

# 2024 Application for the SCEA Member Scholarship

This \$1,000 scholarship is available to active members in good standing of the Shelby County Education Association who are returning to school to further their education in an education-related field.

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

Worksite: \_\_\_\_\_ Job Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Purpose of your continued education plan: \_\_\_\_\_

College/program currently attending: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE NOTE:** *Only members in good standing (current, dues paying member) of SCEA may apply.*

Have you ever received a SCEA Member Scholarship?                      yes                      no

If **yes**, what year(s)?    2023                      2022                      2021                      2020                      Before 2020

**The five items listed below must be returned in the same envelope:**

- 1) Completed application (this form).
- 2) Copy of official letter from college or university certifying acceptance.
- 3) Letter of recommendation from applicant's principal/supervisor.
- 4) Essay in which you respond to the following prompt: ***What four people, living or deceased, would you invite to a dinner and why?***

The essay must be double-spaced using 12 pt. Times New Roman font and one-inch margins - maximum of two pages in length. These essay formatting guidelines must be followed in order for an entry to be considered.

- 5) Completed "Candidate's Financial Form" (see next page).

You may return the complete packet either by **regular US Mail, Pony**, or **hand delivery** to:

**Erica Davis, SCEA Scholarship Chairman  
Vincent Middle High School  
42505 AL-25, Vincent, AL 35178**

**Completed applications must be received before 3:30 p.m. on Friday, March 15, 2024.**

- Faxed or emailed applications or those received after this time and date will not be considered – **no exceptions. Incomplete** applications will not be considered.
  - Applicants will be notified via email on or before April 15 whether or not they have been selected as a recipient. Recipient will be asked to attend a presentation ceremony.
  - This is for active SCEA members only (teachers, counselors, administrators). SCESP members have a separate process. Support employees should contact Wendy Farmer for information.
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