



MARK A. EDWARDS, Ed.D. ***EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP*** ***2009-2010***

INTRODUCTION

The Mark A. Edwards Ed.D. Education Scholarship in the amount of **\$1,000** was created by the Henrico Education Foundation to assist Henrico County School employees pursuing a degree in education. Dr. Edwards served as Henrico's Superintendent of Schools from 1994-2004. While with Henrico County Public Schools, he was committed to creating learning opportunities for HCPS employees as a means to provide the best education for the students of Henrico County.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA: Applicant must

- be a full-time contractual employee of HCPS;
- be pursuing an undergraduate or graduate degree in education;
- submit evidence of enrollment in an educational program;
- plan to continue their career in Henrico County

Preference will be given to those applicants seeking certification in areas where there is a shortage of teachers. These areas include upper level Math, Special Education, Earth Science, Chemistry and Physics.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

- Application should be filled out with attention to care and detail. Proofread your essays thoroughly.
- The scholarship will be awarded in November, 2009. Winners will be contacted personally by Paula Roop, HEF Program Manager.
- Scholarship funds will be paid directly to the college or university.
- Applications should be submitted to Paula Roop, Program Manager, Henrico Education Foundation by **October 12, 2009**. They may be sent on the pony or hand-delivered.
- Attach a copy of your most recent transcript.
- Attach a copy of your resume.
- Attach a letter of recommendation from someone in a supervisory position of Henrico County Public Schools. This letter should specifically address the quality of instruction provided by this individual or their potential to be an excellent educator.



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APPLICATION

(Please type or print; electronic copy may be requested by email to pdroop@henrico.k12.va.us)

Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Address _____
(Number and Street) (City/State/Zip)

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Current Work Location: _____

Current Position: _____ Yrs. Experience this Position _____

PROGRAM INFORMATION:

School Attending: _____

Date of Acceptance to School: _____

Anticipated Completion Date: _____

Degree Program: Undergraduate Masters Post Masters Certificate
 Doctoral Specialist

Major Specialization: _____

Current Cumulative Grade Point Average: _____

