

Anna Hudson Erbacher Scholarship

Student Application Form

About the Anna Hudson Erbacher Scholarship

The scholarship program was founded in 1973 from a charitable trust established by John N. Erbacher in memory of his wife, Anna. A teacher in the Schenectady School system, Anna taught at Riverside school in Schenectady's Stockade when it was first opened. She graduated from NY University with both a master's and bachelor's degree in Education, and was a passionate, dedicated educator throughout her life. The scholarship is intended to support students who share a passion to teach.

The scholarship is available to graduating seniors of Schenectady County high schools intending to pursue a career in teaching. The scholarship is for \$2,500 per year for up to four years, subject to continued qualification, including satisfactory grades. The final selection of the scholarship recipient will be based on scholarship, financial need, character and extra curricular and community activities.

The scholarship application form is available at: www.schenectadyfoundation.org.

Instructions to Applicants:

- ❑ Type or clearly print answers to all questions.
- ❑ Authorize your Guidance Counselor to submit your scholastic record directly to The Schenectady Foundation at the address below postmarked no later than **April 27th, 2007**.
- ❑ Submit a letter of recommendation from one classroom teacher.
- ❑ Write your own personal letter explaining why you are interested in a teaching career. In the letter, include information on your community involvement and extra curricular school activities during your high school career.
- ❑ Submit all material postmarked by **April 27th, 2007**.

**The Schenectady Foundation
Erbacher Scholarship Committee
PO Box 916
Schenectady, NY 12301**

Questions about the scholarship program may be addressed to Robert A. Carreau, The Schenectady Foundation's Secretary via e-mail at racarreau@schenectadyfoundation.org.

Student Information

Student Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Telephone Number: _____

Name of High School from which you will be graduating:

Please list the colleges to which you have applied, in order of preference. Mark the box with a "✓" if you have been accepted at the college and will attend.

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Please list all scholarships for which you have applied, and how much you have been awarded.

I intend to pursue a career in teaching. Yes No

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please attach your personal letter, and the teacher's letter of recommendation.

Parent/Guardian Information

Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s): _____

Occupations of Parent(s)/Guardian(s): _____

Number and ages of children in the family: _____

Number of family members in college during applicant's freshman year: _____

Estimate of the student's freshman year expenses at college:

Tuition	\$	_____
Room & Board	\$	_____
Books	\$	_____
Clothes	\$	_____
Travel	\$	_____
Other	\$	_____

Total all expenses	\$	_____
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Estimate of student resources to pay for freshman year expenses:

Student contribution	\$	_____
Parent/Guardian contribution	\$	_____
Scholarships	\$	_____
Loans	\$	_____
Other	\$	_____

Total all resources	\$	_____
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Estimate total financial need by subtracting resources from expenses: \$ _____

Parent gross taxable income from 2006 NY State Income Tax Return: \$ _____

Comments concerning unusual financial responsibilities: _____

Signature of Parent(s)/Guardian(s): _____ Date: _____