

National Board Certified Teachers Scholarship

Education Minnesota Foundation for Excellence in Teaching and Learning

Mission: Education Minnesota's Foundation for Excellence in Teaching and Learning: promoting vision, best practice and achievement

Eligibility:

If you are an Education Minnesota member, licensed to teach, and have three years of teaching/counseling experience, you are eligible to apply for a scholarship to help offset the costs to become a National Board Certified Teacher (NBCT).

Because the intent of this scholarship is to encourage motivated members, initial NBCT applicants will receive preference over those who have already been through the program.

The NBCT process is demanding and complex. The Foundation Board is looking to award scholarships to members who are familiar with and able to commit to that process.

Objective:

The Education Minnesota Foundation for Excellence in Teaching and Learning will grant at least ten scholarships up to \$500 per component (up to \$1,000 per application) toward the application process for National Board Certification once per year.

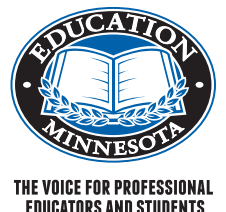
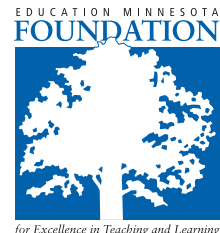
Scholarships will be paid upon proof of payment for the NBCT program.

Deadline:4 p.m., November 1, 2017

Grant awarded by:January 2018

Funds to be spent by:September 2018

All applications are reviewed by the Board of Trustees of the Foundation – teachers and support professionals who are members of Education Minnesota.



National Board Certified Teachers Scholarship: Narrative

ALL APPLICANTS MUST ADDRESS ALL NARRATIVE TOPICS AND COMPLETE THE DATA SHEET.

Please use double spacing, Times New Roman 12-point type on single-sided paper to answer the following narrative questions. Be sure to number and label your responses, and limit your narrative length to one page. Do not forget to include the following application page with your submission—please be sure to sign it and have your local president sign it.

1. Describe your motivation for pursuing National Board Certification.
2. Describe your degree of familiarity with the National Board Certification process.
3. Include your timeline for completion of the work.

Signed and scanned applications in .pdf format are preferred and can be emailed to foundation@edmn.org.

Applications can be mailed to:

Education Minnesota Foundation
41 Sherburne Ave.
St. Paul, MN 55103-2196

National Board Certified Teachers Scholarship: Data Sheet

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One Component
\$500

Two Components
\$1,000

Is this your first attempt at National Board Certification?

Yes No

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Total Amount requested (up to \$1,000): _____

Home Address: _____

Home City, State, ZIP: _____

Home Phone: _____

Home Email: _____

Job Title: _____

Grade Level(s): _____

School/Institution: _____

Work Address: _____

Work City, State, ZIP: _____

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Work Phone: _____

Work Email: _____

Area of certification (see next page for certificate area names): _____

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Your application will be reviewed only when it is considered "complete"—that is, all questions are answered, all documents mentioned above are attached, and a completed and signed data sheet is received. If all items are not received, your application will not be reviewed by the Foundation Board of Trustees.

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY THIS OFFICE NO LATER THAN 4 P.M. ON THE DUE DATE.

Mail/email grant applications to:
Education Minnesota Foundation for Excellence in Teaching and Learning
41 Sherburne Ave., St. Paul, MN 55103-2196
foundation@edmn.org – 800-652-9073

Note: Please expect a confirmation email within 1 week of submitting your application. If you do not hear back from the Foundation with a confirmation that your application was received, please contact Sam Jasenosky at sam.jasenosky@edmn.org or 651-292-4869.

YOUR LOCAL/AFFILIATE PRESIDENT SHOULD COMPLETE THIS SECTION.

Local or Affiliate Organization: _____

Local or Affiliate President's Name (please print): _____

President's Email Address: _____

My signature below indicates that I am aware of this application and certifies that the applicant is a member of Education Minnesota, holding an active membership status.

Signature of Local or Affiliate President: _____

Date: _____

National Board for Professional Teaching Standards: Areas of certification

Art

- Early and Middle Childhood
- Early Adolescence through Young Adulthood

Career and Technical Education

- Early Adolescence through Young Adulthood

English as a New Language

- Early and Middle Childhood
- Early Adolescence through Young Adulthood

English Language Arts

- Early Adolescence
- Adolescence and Young Adulthood

Exceptional Needs Specialist

- Early Childhood through Young Adulthood

Generalist

- Early Childhood
- Middle Childhood

Health Education

- Early Adolescence through Young Adulthood

Library Media

- Early Childhood through Young Adulthood

Literacy: Reading–Language Arts

- Early and Middle Childhood

Mathematics

- Early Adolescence
- Adolescence and Young Adulthood

Music

- Early and Middle Childhood
- Early Adolescence through Young Adulthood

Physical Education

- Early and Middle Childhood
- Early Adolescence through Young Adulthood

School Counseling

- Early Childhood through Young Adulthood

Science

- Early Adolescence
- Adolescence and Young Adulthood

Social Studies–History

- Early Adolescence
- Adolescence and Young Adulthood

World Languages

- Early Adolescence through Young Adulthood

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