school senior with full-time enrollment
- 3.25 GPA (cumulative) scholarship and 3.0 GPA (cumulative) citizenship - minimum
- Community service with verification from community agency and/or work experience with employment verification from employer and/or Future Educators of America participation
- **Dependent of current S.E.A. member or dependent of a deceased member**

## 2. One \$1,000 College Scholarship:

Ruth French Chapman Scholarship

Ruth Chapman was a Sweetwater Union High School District School Board member who worked tirelessly on behalf of teachers. She was extremely supportive of the fine arts programs in the Sweetwater District.

Qualifications:

- Graduating high school senior with full-time enrollment
- 3.25 GPA (cumulative) scholarship and 3.0 GPA (cumulative) citizenship - minimum
- Participation in Sweetwater Union High School District fine arts program
- **Dependent of current S.E.A. member or dependent of a deceased member**

## 3. One \$500 College Scholarship:

Qualifications:

- Graduating high school senior with full-time enrollment
- 3.25 GPA (cumulative) scholarship and 3.0 GPA (cumulative) citizenship - minimum
- Community service with verification from community agency and/or work experience with employment verification from employer and/or Future Educators of America participation
- **Dependent of current S.E.A. member or dependent of a deceased member**

## 4. Two \$500 College Scholarships:

Qualifications:

- Continuing full-time college student
- 2.5 GPA (cumulative) scholarship - minimum
- Community service with verification from community agency and/or work experience with employment verification from employer and/or Future Educators of America participation
- Registered:
  - in an approved credential or degree program in an accredited institution of higher learning; or as a full-time student in an accredited institution of higher learning
- **Dependent of current S.E.A. member or dependent of a deceased member**

## 5. One \$1000 Scholarship

Bob Fredrickson Scholarship

Qualifications:

- Graduating high school senior with full-time enrollment
- Community service with verification from community agency and/or work experience with employment verification from employer
- **Dependent of current S.E.A. member or dependent of a deceased member**

**Deadline:** Applications, including all letters of recommendation, must be received at the SEA office on or before **April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2012 at 5:00 PM.** (1061 Tierra Del Rey Suite 100, Chula Vista, CA 91910)

**Call the S.E.A. at 427-1370 to receive application information.**

# COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

(Please type or print in ink. Attach additional pages as needed. One application for each scholarship applied for)

I am applying for the following SEA College Scholarship:

- \_\_\_ \$1000 College Scholarship
- \_\_\_ \$500 College Scholarship
- \_\_\_ \$1000 Ruth French Chapman College Scholarship
- \_\_\_ \$500 Continuing Student College Scholarship

## APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

If dependent, S.E.A. members(s) of whom you are a dependent: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of children in family: \_\_\_\_\_ Ages \_\_\_\_\_ # in college \_\_\_\_\_

## SCHOOL INFORMATION (5 points)

Current high school / college: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected graduation date: \_\_\_\_\_

List extracurricular activities:

\_\_\_\_\_  
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Awards / honors: \_\_\_\_\_

Educational institution you plan to attend or are currently attending:

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Major field of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Financial aid available (sources and amounts of loans and/or scholarships):

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How do you plan to cover your college expenses?

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## **TRANSCRIPT INFORMATION (5 points)**

You must include your latest transcript of grades and have the following section completed by the appropriate school official:

Name of student \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant ranks \_\_\_\_\_ in class of \_\_\_\_\_. Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_

School official's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

## **LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION (15 points)**

Applicant must submit three (3) letters of recommendation (one from each category below). Include information on character, ability, and competency. Letters may be sent with the application or sent directly to Sweetwater Education Association, 1061 Tierra Del Rey Suite 100, Chula Vista, CA 91910. They must be received on or before April 10, 2012. In the spaces provided below, list the names, occupations, and length of time you have known the persons who are writing letters of recommendation:

Principal (H.S.), Assistant Principal (H.S.), or Counselor/Advisor (College):

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Teacher / Professor

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Community Service Leader, Employer, or Fine Arts Director:

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## **AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH (25 points)**

Write an autobiographical sketch. Be sure to address the following:

1. In what ways are you an educational role model?
2. Describe a meaningful educational experience you have had.
3. Describe the community service and/or work experience you have been involved in.  
(Applicants for the Chapman scholarship should outline participation in a fine arts program.)
4. How will you contribute to society in the future?
5. What are your goals for the future?

**YOUR COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION  
WILL BE JUDGED ON THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:**

APPLICANT'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ SCORER: \_\_\_\_\_

School Information	1	2	3	4	5
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Transcript Information	1	2	3	4	5
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Letters of Recommendation	1	2	3	4	5
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a.	1	2	3	4	5
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b.	1	2	3	4	5
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c.	1	2	3	4	5
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Autobiographical Sketch

a. In what ways are you an educational role model?	1	2	3	4	5
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b. Describe a meaningful educational experience:	1	2	3	4	5
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c. Community service or fine arts experience or work experience:	1	2	3	4	5
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d. Future contributions to society:	1	2	3	4	5
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e. Future goals:	1	2	3	4	5
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Neatness	1	2	3	4	5
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Effective communication	1	2	3	4	5
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If there are not enough qualified applicants for the five scholarships, the Scholarship Committee, with SEA Board approval, may make recommendations for redistribution of the scholarship funds.

# **BOB FREDRICKSON SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

Bob Fredrickson worked tirelessly on behalf of teachers. He was involved with virtually every contract written in the Sweetwater District prior to 1990. The Bob Fredrickson scholarship was established in 1991 by his friends and colleagues. It is now administered by the Sweetwater Education Association in his memory.

Bob's joy in life was his family and he knew the importance of education. The Bob Fredrickson Scholarship will be awarded to the most deserving candidate (as determined by the SEA Scholarship Committee) who intends on attending a trade school, vocational school or community college.

## **APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/Zip

If dependent, S.E.A. members(s) of whom you are a dependent: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Applying for entrance to the following trade schools, vocational schools and/or community colleges:

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## **PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT A PARAGRAPH ON:**

1. Why you should be considered for this scholarship award.

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2. If awarded to you, how you would use the scholarship.

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3. What made you consider entering the field that you are pursuing after high school>

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**LIST SIGNIFICANT WORK EXPERIENCE AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

List below community and work activities in which you have participated. Note any positions of leadership that you have held. (Examples of community activities: non-school club or church projects; work experience examples: after school or summer jobs, internships)

<b>Non-school Work or Community Activity</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Position Held</b>
	<b>9 10 11 12</b>	

**LIST SIGNIFICANT RECOGNITION, AWARDS, LEADERSHIP POSITIONS AND SCHOOL ACTIVITIES**

List below any special awards, prizes, or recognition you may have received, any elected or appointed leadership positions held, and any high school activities in which you have participated. Examples include Scholarship or Citizenship clubs, service awards, Honor Roll, elected ASB, class or club officer, committee chairperson, team captain, etc. Include any clubs or teams to which you have belonged.

<b>Recognition, Award, Position or Accomplishment</b>	<b>Grade</b>
	<b>9 10 11 12</b>

**LIST EXPERIENCES IN THE FIELD YOU ARE PLANNING TO PURSUE AFTER HIGH SCHOOL AND WHY YOU ARE COMMITTED TO THIS FIELD**

<b>Experience or Commitment</b>	<b>Grade</b>
	<b>9 10 11 12</b>