



USM College of Education and Human Development List of Scholarships and Special Criteria

To be considered for scholarships, applicants need to complete only one of the three types of scholarship application (1. CEHD undergraduate teacher education, 2. CEHD graduate teacher education, or 3. CEHD graduate education), unless noted.

Adult Education Book Fund

The Adult Education Book Fund was created in 2007 on the occasion of the 35th anniversary of the founding of the M.S. in Adult Education Program. Several hundred alumni and friends from all regions of the United States donated to this fund as a way of voicing appreciation for the important contribution the Adult Education Program made in their lives. Each year a book award is given to one or more matriculated students who have demonstrated academic excellence and promise as a professional adult educator.

Eligibility by program: Adult Education

Joan Martin Beaudry Memorial Grant

The Joan Martin Beaudry Memorial Grant was established at the University of Southern Maine in 1993 by memorial gifts from family, friends, and classmates in memory of Joan Martin Beaudry. The fund is used to make an annual award to a student in the College of Education and Human Development, who graduated from a Maine high school, plans to teach after graduation and, has demonstrated financial need.

Eligibility by program: TEAMS

The Class of '53 Scholarship Fund

The Class of '53 Scholarship Fund was established in 1994 on the occasion of the 40th reunion by members of the Class of 1953. The fund provides a scholarship annually to a student who is pursuing a minor in the College of Education and Human Development. Preference is given to relatives of the Class of 1953.

Eligibility by program: Educational Studies Minor, TEAMS

College of Education and Human Development Clinical Fellows

The USM College of Education and Human Development Clinical Fellows Fund was established in 1990 by a bequest from the estate of Gladys Gilmore, a 1927 Gorham Normal School graduate. Awards are given to students in their internship year.

Eligibility by program: Counselor Education, School Psychology, ETEP

College of Education and Human Development Community Scholarship

This endowed scholarship was established at the University of Southern Maine in 2006 by the faculty and staff, and friends of the College of Education and Human Development. The award will be given beginning in the 2007-2008 academic year. The award will be made to a student of good standing in the College of Education and Human Development.

Eligibility by program: All CEHD programs **Special Criteria:** requires special application

College of Education and Human Development Scholarship Fund

The USM College of Education and Human Development (CEHD) Scholarship Fund is funded by donations given primarily by CEHD alumni and are designated for college scholarships. The awards are made to CEHD students in good standing. **Eligibility by program:** All CEHD programs

Ruth V. Conley '25 Scholarship

The Ruth V. Conley '25 Scholarship was established in 1981 through a bequest from Ruth V. Conley, a 1925 alumna from the Gorham Normal School. This scholarship is awarded to outstanding students in the College of Education and Human Development.

Eligibility by program: All CEHD programs

Richard and Melissa Costello Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 1990 by Richard and Melissa Costello, director emeritus of intercollegiate athletics and professor emerita of education, and their family and friends. Recipients are selected on the basis of academic achievement, leadership skills, good character, and the promise of becoming outstanding teachers.

Eligibility by program: undergraduate teacher education

Marcella Lee Davis Class of 1927 and 1964

The Marcella Lee Davis Scholarship Fund was established in 1996 with a bequest from the estate of Marcella Lee Davis, Class of 1927 and 1964. It is awarded to elementary education students in the Extended Teacher Education Program. **Eligibility by program:** graduate teacher education

Tasha Dunham Memorial Book Fund

The Tash Dunham Memorial Book Fund was established in 2007 in memory of Tasha Marie Dunham, a graduate student in the school psychology program. The book fund is awarded to a school psychology student who shows professional promise, academic merit, and demonstrates financial need. **Eligibility by program:** School Psychology

Lawrence H. and Pearl W. Fickett Educational Leadership Scholarships

These scholarships were established by Mrs. Pearl W. Fickett in 1989 to promote scholarly study and the development of professional skills in educational leadership. Scholarships are awarded to students studying to become educational leaders.

Eligibility by program: Educational Leadership, Special Education, Literacy Education, Professional Educator

Florida Alumni Chapter : Madelyn and Marion Ulmer Memorial Scholarship

This award was established by the Florida Alumni Chapter of USM formed in 1974. It is awarded annually to deserving students in education. **Eligibility by program:** TEAMS

Gorham Alumni Chapter of Southern Maine

This scholarship is presented annually through the generosity of the Gorham Chapter of the USM Alumni Association. The recipient is someone who shows promise as a teacher at the K-8 level.

Eligibility by program: TEAMS

Lewis Arch Hamblen 1880 Scholarship

The Lewis Arch Hamblen 1880 scholarship was established in 2004 by family and friends of Almerly Hamblen, '37. It is awarded to a student who plans to teach.

Eligibility by program: teacher education

Stewart Belknap Hamblen 1924 Scholarship

The Stewart Belknap Hamblen 1924 scholarship was established in 2004 by family and friends of Almerly Hamblen, '37. It is awarded to a student who plans to teach.

Eligibility by program: teacher education

Laura B. Hansen Memorial Scholarship

The Laura B. Hansen Memorial Scholarship was established in 1993 with a bequest from the estate of Laura B. Hansen, Class of 1927. Awards are given to full-time students in the Extended Teacher Education Program. Preference is given to qualified graduates of the University of Southern Maine. **Eligibility by program:** ETEP

Hoar Family Scholarship

This scholarship was established in memory of Gerald W. Hoar, a graduate of Gorham State Teachers College, and past president of the Gorham Alumni of Southern Maine chapter. The recipients are students preparing to become educational leaders or teachers.

Eligibility by program: ETEP, Educational Leadership

Frances Howarth Scholarship

This scholarship was established through a bequest given in 1961 by Miss Nellie Howarth in memory of her sister. Because lack of money denied Frances Howarth the fulfillment of her aspiration to become a teacher, the student selected to receive this annual scholarship is a deserving student in education.

Eligibility by program: ETEP or TEAMS

Dexter Huntoon Memorial Award

This award was established in 1986 in memory of Dexter Huntoon, who was an outstanding counselor and supervisor of counselor education graduate students in the Office of Counseling and Career Services at USM. The award is given annually to a graduate student in the counselor education program who has demonstrated great promise in the field of counseling.

Eligibility by program: Counselor Education

Special Criteria: no monetary award, by program nomination

Arthur and Marguerite Johnson Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 1997 with a bequest from the estate of Marguerite Johnson. Arthur Johnson was a self-made man, an inventor who combined knowledge of machines with a plan to solve a problem. Marguerite Johnson acted as the business manager of their enterprises, and was in every way a first class lady. This scholarship was created to ensure that their memory lives on. Awarded to students in the Extended Teacher Education Program with preference given to those preparing to teach science.

Eligibility by program: ETEP

Anna Keating Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 2003 in memory of Anna Keating, a 1912 Gorham Normal School alumna. The scholarship is given to a student pursuing teacher education at the elementary or high school level. **Eligibility by program:** teacher education

Elizabeth F. Kerr Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established at USM in 2007 by Judith Kerr Clancy, daughter, Jonathan P. Clancy and Christine Kerr Clancy, grandchildren of Elizabeth Kerr. Dr. Kerr taught at Gorham State Teachers College (GSTC) starting in 1957, becoming the first woman full professor at GSTC. She retired from USM in 1974 as Professor Emerita of Education. Scholarships benefit students in the ETEP program.

Eligibility by program: ETEP, preference given to students pursuing science education

Charles and Sylvia Martin Memorial Scholarship

This award was established in memory of Charles F. Martin by his friends and relatives in 1959. Mr. Martin, who taught at Gorham from 1946-1959, was an early advocate of instructional media and was the first audio-visual director at Gorham. Mrs. Martin worked in the library of the Gorham State Teachers College for 19 years. The award is given to a student who will minor in education or who is enrolled in the Extended Teacher Education Program.

Eligibility by program: TEAMS or ETEP

Margaret McKenna Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 1993 with a gift from Dr. Margaret Early. It is awarded annually to outstanding students in the literacy education program.

Eligibility by program: Literacy Education

Special Criteria: nomination by literacy education faculty

Beth Moore Scholarship

This award was established in 1981 by friends of Beth Moore, a former professor of reading. It is awarded annually to a graduate student in the literacy education program.

Eligibility by program: Literacy Education

Special Criteria: nomination by literacy education faculty

Dorothy D. and Richard W. Moore Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 2002 by Dorothy and Richard Moore. Dorothy Moore was a 27-year faculty member in the College of Education and Human Development, serving as assistant dean in 1982-83, and as dean from 1983-92. During her tenure, she significantly advanced the College's programs, including establishing the Extended Teacher Education Program (ETEP). This scholarship honors Moore's commitment to the College and to her own profession of counselor education. This scholarship is awarded annually to a student in the counselor education program or ETEP, who is a Maine resident, shows academic and professional promise, and has financial need. **Eligibility by program:** ETEP, Counselor Education

Barbara Anne Payne Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 1978 by the late Mr. and Mrs. Payne in memory of their daughter of the Gorham Class of 1950. It is awarded to a student who intends to teach.

Eligibility by program: teacher education

M. Ruth Perry '27 Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship was established from a bequest of M. Ruth Perry, a 1927 Gorham Normal School alumna. She grew up and taught school for many years in Dexter, Maine. The award is given to students who are preparing to teach. **Eligibility by program:** teacher education

Walter E. Russell Scholarship

The Walter E. Russell Scholarship is given annually in memory of Dr. Russell, who served as a teacher for 11 years previous to becoming the second president of Gorham Normal School from 1905-1940, and whose special devotion was to philosophy and education. It is awarded to those who show promise in the teaching profession. **Eligibility by program:** TEAMS

Virginia Hodgkins Somers Foundation Scholarship

This scholarship was established at USM in 2007 by the Virginia Hodgkins Somers Foundation. It is for students in the College of Education and Human Development.

Eligibility by program: Open to CEHD, preference given to students who reside in York County

John M. and Annie T. Sutton Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 2004 by John M. and Annie T. Sutton. John Sutton was a professor of counselor education for 26 years in the College of Education and Human Development. The scholarship is given annually to a graduate student enrolled in the counselor education program who has shown a commitment to and demonstrated the potential to become a significant leader in the profession of counseling.

Eligibility by program: Counselor Education

Special Criteria: by nomination of counselor education program

Franklin Talbot Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 1996 with a gift from Franklin Talbot, a retired USM reference librarian. The scholarship provides assistance to graduate education students in the College of Education and Human Development. Preference is given to a student who is preparing to become an educational leader in Maine schools. **Eligibility by program:** TEAMS

Alice E. Toothaker Scholarship

This scholarship was established from the estate of Alice E. Toothaker, an alumna of the Gorham Teacher's College. Scholarships are given to promising students in the fields of education and human development.

Eligibility by program: teacher education