

# BULA BUCK ARVESON SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



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Applications are available Online [www.foundation4smartkids.org](http://www.foundation4smartkids.org)

or in your High School Counseling Center

## **Scholarship Overview**

- Scholarship is available to Any College or University where applicant intends to major in Education
- One Scholarship will be awarded yearly to a graduate of Tigard or Tualatin High School meeting Bula Buck Arveson scholarship requirements
- Scholarship Awarded \$2000

**note:** value not to exceed amount reasonably required for one year course of study

## **Critical Information**

- Due Date - Friday, April 8, 2011 - **4:00PM**
- Mail or deliver application to:

**Foundation for Tigard-Tualatin Schools**

**6960 SW Sandburg Street**

**Tigard, OR 97223**

- No late applications will be considered

This scholarship is under the management, standards, and guidelines of the Foundation for the Tigard-Tualatin Schools, a 501(c) non-profit organization affiliated with the Tigard-Tualatin School District 23-J.

For questions relating to the scholarship check the foundation website at:

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## Bula Buck Arveson

**“Bea” Arveson was a prominent, social and philanthropic citizen in the Portland area for many years. She served on the Tigard-Tualatin Schools Foundation Board of Directors for two years. Being raised in rural Idaho, it was difficult to obtain work during WWI and struggled to fund her education. She managed to become a teacher by the age of 19 and vowed to help others hurdle the funding for an education. Never having any children of their own, she and her husband provided funding for many of their nieces and nephews college education. She and her siblings all carried a gene that caused macular degeneration in later life that left them essentially blind. It was in this interest that she and her husband donated all finances to create the surgical unit at Casey Eye Institute in Portland, Oregon. Mrs. Arveson was laid to rest in July 2001 and this scholarship is a lasting legacy to her generosity and commitment to help young people with their education funding so they can succeed.**

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## Standards

### Academic

- Must be a graduate of Tigard or Tualatin High School with a minimum accumulated **GPA of at least 2.75** after the **seventh** semester.
- Scholarship applicant must be interested in obtaining a **degree in Education** for the purpose of becoming a teacher.
- Must demonstrate commitment to achieving the highest attainable personal level of academic performance.
- Scholarship is for **any accredited college or university**.

### Financial

- Applicant's need for financial assistance will be considered amongst all the other items.
- Scholarship is for one year of support in the amount of \$2000.

### Personal

- Must be a U.S. Citizen

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## Personal Information

### Applicant:

Name	Age
Address	
City	Zip
Phone	
Email	
High School	

### Parent/Guardian info:

Father	Occupation	
Address		
Mother	Occupation	
Address		
Siblings Name	Age	Residence

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## Checklist for Application and Enclosures

*Materials required for submitting this application are listed below*

- Completed and **signed** official scholarship application.
- Official High School transcript through 7th semester (**must be sealed by guidance center**)
- SAT, ACT, and other test scores
- Activities outline for all four years of high school.
- Personal Statement describing what/ who inspired you to become a teacher.
- Two (2) letters of recommendation
- College expenses and sources of income may be prepared on a separate sheet.
- Send or bring the completed application **on or before Friday, April 8, 2011 4:00 pm**

**Foundation for Tigard-Tualatin Schools**

**Attn: Scholarship Application**

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**Tigard, OR 97223**

**(503) 431-4024**

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## SCHOLARSHIP STANDARDS INFORMATION

To demonstrate that you meet the Standards of the Scholarship requirements

- Write a short summary (200 words or less) why you plan to become a teacher and what teacher inspired you the most.
- Include letters of recommendation from two (2) of the following individuals:
  - Teachers
  - School counselors
  - Employers
  - Other

To what college, university, trade or technical school have you applied?

List in order of priority and tell us why.

School Name	Location	Date applied	Accepted Yes/No/Pending	Preference

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## ACADEMIC INFORMATION

- Schools attended during 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, and 12<sup>th</sup> grades.
- Class rank
- Attach sealed and certified copies of transcripts for all 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, and first semester of 12<sup>th</sup> grade.
- GPA after 7 semesters
- Test Scores

Date Taken	SAT verbal	SAT Math	ACT	Other

- Dates and scores of other standardized Advance placement or IB tests

Date Taken	Test	Score

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## ACTIVITY INFORMATION

Attach a separate sheet outlining the activities that you have participated in while in high school.

- In School
- Employment
- Community
- Other

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**FINANCIAL INFORMATION** Please provide projected budget for one year of study at the school of your preference.

## Anticipated Expenses

Room and Board	
Tuition	
Books and Supplies	
Other	
Total	

## Anticipated Source of Funds

Savings	
Parent Support	
Gifts	
Earnings	
Scholarships / Grants (list)	
Other	
Total	

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**Please provide a paragraph describing your need for the financial assistance this scholarship will provide.**

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I hereby certify as follows:

- That I have read the standards and information sheet about this scholarship and that I qualify for consideration.
- That all the information submitted to this scholarship in connection with this application is true and correct.
- If I am awarded a scholarship, I agree not to accept total scholarships or grants from all sources that are in excess of the amounts that are reasonably necessary to fund the total cost of the first year of my anticipated course of study

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_