GRAND RAPIDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Teachers of Tomorrow
Scholarship Application
2015-2016

Teacher Education
(616) 234-3380

EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

4-Year School That You Plan to Transfer to: ______________________________________________________________________________________

Grade Level you plan to teach:  
- Preschool
- Lower Elementary (K-2)
- Upper Elementary (4-5)
- Elementary Special Education
- Secondary-Middle School
- Secondary-High School
- Secondary Special Education

Subjects you plan to teach:  
- Elementary
  - Integrated Science
  - Language Arts
  - Mathematics
  - Social Studies
- Secondary
  - Biology
  - Chemistry
  - Earth/Space Science
  - English
  - French
  - German
  - History
  - Mathematics
  - Music (K-12)
  - Physical Ed. (K-12)
  - Physics
  - Social Studies
  - Spanish
  - Visual Arts (K-12)

COURSE INFORMATION

What Education-related course(s) are you taking in the Fall 2014 Semester?

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Have you participated in any Academic Service Learning project(s)?  
- Yes
- No

If yes, please describe: ____________________________________________________________

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Have you participated in any community service project(s)?  
- Yes
- No

If yes, please describe: ____________________________________________________________

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AGREEMENT & SIGNATURE

I certify that the information provided on this application is accurate. Falsifying any information on this application will result in termination of the scholarship.

Signature: ____________________________________________ Date: _______________________

Financial Aid Office
143 Bostwick Avenue, NE
Grand Rapids MI 49503-3295
(616) 234-4030
grcc.edu/education

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY AND NON-DISCRIMINATION

GRCC is an open access college that prepares individuals to attain their goals and contribute to the community. GRCC is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission. GRCC is an Equal Opportunity Institution.

Vision
GRCC is a college of distinction, GRCC inspires students to meet the needs of the community and the world.

Mission
GRCC is an open access college that prepares individuals to attain their goals and contribute to the community.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY AND NON-DISCRIMINATION

Grand Rapids Community College creates an inclusive learning and working environment that recognizes the value and dignity of each person. It is the policy and practice of GRCC to provide equal educational and employment opportunities regardless of age, race, color, religion, marital status, sex (including pregnancy), sexual orientation, height, weight, national origin, disability, veteran status or genetics in all programs, activities, services, employment and advancement including admissions to, access to, treatment in, or compensation in employment as required by state and federal law. GRCC is committed to reviewing all aspects of GRCC programs, activities, services and employment, including recruitment, selection, retention and promotion to identify and eliminate barriers in order to prevent discrimination on the basis of the listed protected characteristics. The college will not tolerate any form of retaliation against any person for bringing charges of discrimination or participating in an investigation. 07/12

Should you have a need for alternative format (i.e. Braille, CD, enlarged font); contact the DSS office to discuss options or arrange an intake with a counselor.
GRCC Teachers of Tomorrow Scholarship Application Instructions

**GRCC Teachers of Tomorrow Application**

In addition to this application, please submit the following:

- Two Letters of Recommendation (One letter must be from a GRCC Faculty or Staff Member. Both letters must be on Company Letterhead and include both contact information for the individual writing the letter and your relationship to the individual writing the letter)
- Your Resume indicating your teaching major/minors (subjects) and the grade level you plan to teach.
- A 500 word, double-spaced essay on the following topic: “What are three qualities of an effective teacher? Use examples from your personal experience that illustrate each of those qualities. This essay will be evaluated on both qualities of content and mechanical accuracy.”
- Those who have received a Teachers of Tomorrow (TOT) Scholarship in a previous year may re-apply, writing their 500 word, double-spaced essay on the following topic: “Reflect upon your growth as a future teacher during this academic year. Use examples from both your course work and personal experiences to illustrate your commitment to the teaching profession.”
- Students will receive half of their award for the fall semester and half for the winter semester unless they contact financial aid and make a specific request to have it changed.

**GRCC Foundation Scholarship Application**

Submit a completed GRCC Foundation Scholarship Application and an unofficial copy of your transcripts. This application is available from Financial Aid.

**Pick-up and/or drop-off at:**

Financial Aid
Room 156, Main Building

**Or mail to:**

ATTN: Financial Aid
Grand Rapids Community College
143 Bostwick Avenue NE
Grand Rapids, MI 49503

Due: Monday, March 16, 2015
5:00 p.m.

For more information:
- Visit our Education Office in Room 266, Main Building
- Visit our web site at grcc.edu/education
- Call (616) 234-3380
- E-mail TeachEd@grcc.edu

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**GRCC Teachers of Tomorrow Scholarship Application**

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

Full Name: ____________________________ Student ID Number: ____________________
Address (include apartment number): ____________________________ State: ___________
City: ____________________________ Zip: ___________
Best Contact E-mail Address: ____________________________ Best Contact Phone Number: ________

**EMPLOYMENT/VOLUNTEER HISTORY**

Current place of employment/volunteering: ____________________________ Ages of children you work with: ___________
What do you do: ______________________________________________________________________________________

What did you do: ______________________________________________________________________________________

Previous place of employment/volunteering: ____________________________ Ages of children you worked with: ___________
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