

## 2024 APPLICATION INFORMATION FOR TRI-VALLY RETIRED EDUCATORS' SCHOLARSHIP

**The Tri-Valley Retired Educators' Scholarship is for students planning to enter the field of education as a teacher or counselor.**

### **Qualified Applicant Must Be A:**

Graduate of a public high school in Livermore, Pleasanton, Dublin, or San Ramon, planning a career in education.

High school student who is a senior with plans to attend a four-year institution in the fall of 2024.

Community college student who will complete 36 units by the end of the spring term of 2024, and who will transfer to a four-year institution in the fall of 2024.

Four-year college/university student who will complete the sophomore year by the end of spring 2024.

Four-year college/university student who plans to enter the credential program in the fall of 2024.

### **Application Guidelines:**

**1. Up to five one-time scholarships of \$2,500 each will be awarded.**

**This scholarship will be sent to the college the winner will be attending in the fall of 2024 to be applied to the student's tuition only.**

2. Awards will be based on:

a. an effective essay explaining your interest in a teaching career and your plan for reaching your goal. This personal expression is a very important part of your application. **A handwritten** signature is necessary. The application will not be read without it.

b. three character references to be written/printed on or attached to the form supplied.

c. statement of need for financial assistance is optional.

3. The application must include an **official transcript**. If none is included, the application **will not be read**.

4. By **March 15, 2024** applicants must submit a completed application by mail or by hand to:

Claudia Wanlin  
669 Sylvaner Drive  
Pleasanton, CA 94566

Or sent to cwanlin61@gmail.com

### **LATE APPLICATIONS ARE NOT ACCEPTED**

5. The Tri-Valley Scholarship Selection Committee will determine the recipients soon after the deadline.

6. Final selections will be announced by April 26, 2024. Recipients will be notified by phone followed by an official letter.

7. The award will be presented on May 21, 2024, at a meeting and luncheon of the Tri-Valley Retired Teachers Association, Division #85. Recipients may bring two guests to the luncheon.

8. A recipient may be enrolled in any accredited institution of higher learning where he/she is working toward a career in education.

9. Upon receipt of proof of enrollment for the 2024 fall semester, the scholarship will be made payable to the student's account at the four-year institution, to be applied to the student's tuition only. Request for payment must be received no later than the beginning of August 2024.

10. If a recipient fails to register or becomes ineligible to proceed with the planned goal, the scholarship becomes null and void.