

# JON WALTHER MEMORIAL TEACHING SCHOLARSHIP

## ELIGIBILITY

Must be a senior graduating from a Modesto City Schools comprehensive high school whose goal is to become a teacher.

## APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. Must include a short essay explaining why your educational goal is to earn a teaching degree (500 words or less).
2. Must include an official copy of your high school transcript, including class rank, GPA, and the fall semester grades of your senior year.
3. If available, include SAT and/or ACT scores if you plan to attend a four-year college.
4. Must include one letter of recommendation from a high school teacher.
5. Must submit completed application with all materials and transcripts to the Modesto Teachers Association by **4:00 PM Thursday, March 31, 2022**.

## RECIPIENT REQUIREMENTS

1. A scholarship winner may attend any college or university of his or her choice including a junior college but must be enrolled in a full-time program that leads to a teaching degree.
2. The scholarship award will be presented to the winner upon receipt of proof of registration.

## SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS CRITERIA

1. Scholastic accomplishment during high school
2. Personal characteristics

## SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT

\$1,000.00 — One scholarship per comprehensive high school with a qualified applicant, plus one Special Recognition scholarship if deemed appropriate.

## BASIS FOR MAKING AWARDS

Applicants will be judged on the basis of overall school record and application information.  
***Incomplete applications will not be considered.***

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## SIGNATURE STATEMENT

I, the undersigned, as a graduating senior from Modesto City Schools, hereby make application for a Jon Walther Memorial Teaching Scholarship and certify that:

1. All the information submitted is true and correct;
2. I will use any funds received from the Modesto Teachers Association only for the purpose of paying expenses for my college education; and
3. I will notify Modesto Teachers Association immediately if there should be any interruption in my plans for continuing my education this coming year.

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Applicant's Signature

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School

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Date

Deliver or mail application and related materials to:

Modesto Teachers Association  
Jon Walther Scholarship Committee  
817 Coffee Road, Bldg. E  
Modesto, CA 95355

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### Walther Teaching Scholarship CHECK LIST:

### Student CHECK-OFF:

Essay explaining desire to earn a teaching degree (up to 500 words)	
Complete copy of high school transcript, including class rank, GPA and first semester senior year	
SAT and/or ACT scores if you plan to attend a four-year college, if available, or an explanation of why they are not included	
One letter of recommendation from a high school teacher	
Application and all materials submitted to and received by MTA no later than <b>4:00 PM on Thursday, March 31, 2022</b>	

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## APPLICATION

High School \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### PERSONAL DATA (Please print or type)

Name in full \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_ Place of birth \_\_\_\_\_ U.S. Citizen? \_\_\_\_\_

Name of father and/or mother \_\_\_\_\_

Number of children living at home \_\_\_\_\_ Number of children attending college \_\_\_\_\_

When will you graduate from high school? \_\_\_\_\_

Approximate grade-point average? \_\_\_\_\_ Class ranking? \_\_\_\_\_

What subjects have interested you most thus far? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Are you employed? \_\_\_\_\_ Where? \_\_\_\_\_

Number of hours weekly? \_\_\_\_\_

If not employed now, were you previously? \_\_\_\_\_

Where? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you supplement your resources through employment if you receive a scholarship?

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Have you applied for any other scholarship or financial aid? \_\_\_\_\_ Describe briefly:

\_\_\_\_\_

What are your financial prospects for completing your college studies? \_\_\_\_\_

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What subject area and/or level would you like to teach? \_\_\_\_\_

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List in order of preference three colleges, universities or business schools where you have formally applied for admission:

<u>Name of Institution</u>	<u>City/State</u>	<u>Accepted? (yes/no)</u>
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List school and community extra-curricular activities including athletics, music, and offices held:

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List academic awards and/or honors received: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please use this space to record additional information you feel would be of interest to the scholarship committee: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please state reasons for requesting this scholarship. State any facts that should be considered, particularly those that establish financial need: \_\_\_\_\_

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