

Wayne County Retired Teachers' Association Scholarship Application 2022-2023

As an encouragement to young people in our county preparing to pursue careers in the profession of education, the Wayne County Retired Teachers' Association is pleased to award a scholarship of \$500 for the 2022-2023 school year. This award is available to a graduate of a Wayne county high school that has declared a major in education and accumulated at least 80 semester hours toward that degree at an accredited college or university.

Qualifications for the scholarship and application information are available on the attached application form. Applications are due June 15 to the address listed at the bottom of this page. Applications may be mailed to the Scholarship chair sent electronically by email. Recipients will be invited to attend the August meeting of the organization at which time the scholarship will be awarded. Applications are available from Michael Simpson at the address below.

Applications must be postmarked or emailed no later than June 15, 2022 to:

Michael Simpson
304 Whiteside Lane
Fairfield, IL 62837
Phone: 618 842-7004
Cell: 618 599-0377
Email: mandmsimp46@gmail.com

**WAYNE COUNTY RETIRED TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION
APPLICATION FOR \$500 SCHOLARSHIP**

To be a qualified candidate for this scholarship, the applicant must:

- Have graduated from a Wayne County High School
- Have 80 or more semester hours of college credits
- Have a 2.8 or better college GPA (4.0 scale)
- Be an education major with full intentions to teach upon graduation

The applicant shall provide the information requested below using the given outline as a guide for submission.

Personal information

Name	Address
Phone #	Email address
Birth date	
Mother's name and Occupation	
Father's name and Occupation	

Educational information

- Place and date of High School Graduation
- High School Grade Point Average
- College Grade Point Average to date
- College or University you now attend
- Projected date of graduation

Work experience since high school

Community service activities since High School (work done in clubs, organizations, churches, or major volunteer activities or events participation)

When did you decide to become a teacher and why? (50 words or less)

What is your Major/Minor? Why did you choose these areas? (50 words or less)

Thank you for applying for our scholarship. Please submit this information by mailing it to the address below or by submitting it electronically to the e-mail address given by **June 15, 2021**.

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Illinois Retired Teachers regional scholarship:

There is one scholarship available for our region.
The 2022 application and current guidelines for the Illinois Retired Teachers Association Foundation Scholarship is now available on the IRTA website at www.irtaonline.org and located under the Foundation tab. Applications can also be obtained by contacting IRTA Administrative Assistant, Susan Goetz at the IRTA office. **The deadline to postmark applications is March 7, 2022.**

This \$1,500 scholarship is available in each of the six IRTA Areas of the state.