



# News Release

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## **WESTERN ANNOUNCES EDUCATION DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIPS**

**St. Joseph, Mo.** —August 202, 2006— Missouri Western State University announces the award of 13 education department scholarships to 15 students for the 2006-2007 academic year:

### **McHugh Lafayette-Humboldt Scholarship**

**Katherine Hangartner**, freshman, elementary education major; and **Dawn Swing**, junior, elementary education major, both of **St. Joseph**. This scholarship is awarded to elementary or music education majors who maintain a 2.5 GPA during their freshman year and a 3.0 GPA all succeeding years. Students must be graduates of Lafayette High School, St. Joseph, with one reference from his or her high school principal. Preference is given to a student who attended Humboldt Elementary School, St. Joseph.

### **Marie Heerlein Scholarship**

**Susan Buckley**, senior, elementary education major, **Lathrop, Mo.** This scholarship is awarded in memory of Heerlein, who was a secretary of the education department. It is awarded to a student who is a junior or senior with a declared major in elementary education with an emphasis in social studies. A record of services rendered to the community and/or education is required.

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### **Allen Lowenberg Scholarship**

**Terry Woolery, Jr.**, senior, elementary education major, **St. Joseph**. The scholarship is awarded to an education major in his/her junior or senior year. Recipient will be a resident of St. Joseph and a graduate of any St. Joseph high school.

### **Nelle Blum Scholarship-Education**

**Dawn Krumme**, junior, elementary education major, **Faucett, Mo.** It is awarded in memory of Blum, former dean of St. Joseph Junior College, to a degree-seeking student in business or education, with 60 credit hours completed and a 3.0 GPA.

### **Culver-Gettys Memorial Scholarship**

**Laura Williams**, senior, elementary education, **St. Joseph**. It is given in memory of Lt. Col. Charles M. Culver and Capt. Hugh M. Gettys, and awarded to degree-seeking students who have completed a minimum of 28 college hours, with a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better. A career in education is preferred. The scholarship may be continued for the second semester if the students continue to achieve a 2.5 cumulative GPA.

### **Paul F. and Elisabeth Kees Trust Fund**

**Todd Lindstrom**, freshman, physical education major, **St. Joseph**. Awarded in memory of the Keeses, the scholarship is given to full-time students in good standing who have a defined hearing loss. If no student with a defined hearing loss applies, students with other exceptionalities or who have demonstrated an interest in special education may be considered.

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### **George M. Ashworth Memorial Scholarship**

**Kari Snyder**, senior, elementary education major, **Hamilton, Mo.** Recipients will be a junior or senior, majoring in elementary or middle school education, and from northwest Missouri. Students must have a 3.0 or better GPA.

### **Eula W. Popplewell Scholarship**

**Kaleigh Hicks**, freshman, elementary education major, **St. Joseph.** In memory of Popplewell, this scholarship is awarded to a freshman with a declared pre-major in elementary education. The recipient must provide two references, high school rank, ACT or equivalent score, and a record of service to education or to the community. Students may re-apply if a GPA of 3.2 is maintained, if they have a declared major in elementary education and if no other freshmen apply. Freshmen are given first priority.

### **Leona Ebersold Education Scholarship**

**Virginia Herrera**, senior, elementary education major, **Hiawatha, Kan.** Established in memory of Ebersold, applicants should be at least a junior majoring in education, elementary preferred, with a 2.5 GPA and one recommendation from the education department.

### **Eleanor Cottrell Memorial**

**Octavia Beard**, senior, elementary education major, **St. Joseph.** This scholarship from the Cottrell Memorial Fund is awarded to a re-entry student with a declared major in elementary education.

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### **John S. and Helen Freda Creal Education Scholarship**

**Adrienne Chleborad**, senior, English education major, **St. Joseph**. This scholarship is awarded to full-time nontraditional students seeking a degree in education. A GPA of 3.0 is required to qualify, and a 3.0 in major courses is required to maintain the scholarship. The names of two references must be submitted to the education department.

### **Alberta Cross Haynes Teaching Scholarship**

**Marcy Sullwold**, senior, elementary education, **St. Joseph**. This scholarship is awarded in memory of Haynes, who served as an elementary teacher in rural Missouri in the 1920s. Applicants must be junior or senior level and declared elementary education majors eligible for membership in Kappa Delta Pi. Preference is given to students from rural backgrounds. A GPA of at least 3.2 is required, as well as two references.

### **Kappa Delta/Coyne Scholarship**

**Kevin Carroll**, senior elementary education major of **Cameron, Mo.**, and **Robert Dunlap**, senior, elementary education major of **Savannah, Mo.** The Kappa Delta Pi Scholarship is awarded to one student in elementary education and one student in secondary education. Students must be members of Kappa Delta Pi, the national education honor society for undergraduates in education.

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*Missouri Western State University is a four-year public institution providing a blend of traditional liberal arts and professional degree programs. The university offers student-centered, high quality instruction that focuses on experience-based learning, community service, and state-of-the-art technology. Western is located in St. Joseph, Mo. and is committed to the educational, economic, cultural and social development of the region it serves. Missouri Western State University announces recipients of the following business scholarships for the 2006-2007 academic year:*