SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
2012 SCHOLARSHIPS

Additional scholarships may be available after this list is published. If that occurs, all applicants will be considered for appropriate scholarships. In these difficult economic times, it is possible that a scholarship funded with investment earnings will not have adequate funds to be awarded; the School of Education reserves the right to not award a scholarship if that occurs.

The Selection Committee will make its decision based upon merit and/or financial need unless otherwise specified.

Adopt-A-Teacher Scholarship $1,000

The Adopt-A-Teacher scholarship program was established in 1997 to provide support for practicing teachers who are pursuing advanced degrees. Eligible students must be practicing teachers pursuing an advanced degree.

- Martha Reilly Smith graduated from the University of Colorado School of Education in 1972. Martha and her family created this endowed scholarship based on their commitment to advancing high quality teaching in public schools and to the vital role of talented CU Masters students in pursuing teaching careers. **Two scholarships are awarded.**

- William D. Krug graduated with a degree from the School of Education in 1961 and has supported this unique program for many years. **One scholarship is awarded.**

Edythe V. Billingslea Memorial Scholarship Fund $1,000

Mrs. Edythe Billingslea graduated from the College of Arts & Sciences in 1934. The Edythe V. Billingslea Memorial Scholarship Fund was established through Ms. Billingslea's estate to support graduate students in education who might be in need of financial assistance. Eligible students must be graduate students in elementary education, secondary education, or literacy at the MA level or in one of the Ph.D emphases in Curriculum and Instruction. **Five scholarships are awarded.**

Mary Kay Brown Scholarship $1,000

Mary Kay (Benyon) Brown was a music teacher in the Denver Public Schools for over 30 years. She did not have any of her own children and married later in life. According to her will, she wanted to support needy students who intend to become teachers. Eligible students must be formally admitted to one of the teacher licensure programs. **Four scholarships are awarded.**

Ceal Barry Education Scholarship $750

Dr. Joanne Arnold, professor emerita of Journalism and Mass Communication, retired from the faculty in 1995 after serving the campus in various leadership roles for 23 years. Dr. Arnold holds a certificate of teaching from the School of Education. Dr. Arnold established this scholarship to honor Cecilia Barry, former head coach of the CU women's basketball team, as the quintessential teacher who stresses the need for athletes to excel in academic endeavors and in developing positive character traits. Eligible students must be current graduate students in the bilingual/special education program. **Two scholarships are awarded.**

Judy Carol Crites Herron Scholarship $1,000

David "Lee" Herron, a distinguished alumnus, created the Judy Carol Crites Herron Scholarship in 1990 in loving memory of his late wife, also an education major. Eligible students must be formally admitted to one of the teacher education programs in social studies or English education and must desire to work with people of diverse cultural and economic backgrounds. **Three scholarships are awarded.**

Anthony & Judith Cuzzucoli Scholarship **$750**

Christopher Cuzzucoli established this scholarship in 1999 as a tribute to his parents who have devoted their lives to teaching. Anthony Cuzzucoli was a high school teacher in Dix Hills, New York for 30 years prior to his retirement in 1998. At the time this scholarship was established, Judith Cuzzucoli, an elementary school teacher, was still working in Smithtown, New York. This scholarship is intended to provide the opportunity and financial encouragement for a new generation of teachers to follow in their footsteps. Eligible students must be in a teacher licensure program. **One scholarship is awarded.**

Teacher Education DiStefano Honor Scholarship **$1,000**

The Teacher Education Scholarship was established in 1995 by the Teacher Education Association to support a teacher licensure student during his/her student teaching semester. The scholarship was renamed in 1996 to recognize the contributions of Phil DiStefano, former dean of the School of Education. Dr. DiStefano is currently Chancellor at the University of Colorado Boulder. Eligible students must be in their student teaching semester fall 2012 or spring 2013. **Two scholarships are awarded, one in fall and one in spring.**

Luke Dunivant Scholarship **$1,000**

The Luke Dunivant Endowed Scholarship Fund was established in memory of Luke Dunivant to assist School of Education graduate students who intend to become secondary social studies or psychology teachers. Luke earned a BA in history at College of the Holy Cross in Massachusetts. He then received his Master's in Education in 2000 at CU Boulder and taught history at Arvada West High School. The scholarship was established by Luke's widow, Denise and his parents Chris and Robert Dunivant. Eligible students must be graduate students in the School of Education who intend to become secondary social studies or psychology teachers. **One scholarship is awarded.**

Diane Joan Everingham Fellowship **$1,000**

This scholarship was made possible by the generosity of Scott and Carol Winston in memory of Carol's sister, Diane Everingham. Diane Everingham worked for 18 years as a teacher and assistant principal in the state of Delaware. She was nominated for the Superstars in Education Program in 1992 and for the President's Award as outstanding teacher in math and science in 1992. The Winstons want this fellowship to go to a teacher who shares Diane Everingham's passion for education. Eligible students are MA students in a licensure program or MA students who are current teachers. **One scholarship is awarded.**

Michael Gendron Fellowship for Excellence in Teaching **$1,000**

The Michael Gendron Fellowship was established in 1994 in loving memory of Michael Gendron by his friends and family. Michael was a 1980 graduate of the University of Colorado with a degree in economics. In 1987 he received his teaching credentials and taught at the junior high and middle school levels in Colorado. Eligible students must be formally admitted to one of the master's plus teacher education programs. **Two fellowships are awarded.**

The Calvin and Florence Grieder Scholarship **$1,000**

The Grieder Scholarship was established in 1993 by Calvin and Florence Grieder. Cal Grieder served as dean of education and the graduate school. He passed away in 1994. Florence Grieder served on the Boulder Valley School Board for many years. Eligible students must be formally admitted to one of the initial teacher education programs. **Two scholarships are awarded.**

David & Margaret Grohne Scholarship **Out-of State Tuition / year**

David and Margaret Grohne are both alumni of the University of Colorado who came to CU-Boulder as out-of-state students from Illinois. They so valued their experience at CU that they decided to give back by making that opportunity possible for other bright students. Eligible students are U.S. born, scholastically achieving, out-of state undergraduate students with leadership potential who have a goal of becoming a teacher. The scholarship will be based on merit. The scholarship allows for a maximum of six semesters, provided the student remains in good standing in the teacher education program. **Up to three scholarships are awarded.**

Lillian Gutierrez Scholarship **$1,000**

To honor Lillian Gutierrez, Congressman David Skaggs created an endowment in her name to support students in the Teacher Education Program. Dr. Gutierrez, a native Coloradan, is one of the leading Hispanic educators in the State of Colorado. Her life and career exemplify courage, discipline, and self-improvement. Eligible students must be formally admitted to one of the teacher education programs and must desire to work with people of diverse cultural and economic backgrounds. The selection committee will make its decision based upon merit, financial need and community activities. **Three scholarships are awarded.**

The Hach Scientific Foundation Chemistry Teacher Scholarship **$6,000/year**

Deeply devoted to chemistry, Clifford and Kitty Hach founded the Hach Company in 1947. Today, the Hach Scientific Foundation provides national support for undergraduate chemistry, new chemistry teachers, and chemical outreach. Eligible students must be a chemistry or biochemistry major and be enrolled in a secondary science teacher education program. Students majoring in physics or biology with sufficient chemistry preparation to be a chemistry teacher may also apply. Students must have a minimum GPA of 3.0. The scholarship is renewable provided the student remains in good standing in the teacher education program and in the science major. **Up to four scholarships are awarded**

Clifford Houston Scholarship **$1,000**

The Clifford Houston Scholarship was established by a gift from Clifford Houston to assist graduate students in the completion of their degree. Professor Emeritus Clifford Houston dedicated himself to educating others through the development of techniques that produced attitudes of self-worth in individuals. Eligible students must be doctoral candidates enrolled in the bilingual/multicultural program area in the Social Multicultural Bilingual Foundations Degree area. **Two scholarships are awarded.**

Alice Marine Memorial Scholarship **$1,000**

This scholarship will be awarded to a Colorado native who has demonstrated both leadership and creativity. Eligible students must be a graduate student at the Master's level in the School of Education whose goal is to be a classroom teacher. Special consideration will be given to a student who wishes to pursue her studies with an emphasis on social sciences as a content area. **One scholarship is awarded.**

Pearl McPherson Spencer Scholarship **$1,000**

This scholarship was established by Pearl McPherson Spencer's daughter, Thelma Spencer, in honor of her mother's love of education. Eligible students should be Master's level students who have taught for several years and plan to continue teaching as a career. **One scholarship is awarded.**

Nancy and Steve Ollanik Scholarship for Teachers **$1,000**

The Nancy and Steve Ollanik Endowed Scholarship for Teachers was established with a gift by Nancy and Steve Ollanik to assist School of Education students during their student teaching semester. Steve was a software engineer when he decided to pursue his teaching certificate at the University of Colorado Boulder in 1996. He

then earned his Master's degree in Education from CU in 2000. He is currently a math teacher at Columbine Elementary school in Boulder where he has taught since 1996. He also currently serves on the School of Education Development Advisory Board. Nancy is also a CU Boulder alumna, having earned her degree in environmental design in 1979. She now owns a graphic design studio in Boulder. Eligible students should be committed to working in schools with a high percentage of low-income students and/or schools that have a high percentage of bilingual or multilingual students. **One scholarship is awarded.**

Phi Delta Kappa Scholarship **$500-$750**

The Boulder chapter of Phi Delta Kappa, an international educational organization devoted to research, service, and leadership, established this scholarship in 2005. The scholarship is intended to support a deserving teacher candidate during his or her student teaching semester. Eligible students must be approved to student teach fall semester and demonstrate financial need. **One scholarship is awarded.**

Carol Robinson Reynolds and Charles L. Reynolds Scholarship **$1,000**

Carol Reynolds earned her BA in 1958, her MA in 1968, and her Ed.D in 1978, all from the University of Colorado. She taught school for 2 years in Alaska. She served as a teacher, counselor, junior high school and senior high school principal, and held various central administrative positions in a 29-year career with the Denver Public Schools. Charles Reynolds retired from the United States Air Force in 1970. He earned a BS at Metropolitan State College of Denver in 1980 and an MBA at Regis University in Denver in 1987. He retired from the Denver Water Department in 1991. Eligible students must be current graduate students in the School of Education. Preference for one of the scholarships will be given to a graduate student who plans to teach either mathematics or science. **Two Scholarships are awarded.**

Virginia Lynn Sakala Memorial Scholarship **$1,000**

This memorial scholarship was established by the friends and family of Virginia Lynn Sakala. Due to financial constraints, Virginia was unable to fulfill her dream of becoming a teacher when she earned her undergraduate degree at the University of Colorado. Virginia's devotion to education and desire to teach always remained alive and it is the hope of her family that this memorial scholarship will provide funds to help other students with similar financial needs and a strong desire to teach. Eligible students must be fifth year seniors working on teacher licensure. The selection committee will make its decision based upon merit, financial need and ability to exemplify devotion as an educator. **Two scholarships are awarded.**

Stan Ratliff and Suzanne Sawyer-Ratliff Scholarship **$500**

The Ratliff/Sawyer-Ratliff Scholarship was established in 1995 and is awarded to a student who has a career plan to work with culturally and/or linguistically diverse, underserved students and their families. This scholarship was designed to support applicants with financial need, a demonstrated work or volunteer history with the students and families, and a commitment to teaching underserved populations in U.S. public schools. Stan Ratliff and Suzanne Sawyer-Ratliff, who both began their careers as public school teachers, have committed their entire professional lives to education. Stan, who passed away in 1996, was a professor in the School of Education for 26 years and was involved integrally with the work of the BUENO Center for Multicultural Education. Suzanne recently retired from the BUENO Center. This scholarship is a continuing demonstration of the family's commitment to CU-Boulder and to Bilingual/Multicultural education. **One scholarship is awarded.**

Rosellen E. Siegel Scholarship **$1,000**

The Rosellen E. Siegel Scholarship was established in 1994 in loving memory of Ms. Siegel. Rosellen taught sixth grade until 1950 when she became a remedial reading teacher. She focused the majority of her career in this field, retiring in 1984 after 38 years of teaching. Eligible students are enrolled in the elementary licensure or

literacy Teacher Education Program. Preference will be given to individuals wanting to work with primary age children. **Two scholarships are awarded.**

Emery & Evelyn Fitzsimmons Stoops Scholarship **$500**

The Stoops Scholarship was established in 1978 by Dr. Emery Stoops, professor emeritus, USC, in memory of Evelyn Fitzsimmons Stoops, a former student at the University of Colorado. Awards are given to academically and professionally meritorious students regardless of specialization, sex or ethnic background. Candidates for this scholarship should show ability to succeed academically at the University; financial need is not necessarily a consideration. Eligible students are enrolled in the Teacher Education Programs. **One scholarship is awarded.**

Fayne I. and Edward E. Weant Scholarship **$1,500**

The Fayne I. and Edward E. Weant Scholarship was established in 1999 for future educators after the Weants attended a 50th Reunion Celebration at CU. They both believe that the public school system has helped make America great and that students who wish to become teachers deserve financial support. Eligible students are from the mid-west with longtime roots in their small rural communities or who grew up on ranches or farms. Eligible students must be enrolled in an undergraduate Teacher Education Program. **Two scholarships are awarded.**

Elizabeth A. Wilson Scholarship **In-State Tuition plus $1,000 Stipend**

The Elizabeth A. Wilson Scholarship was established in 1965 by Mr. & Mrs. Eugene K. Wilson in loving memory of their daughter, Elizabeth (Betsy) Ann. This scholarship provides a Teaching Assistant salary (with accompanying in-state tuition and TA insurance) for one semester, plus a $1,000 stipend. Eligible students are graduate students who have a teaching appointment and are enrolled in one of the Ph.D programs in Curriculum & Instruction. The intent is to provide teaching assistantship support for graduate students in the area of elementary education. **One scholarship is awarded.**

Dorcas Diana Wolf Scholarship **$1,000**

The Dorcas Diana Wolf Scholarship was established in 1995 to benefit students enrolled in the Teacher Certification program with a focus on Elementary Education. Dorcas Diana Wolf earned a master's degree in education from CU in 1945. For four years she taught students in grades one through eight in a one-room school house. Thereafter she taught first through third grades, with second grade her favorite, for a total of 42 years. Eligible students must be enrolled in the elementary licensure Teacher Education Program. **Two scholarships are awarded.**

Zola Family Endowed Scholarship for Social Studies Teachers **$1,000**

This scholarship was established in 2007 by Jaye and John Zola, former Senior Instructors in the School of Education. John also served as the Director of School-University Partnerships in the School of Education for four years. Eligible students are student teacher candidates in the School of Education who intend to teach secondary social studies upon completion of degree and licensure. The scholarship recipient shall have received a strong recommendation from his/her social studies Methods Instructor and should be considered a teacher candidate who will use authentic, active and engaging pedagogy in his/her classroom. The recipient will complete student teaching in the fall semester. First preference will be given to Colorado resident students from under-represented populations. **One scholarship is awarded.**