Invitation to Apply

The 2022 Larry Graham Aspiring Principal Scholarship application period closes October 11, 2022!

The $1500.00 scholarship opportunity is available to any aspiring principal enrolled in a program leading to an Alaska Type B Administrative Certificate.

Eligible applicants must provide proof of acceptance into an accredited educational leadership program or other verification that they are working toward a degree program leading to an Alaska Type B certificate.

Scholarship Criteria Information
- Application packets must include:
  1. A brief cover letter (one page or less) describing why you are applying for the scholarship;
  2. Your personal vision statement for becoming an administrator including your professional goals for achieving this certificate (one page);
  3. Proof of acceptance into an accredited educational leadership program or other verification that they are working word a degree program leading to an Alaska Type B certificate.
  4. A current resume; and
  5. Two letters of recommendation (one page each).
- The two letters of recommendation must speak to your readiness and potential as an administrator. The letters should
be from an immediate supervisor (assistant principal or principal), a director, associate superintendent, superintendent or equivalent.

Scholarship Recipient Award Criteria
- Annual scholarship award is $1500.00.
- Scholarship are dependent upon: Verification of scholarship requirements being met each semester and verification of enrollment; as well as availability of scholarship.
- Awardee must complete the program within two years of initial enrollment.
- Awardee must provide verification of enrollment prior to AASSP issuing the funds.
- Checks will be issued once all scholarship application requirements have been satisfied.
- Awardees can receive the scholarship only once.

Please submit your application to acsa@alaskaacsa.org

The Aspiring Principal Scholarship is named in honor of former Alaska High School principal and AASSP Executive Director, Larry Graham, in recognition of his outstanding advocacy of the important leadership role of principals. The Aspiring Principal Scholarship is administered by the Alaska Council of School Administrators.

Please forward to an aspiring principal!