



SOUTHWESTERN UNION
EDUCATION

Teacher Education Scholarship

I Purpose

To assist students graduating from 12th grade who want to be a teacher in a Seventh-day Adventist school and to continue with an education at Southwestern Adventist University or Oakwood University.

II Qualification

- A. Attendance at Southwestern Adventist University or Oakwood University
- B. Completed application form with required attachments
- C. Recommended by academy principal

III Scholarship Information

- A. Four-year scholarship
 - \$1,500 – years one and two
 - \$3,000 – years three and four (Year four scholarship awarded upon signing a teacher contract with one of the Southwestern Union conferences for the year after graduation.)
 - Allowance for a one-year educationally related deferral, i.e., student missions, task force, Adventist Colleges Abroad
- B. Renewal criteria
 - 3.0 GPA from Southwestern Adventist University or Oakwood University
 - Verification of acceptance into the teacher education program after the sophomore year
 - Verification of acceptable progress toward the completion of a Seventh-day Adventist teaching certificate

IV Approval Process

- A. Completed application form with attachments is submitted to the academy principal by March 1.
- B. The application form with attachments will be forwarded to the Southwestern Union Conference by March 15.
- C. Six scholarships will be awarded in the spring by the Southwestern Union Conference!

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Southwestern Union Conference

Student Application

SUBMIT TO YOUR PRINCIPAL BY MARCH 1.

PLEASE PRINT

Last Name _____ First Name & Middle Initial _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Telephone Number _____

Church membership _____
(Give name of SDA Church where membership is held)

List any specific achievements, awards or recognitions you have received.

List any extra-curricular activities and/or community service you have been involved with.

Student ID# _____ Name of school presently attending _____

I plan to enroll as a full-time student at Southwestern Adventist University or Oakwood University.

Signature of Student _____ Date _____

ATTACHMENTS (Without these vital components, this application will not be considered.)

Student essay to include answers to the following questions:

- Why do you want to be a teacher?
- What experiences have you had that confirm your desire to be a teacher?
- What impact would you like to make on the Seventh-day Adventist education system?
- How do you see this scholarship influencing your life?

References (3)

- Two (2) references from teachers and/or principal
 - One (1) reference from church pastor
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Union Office of Education

Date application received _____

_____ Enrollment verification received

_____ Funds remitted to Southwestern Adventist University or Oakwood University