2016-2017

Orange County CTA

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are outright grants to graduating high school seniors who are children of members of the

Orange County Classroom Teachers Association

and who can demonstrate a genuine need for financial assistance.

A MINIMUM OF \$22,000 IN SCHOLARSHIPS WILL BE AWARDED

In order to qualify for the grant, an applicant must:

- 1. Be a child of a member of the Orange County CTA.
- 2. Demonstrate financial need and possess high overall qualifications, including character and scholarship.
- 3. Submit a timely application.
- 4. Be eligible for graduation from an accredited high school.

High school counselors have been informed that these scholarships are available.

Applications may be obtained from counselors or the CTA website:

www.orangecta.com

APPLICATION DEADLINE: February 10, 2017 – 5:00 P.M.
Orange County Classroom Teachers Association – 1020 Webster Avenue
Orlando, FL 32804 407-298-0756

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HOWARD FENNER SCHOLARSHIP Criteria for Applying

Please Note: Failure to provide any of the below could disqualify applicants.

A. Official Transcript

An OFFICIAL transcript of school work through the first semester of the current year must be submitted, to include UNWEIGHTED cumulative grade point average and class standing for grades 9 - 1st semester 12th. **ONLY an official transcript will be accepted**. It must be signed by the registrar or counselor. This document can not be an academic involvement report or subject/grade printout.

B. Copy of SAT and ACT scores

C. Application Packet

The application packet is required to give more detailed information. This packet should include:

- 1. A 200 word essay stating the name of the school of your choice, your purpose in attending this institution and your plans after graduation.
- 2. A letter of college acceptance. <u>If you do not have a letter of acceptance yet</u>, please submit your Howard Fenner application packet and then send the letter in ASAP. You will not be awarded a scholarship without a college letter of acceptance.
- 3. **A list** of your outside activities, such as church or community involvement, offices held, paying jobs you have had during out-of-schools hours.
- 4. A list of your membership in any school clubs and organizations.
- 5. A list of any academic and service honors received.
- 6. Plans for financing the large remainder of school expenses with any arrangements you might have for earning the money (i.e. other scholarships, grants, summer jobs, etc.)
- 7. An identification of extenuating circumstances to demonstrate financial need.

D. Reference Letters

One letter of academic recommendation and one letter of personal reference are required.

E. Other

The Scholarship Committee may require an interview with the applicant or with the high school counselor.

TO BE CONSIDERED:

- **A. Incomplete applications will not be considered.** It is suggested that all information be submitted simultaneously, including letters of reference.
- **B.** The completed application form and all attachments must be received in the CTA office no later than 5:00 p.m. on February 10, 2017.

HOWARD FENNER SCHOLARSHIP Personal Data Form

Date submitted			
Name	Telephone		
Address	City	State	Zip
Present High School	Social Security #		
Your Guidance Counselor's Name:			
Father's Name	Occupation_		
Place of Employment	No. of years		
Mother's Name	Occupation		
Place of Employment	N	o. of years	
Do you live with both parents?	Gross Family Income \$		
Number of Dependent Children in Family	Ages		_
Student Signature	Parent/Guardian Signature		

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