



UNIVERSITY of
SOUTH FLORIDA
 College of Education

Claude & Lydia Melli Endowed Scholarship in Education

Scholarships to be awarded to full-time undergraduate students in the College of Education on the Tampa campus who are majoring in Science or Math Education. This scholarship is restricted based on merit (3.2 GPA) and financial need. Preference will be given to single mothers/female heads of households.

- Applicants must be currently enrolled in the College of Education on the Tampa Campus
- Applicant must be an undergraduate major in Math Education or Science Education
- Applicant must have a minimum 3.2 GPA
- Applicant must have a FASFA on file with USF and must demonstrate financial need
- Preference will be given to applicants who are single mothers/female head of household or applicants from households with a single mother/female head of household

Application Procedures

- Form **must be** accompanied by the required essay
- Including letters of recommendation are optional
- Return this completed form and essay to EDUScholarships@usf.edu no later than **Friday, September 13, 2024.**
- Awardees will be notified via their USF email.

Essay Prompt

- In 500 words or less discuss why you want to become an educator and your career goals. If you are a single mother/female head of household or were raised by a single mother/female head of household please also discuss how this has affected your life.

Name _____ UID _____

USF Email _____ GPA _____

Expected Graduation _____ Major _____

Applications submitted without the required essay will be considered incomplete.

By submitting this application, you authorize the release of your academic, enrollment, and Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) information to be used during the review process. If you are selected to receive a scholarship, you authorize your photographic image (from your USF ID card) to be released to your donor in connection with the USF Foundation's donor stewardship initiatives.

Applicant Signature

Date