Announcement
Special Education Award and Scholarship

Gail Elizabeth Grimshaw Award and the Delton C. Beier Scholarship

We are now accepting applications for the Gail Elizabeth Grimshaw and Delton C. Beier Scholarship. The Grimshaw Award will be awarded to an outstanding undergraduate major in special education, either from the Teaching All Learners or Community of Teachers program, who will be a senior by the following year.

The Beier Scholarship will be awarded to two full-time graduate or undergraduate students enrolled in the School of Education with plans to teach students with mental retardation after graduation.

Selection will be based on academic performance, faculty judgment of the applicant’s strengths and their potential to make a contribution to the field of special education. Financial need may also be considered. Students interested in applying for these scholarships must submit the following:

1) A statement of your anticipated financial support and financial expenditures for the next academic year (see attached form).

2) Documentation of your current GPA (transcripts).

3) Two brief statements (no more than one page per statement) on the following:

   a) Experiences you have had and the strengths you have developed that make you a viable candidate for this award.

   b) Your planned contributions to the field of special education.

A hard copy of the application should be submitted to the special education office (Education room 3211) by the due date listed on the School of Education Scholarship Webpage.
The Beier & Grimshaw Scholarships
Statement of Financial Need

Tuition Expenses for 2009-2010 $_______________
Housing Expenses for 2009-2010 $_______________
Travel Expenses for 2009-2010 $_______________
Books & Materials for 2009-2010 $_______________

List all incoming sources of financial assistance for 2009-2010

Employment $_______________
Loans: $_______________
Scholarships: $_______________
Family Support: $_______________
Other: $_______________
TOTAL $_______________

Add any other information in this section which you feel the committee should be aware of as they consider your application.

To the best of my knowledge this financial information is correct.

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(Signature)          (Date)

(Note: These applications will be treated as confidential materials and will be reviewed only faculty who teach in the undergraduate program).