VALLEY CITY EDUCATION ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP
INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS

1. ELIGIBILITY
   Graduates of Valley City High School enrolled in a teacher education program of
   sophomore, junior, or senior status in the fall of 2020.

2. SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION
   This scholarship will be $500. Based on applicants, this could be one $500
   scholarship or two separate $250 scholarships. The scholarship recipient will
   have a check mailed to the financial aid office of their university that will be
   applied to the recipient’s fall semester tuition.

3. BASIS FOR SELECTION IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE
   1. Fall of 2020 seniors, then juniors, then sophomores, and then prior recipients
   2. Reapplying applicants that were denied previously
   3. Essay quality
   4. Letter of recommendation’s explanation of character and future value
   5. High school, post high school achievements and collegiate activities
   6. G.P.A.

4. SELECTION COMMITTEE
   A committee selected from the membership of the Valley City Education
   Association will determine the awardee.

5. APPLICATION PROCEDURE
   Mail the completed application, essay, and letter of recommendation to
   matt.nielson@k12.nd.us OR to the following address:

   Mr. Matt Nielson
   Valley City Education Association
   Valley City Public Schools
   460 North Central Avenue
   Valley City, North Dakota 58072

6. DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION
   All applications must be post-marked no later than March 15th, 2020.
VALLEY CITY EDUCATION ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Full Name: ____________________________________________________________

Phone Number: ________________________________________________________

Email Address: ________________________________________________________

Home Address: _______________________________________________________

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Names of Parents/Guardians: ____________________________________________

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University Attending: _________________________________________________

Expected Graduation Date: _____________________________________________

Major(s): _____________________________________________________________

Current GPA: _________________________________________________________

Credits Earned by the End of Spring Semester '20: _________________________

Honors and awards received during high school and since high school graduation along with collegiate activities:

____________________________________________________________________

Signature of Applicant: ________________________________________________

PLEASE ENCLOSE THE FOLLOWING:

1. An essay of less than 300 words on "Why I Want To Be A Teacher."
2. One letter of recommendation. Requirements for recommendation:
   a. Includes character and future value to the teaching profession
   b. Must be from a college professor in the field of education or the field of your major