

## **Education Department Scholarship Opportunities for MA/Credential Program Students**

At the time of acceptance into the MA/Credential Program, eligible students are awarded

- **Education Department Fellowships**
- **NSF Noyce Scholarships** (to selected Cal Teach applicants)

The following scholarship opportunities are available to prospective teachers enrolled in the M.A. in Education and Credential Teaching Program. All eligible students are invited to apply.

### **Teach Grant**

Loans through Financial Aid up to \$3,712 per year for eligible Math, Science & Bilingual Authorization Candidates who teach in low-income schools for at least four years.

### **Cal Grant Credential Program Benefits**

Students who received the Cal Grant as an undergraduate and who enroll in a credential program directly upon completion of their undergraduate degree may be eligible for Cal Grant Credential Program benefits.

### **California Retired Teachers Association (Laura E. Settle) Scholarship**

An award of approximately \$3,000 is available to one graduate student enrolled in the UCSC teacher preparation program who demonstrate financial need, as verified by the Financial Aid Office. A call for applications is made in the Fall Quarter for a Winter Quarter award.

### **Delta Kappa Gamma Teachers Scholarship**

Delta Kappa Gamma Education Award is awarded to a student currently enrolled in the Education Master of Arts/Credential Program at UC Santa Cruz. Award preference is based on financial need and academic merit.

Additional preference is given to a female student.

A call for applications is made in the Spring Quarter. One award of approximately \$900 is made in the final summer quarter.

### **Kathryn Merriam Scholarship**

A scholarship of approximately \$1,500 is available for students enrolled in the UCSC teacher preparation program, who demonstrate financial need, as verified by the Financial Aid Office. A call for applications is made in the Spring Quarter. One award is made in the final summer quarter.

### **Nancy Matlock Teacher Scholarship**

One scholarship, in the amount of approximately \$1,500 is awarded annually from the Matlock Teacher Endowment Fund to a student in the M. A. in Education: Teaching program who attended Cabrillo College for at least one continuous year as an undergraduate. Eligible applicants must demonstrate financial need, as verified by the Financial Aid Office. A call for applications is made in the Spring Quarter.

### **President's Educator Fellowship**

This award is made available to students enrolled in the Education MA/Credential Program who are committed to working in low-income schools upon graduation. Eligible applicants are selected by the Education Department from enrolled students with the top 10% of highest financial need. Awards of approximately \$2,000 - \$5,000 are made the Fall Quarter to all qualifying applicants.

### **Richard and Cindy Morley Award in Education**

The award is made to two students each year as selected by the Department's Teacher Supervisors for outstanding performance in their final student teaching placement. Selected recipients must have financial need as established by the UCSC Financial Aid Office and be in good academic standing for the current quarter to be considered the award. Awards of approximately \$600 are made in the Spring Quarter.