Next Generation Hoosier Educators Scholarship
Nomination Procedures

There is nothing more important than having a quality teacher in the classroom, and this scholarship aims to assist some of Indiana’s best and the brightest entering the teaching profession in Indiana. The Next Generation Hoosier Educators Scholarship invites Indiana educators to nominate qualified students who aspire to become the next generation of teachers.

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As part of each student’s application for the Next Generation Hoosier Educators Scholarship, a school official (as detailed below) must nominate and agree to serve as a resource while the student pursues their teaching license. It is the responsibility of an applicant to locate a school official to complete the nomination form. A school official or guidance counselor must complete the certification section of the nomination form to verify the student meets the academic requirements for the scholarship. The nomination form is a required component of the student application, which will be available online on November 1, 2016 and due December 31, 2016. An applicant should have the nomination form completed before completing the online application.

Who Can Serve As A Nominator?

A high school student must be nominated by a licensed K-12 teacher or administrator currently employed at an Indiana school. A college student may be nominated by a licensed K-12 teacher or administrator currently employed at an Indiana school or a campus faculty member from their post-secondary institution. Applicants should refrain from using a parent, grandparent, sibling, aunt or uncle as their nominator.

Nominator Expectations

Once the student receives the scholarship, the nominator becomes a resource to the student while the student attends college. A nominator assists their student by providing support and career-building guidance while the student pursues their teaching license. Expectations include:

- Supporting the student’s goals and academic progress
- Answering questions related to the teaching profession
- Serving as a model for continuous learning and professional development