



# Scholarship Application

For Elementary Education Transfer Students

Funded by the Margaret H. Steele Memorial Scholarship

The *Inspiring Women* scholarship recognizes academic achievement, leadership and extracurricular involvement while encouraging individuals to attain high levels of educational and professional achievement. The Margaret H. Steele Memorial Scholarship Endowment will award \$2,000 for the academic year to a transfer student who is a community college graduate and enrolled as an elementary education major. Students must have a cumulative grade point average of at least a 3.0 (4.0=A) to be eligible to apply. The scholarship is renewable for one year as long as the recipient maintains full-time enrollment, a cumulative grade-point average of at least 3.0 (4.0 = A) and demonstrates University and/or community involvement.

To be considered for this award, applicants must submit the Inspiring Women Scholarship application and be admitted into SIUC by February 1 prior to the fall semester of attendance. Scholarship recipients will be required to attend a banquet in October.

*Please TYPE in the following information, then PRINT and SIGN the application.*

Legal Name (Last)	(First)	(Middle)	Social Security Number
Permanent Street Address		City, State, Zip Code	County
Area Code and Telephone Number		E-mail Address	
Are you admitted into the Teacher Education Program (TEP) and Elementary Education? Yes No		Community College Attended	

**Awards:** List awards, honors or special recognitions you received during college.

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**Extracurricular Activities:** List school activities and community services in which you have participated. Indicate leadership positions held (if any) and describe the leadership qualities that you have demonstrated.

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**Employment:** List your paid employment positions that you have held and the number of hours worked per week. Describe what characteristics and/or strengths you brought to the job that enabled you to be successful.

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**Explain your career aspirations and college goals and how you expect to meet those goals by attending Southern Illinois University Carbondale?**

**List any other scholarships that you will be receiving (please include the value per year for each scholarship).**

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***ALL APPLICANTS MUST COMPLETE THIS SECTION***

I accept the conditions of the award described in this application. I signify that the information supplied for admission to Southern Illinois University Carbondale is true and accurate, to the best of my knowledge. Further, I understand my obligation to notify SIUC in writing as soon as possible if I modify my decision to enroll. As a recipient of an academic scholarship from Southern Illinois University Carbondale, I understand that the University has the legal authority to release my name and address, the name of my former high school or college, the name of my award, and the award amount. This release is valid for the period of time the scholarship is in effect.

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Date                      Signature of Applicant

***PLEASE RETURN THIS APPLICATION TO:***

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