

**E. Graham Pogue Memorial Scholarship
Application Form**

For GPS Board Use
Application
Reference
Autobiography/Essay
Other _____

Name _____

Last First Middle ID#

Home _____ School _____

Address _____ Address _____

Phone (____) _____ Phone (____) _____

Registered Student Financial Aid Office Yes _____ No _____ Overall GPA _____

Dates of Planned Student Teaching Semester _____

Other Financial Aid being received during the semester (list) including dollar amounts

Licensure Area (such Elementary Education, Secondary English Education)

DIRECTIONS:

1. Complete this application form/cover sheet. (Please type)
2. Attach the following:
 - a. Reference letter of sponsorship from a faculty member at Ball State University
 - b. Copy of transcript(s) (college academic work)
 - c. Essay of not less than 200 words addressing your activities related to the following criteria:
 - i. Evidence of statement of need during the student teaching term.
 - ii. Evidence of conscientious preparation for a career in teaching.
 - iii. Evidence of self-help through employment while a student at Ball State.
 - iv. Evidence of interest in helping others to achieve their full potential.
 - v. Evidence of potential as a teacher.

NOTE: Be sure to include why you believe you should receive this award.

- d. Other supporting information that you wish to submit. (Please be brief)

All parts of the application must be sent to Denise Harris by email (dsharris@bsu.edu) by **Monday, April 1st**.

CRITERIA

This scholarship is established to help defray loss of income occurring when serious students, working their way through Ball State, engage in full-time student teaching. The time consuming nature of student teaching and real participation in the life of the school during this professional term makes it virtually impossible for serious students to be completely self-supporting at the same time. This scholarship aims to reduce the economic burden for this one special academic semester in which the recipients are enrolled in full-time student teaching.

The number of scholarships to be awarded each year shall be limited only by the funds available for that purpose. Selection of the recipients(s) shall be made by the E. Graham Pogue Scholarship Committee, which is appointed by the chair of the Department of Educational Studies.

Criteria for selection shall include:

- (1) Evidence of conscientious preparation for a career in teaching.
- (2) Evidence of self-help through employment while a student at Ball State University.
- (3) A grade point average of 3.0 or above in courses taken at Ball State University.
- (4) Evidence of interest in helping others to achieve their full potential.
- (5) Evidence of potential as a teacher.

Each scholarship recipient will receive notice of the award through a certificate which will remind the student of Dr. Pogue's professional work at Ball State and a complete list of all the individuals and organizations who have contributed to the scholarship fund.