

**2017 SCHOLARSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT AND
APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**
**Bay District of the
California Association of Family & Consumer Sciences**
For majors in: apparel, child/family, nutrition/dietetics, interior design
1 Bay District Scholarship (\$1500)
2 Marguerite Fenner Scholarships (\$1500, \$1500)

Mission of family & consumer sciences: assisting individuals, families, and communities in making informed decisions about their well-being, relationships, and resources to achieve optimal quality of life.

ELIGIBILITY: Must submit required materials by deadline and be one of the following: 1) enrolled Fall 2017 in a graduate or undergraduate program in Family & Consumer Sciences (FCS) or one of its specialization at an accredited college/university; 2) a student obtaining a FCS credential at an accredited college/university; 3) a high school senior entering a 2yr or 4yr college or university program in the Fall with a major in FCS or specialization. **Also:**

- *Bay District Scholarship:* Must be a member of AAFCS (high school applicants are not members, but recipient must have applied for membership at time of award). Check www.aafcs.org for application (comes with state and district membership).
- *Marguerite Fenner Scholarship:* Must be a woman enrolled in Northern California college/university at time of scholarship award.
- If you receive a CA-AFCS or AAFCS scholarship, you are not eligible to receive one from Bay District of CA-AFCS in the same year.
- Applications must be postmarked by deadline; *late or incomplete ones will not be considered.*
- Recipients must reply to the Scholarship Committee to verify eligibility of the award by submitting a copy of their Fall college/university registration by September 15. (Agreement form will be sent to recipients.)

CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION: 1) Current and potential contribution to Family & Consumer Sciences or specialization (experience and goals), 2) Scholarship/GPA, and 3) Financial Need

REQUIRED MATERIALS (*All must be addressed*)

- One clear copy of the completed scholarship application
- One official transcript in a sealed envelope from *each* college or institution attended, or high school, if high school senior. If official transcript is not available by due date, send an unofficial copy followed by the official transcript (required for eligibility). Transcript is not required if less than 12 units earned at a transfer institution and units are transferred to current school.
- Separate statements of: 1) experience including work and volunteer/community activities (include dates, name of place and responsibilities), 2) professional goals related to the mission of family & consumer sciences (see above mission statement), and 3) financial need (income/support and expenses). Maximum 2 pages for these 3 statements.
- Signature on application.

One set of materials is sufficient for both Bay District and Marguerite Fenner Scholarships. Check the scholarship(s) for which you are applying on the application form.

For an application, please contact: Nancy Wolford <nlwolford@earthlink.net>

DEADLINE: postmarked by April 1, 2017. No late applications considered. Send application to:

Dr. Nancy Wolford
16171 Jasmine Way, Los Gatos, CA 95032

2017 Scholarship Application
Bay District of the
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Check Scholarship for which you are eligible (See application instructions for eligibility criteria)

___ **Bay District** (member of AAFCS. Membership # _____ or copy of application must be indicated for eligibility. High school students are eligible but high school applicants cannot be a member of AAFCS; recipients must become a member after scholarship is announced.)

___ **Marguerite Fenner** (female student attending Northern CA 2yr/4yr college/university)
(high school students are not eligible)

Name _____
(First) (Middle) (Last)

Physical Address (not PO Box) _____
Street City State Zip

Phone Number _____

e-mail address (pls type or print *clearly*) _____

Marital Status: Single ___; Married ___; Children? Yes ___ No ___; If yes, ages _____

Social Security # (required for award; supply on application or at time of award) _____

As of Fall 2017: (check only one): High School Senior ___; College Freshman ___; Sophomore ___;
Junior ___; Senior ___; Graduate Student (masters, doctorate) ___; Credential or certificate _____

Date of Anticipated Graduation (from your current school, indicate only one)

High school _____

AA/AS _____

BA/BS _____

Masters, doctorate, credential, or certificate _____

School presently attending _____

College/university at which you will be enrolled in Fall 2017 _____

Name of degree program you will be enrolled in Fall 2017 _____ Cumulative GPA: _____

Checklist: Along with this coversheet, include the following requirements:

___ official transcripts from all schools attended (Transcript not required if less than 12 units earned at a transfer institution and units are transferred to current school)

___ on separate sheets address the following 3 areas (Maximum overall 2 typed pages):

___ describe your Professional Experience: Work and volunteer/community activities (include dates, place, and responsibilities)

___ describe your Professional Aims and Goals related to family & consumer sciences (see mission statement on instruction sheet)

___ identify your Financial Need (include income/support and expenses)

Note: No letters of recommendation are required

I verify that the information in this application is correct. *Note: See Instruction Sheet for details on eligibility, criteria for evaluation, and all required materials.*

Signature

Date