

THE RESC MINORITY TEACHER RECRUITING ALLIANCE SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA



Minority Teacher Scholarship Criteria

Overview:

The mission of the RESC Minority Teacher Recruiting Alliance is to assist Connecticut School Districts in recruiting, developing, hiring, supporting and retaining a racially, ethnically and culturally diverse teaching and administrative workforce.

The RESC MTR Alliance Minority Teacher Scholarship program is designed to provide competitive scholarships to minority candidates attending state approved teacher preparation programs leading to teacher certification.

A maximum of \$2500.00 per scholarship will be awarded to eligible candidates who have been accepted and enrolled in a state approved certification program.

The scholarship award will be paid directly to the program to offset the tuition costs for the program.

Eligibility

RESC MTR Alliance scholarship award recipients will be selected based on their eligibility and a competitive selection process that will be based on a tiered system. To be considered for a RESC MTR scholarship, prospective candidates must meet the following eligibility requirements:

1. Meet the federal guidelines which define a minority as:
 - a. Black
 - b. Hispanic or Latino
 - c. Native American or Alaskan Native
 - d. Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
 - e. Asian

Application Submission & Timeline

The RESC MTR scholarship application will be sent, along with their acceptance letters, to the minority candidates who have been accepted in to the respective programs.

1. Prospective candidates must submit a completed RESC MTR Alliance Scholarship Application.
2. Applicants must respond to the three (2) questions listed on the applications on a separate sheet of paper
3. Responses must be typed and should not exceed three (3) pages.
4. Applicants must submit a current resume showing education and work experience.
5. All applications must be submitted via mail to Esther Bobowick, C.E.S. , 40 Lindeman Drive, Trumbull, CT 06611

Selection

RESC MTR Alliance Scholarship recipients will be selected through a competitive process. Members of the RESC MTR Alliance will review applications, interview candidates and select candidates according to the responses on the applications, eligibility and subsequent candidate interviews. The RESC MTR scholarships are awarded on a one time only basis per recipient.

Candidate Interviews

As part of the selection process, candidates will be required to interview with a member of the scholarship selection committee.

Payment

Scholarship awards will be paid directly to the teacher preparation college to help offset the cost of tuition. No money will be paid directly to scholarship recipients.

Conditions of the Scholarship

RESC MTR Scholarship award recipients are expected to complete their program of study. If a scholarship recipient does not complete their program of study during the designated time of the award, they will be responsible for reimbursing the entire amount of the scholarship award to the RESC MTR Alliance.

Send these follow up communications to Esther Bobowick at C.E.S. 40 Lindeman Drive,
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