

# 2015~2016

## NSEA~Retired/SEAN

### Scholarship Qualifications

Applicants shall be juniors or seniors who will student teach during the next academic year and who have been SEAN members for at least two years, including the current year.

NSEA~Retired annually funds three \$1,000 scholarships. The scholarships shall be awarded to the three most qualified of the applications received, based on the answers to the essay questions and examples revealed in the three letters of recommendation on: (1) your personal decision to join the teaching profession; (2) your financial need; (3) your involvement in SEAN activities. Applications must be postmarked by March 1, 2015.

The scholarship recipients are announced at the next SEAN Delegate Assembly. Scholarships shall be effective for the student teaching semester. Checks shall be issued jointly to the student and his/her college or university, and mailed to the recipient. It shall be the responsibility of the recipient to advise SEAN of a current mailing address.

Three letters of recommendation shall accompany the completed application form: one from a faculty or staff member of the college or university the applicant attends, one from an officer of the campus SEA chapter, and the third recommendation from the chapter advisor. The form for the third recommendation from the chapter advisor is included in this application packet.

Please send completed applications and all supporting materials to Tamra Mick, NSEA, 605 South 14 St, Lincoln NE 68508, by regular mail.

Materials must be postmarked on or before March 1, 2015.

If you have questions, please contact Tamra Mick at  
tamra.mick@nsea.org or 800 742-0047.

# 2015/16 Scholarship Application

(Please print or type)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ I will student teach in the fall of 2015

\_\_\_\_ I will student teach in the spring of 2016

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First M.I.

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Address at School: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

School/Personal Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

School/Personal E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Permanent Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Other E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

College Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of hours completed: \_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Verified by: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Intended field of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years in SEAN: \_\_\_\_\_ SEAN Region: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please answer the following questions. *Limit each response to one page.***

1. Explain your decision to join the teaching profession, including individuals who influenced your decision to become a teacher. (40%)
2. Explain your financial need. (40%)
3. Please describe your involvement in the Student Education Association. (20%)
4. Be sure to include letters of recommendation from (a) a faculty or staff member in your college or university; (b) an officer in your SEA chapter; and (c) your SEA advisor (form on next page).

# SEA Advisor Recommendation

The following portion of the application is to be completed by the campus chapter Student Education Association advisor. Upon completion of the form, the advisor is asked to give it to the student applicant who will mail the entire completed application and attachments to Tamra Mick, NSEA, 605 South 14<sup>th</sup> Street, Lincoln NE 68508. It must be postmarked no later than March 1, 2015. If the advisor wishes the form to remain confidential, please enclose it in a sealed envelope and sign across the seal and give it to the student for mailing.

Please write a brief narrative describing the applicant's involvement in the SEA chapter.

Please verify the student's GPA \_\_\_\_\_ and number of hours completed \_\_\_\_\_

The applicant is currently an active member of SEAN. Yes      No

The applicant has been a SEAN member for two years, including this one. Yes      No

Please make any general comments regarding the applicant that you feel are relevant to the student's application for this scholarship.

Advisor's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you very much for your help.