



Mertys Bell Scholarship Award Guidelines

The scholarship award in the amount of \$500.00 will be paid in two (2) installments for the recipient who attends a school on the semester system. Second payment will be based on satisfactory academic progress during the previous period of enrollment as determined by the institution attended.

The scholarship will be awarded to:

1. A learning resources/library paraprofessional working toward an associate or a bachelor's degree in the library and information studies field.
2. A student working toward an associate, bachelor's, or master's degree in the library and information studies field.

NOTE: For the purposes of this award, a "paraprofessional" is defined as one with less than a four-year degree.

Guidelines for application for the scholarship:

1. Acceptance in a learning resources center related program or course work.
2. Submission of a written statement outlining the applicant's career objectives and feelings about reasons for choosing a learning resources related career.
3. Latest transcript.
4. Three (3) letters of reference from supervisors, co-workers, or others familiar with applicant's ability.
5. All documentation should be sent to the Awards Chairperson by May 1st.



Mertys Bell Scholarship Award Application

Applicant:

Address:

City: **State:** **Zip:**

Phone:

E-mail:

Curriculum:

Institution/Workshop Information:

Place of Employment:

Please indicate the scholarship for which you are making application:

Attach a written statement outlining your career objectives and reasons for choosing a learning resources related career.

Attach three (3) letters of reference.

Attach latest transcript.

(Signature)

Submit application to:

Alisha M. Webb, MLIS
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