



State Representative Al Riley Legislative Scholarships

For Students Residing in the 38th Legislative District

All applications should be submitted to:

**State Representative Al Riley's
Legislative Scholarship
3649 W. 183rd Street, Suite 102
Hazel Crest, IL 60429**

**All application must be post mark or delivered to the district office by
4:00pm:
Deadline: March 19, 2010**

****Failure to complete this application in a full or truthful manner will disqualify you from the scholarship process.***

Legislative Scholarships

State Representative Al Riley awards eight individual one-year tuition waivers to students residing in the 38th District. Waivers are available for attendance at the University of Illinois (any campus), and any other Illinois public universities including Chicago State, Eastern Illinois, Governors State, Illinois State, Northern Illinois, Northeastern Illinois, Southern Illinois (both campuses) and Western Illinois University.

Each waiver is good for one full year of tuition, including summer sessions. This scholarship does not waive student fees, housing, or book expenses.

*The General Assembly scholarships are only accepted at **state supported universities in the State of Illinois** (as listed above). Private colleges, community colleges and colleges outside of the State of Illinois are not eligible.

Requirements

Participants must live in the 38th District and attend or plan to attend any of the Illinois public universities listed above. Proof of residency is best determined by a voter registration card, which can be obtained at most local libraries or Village Halls. Participants unable to provide a voter's registration card can submit a phone, gas, or electric bill as proof of residency.

To ensure equality among all applicants and to maximize the opportunity for the college experience, **these scholarships are limited to students who plan to start or continue a undergraduate collegiate course of study. Attendance to graduate, medical, law or other post baccalaureate professional school or course of study is not allowable for this scholarship.**

A copy of the applicants high school or college transcript is required as well as two letters of recommendation: one from a high school/college counselor and one from another source such as a teacher, school official, activity leader, or employer.

Each scholarship winner is required to sign and notarize a confidentiality waiver verifying his or her address. This will be sent to students after scholarships have been awarded.

Criteria

Students will be judged on academic achievement, community involvement, school activities, personal essay and financial need.

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Questions

For more information or additional copies of the 38th District General Assembly scholarship, please contact the district office at (708) 799-4364.