

TAFCS STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Application Procedures

To be considered for one of two **\$500** TAFCS Student Scholarship, you must do the following:

- (1) Complete a TAFCS Student Scholarship Application form. Be sure to neatly type or word process all of the information and complete all sections of the form.
- (2) Obtain an official transcript(s) of all college work.
- (3) Mail the completed application form and the official transcript(s) postmarked *no later* than February 10, 2010 to

TAFCS Student Scholarship
P.O. Box 312052
New Braunfels, TX 78131-2052

- (4) Request a letter of recommendation from the dean of your college or school *or* from the chair of your department to be sent directly by the above address *no later* than February 10, 2010.

Necessary Qualifications

To qualify for one of two **\$500** TAFCS Student Scholarship, you must fulfill the following:

- (1) Be enrolled at a college or university in Texas.
- (2) Be majoring in a program in a college, school, or department of family and consumer sciences *or* a program in one of the knowledge-based areas of family and consumer sciences.
- (3) Be classified as a junior.
- (4) Be a current member of the TAFCS Student Section.

Basis of Selection

Award decisions will be based on good academic achievement, a positive letter of recommendation, solid character, appropriate professional goals, appropriate preprofessional involvement, and financial need.

Notification and Presentation of Awards

Award recipients will be notified by the TAFCS President. Scholarship recipients will be recognized at the Awards Banquet to be held during the 2010 TAFCS Annual Meeting, March 4 - 6, 2010 in Houston, Texas. Scholarship funds will be available for use during Fall, 2010.

Personal Data

Name _____ Home Phone _____

School Address _____

Date of Birth _____ Place of Birth _____

Educational History

High School

School Attended _____

Location of School Attended _____ Year of Graduation _____

College or University

School Where You are Currently Enrolled _____

Classification _____ Total Semester Hours Completed _____

Cumulative Grade Point Average _____ Expected Graduation Date (should be graduating in December, 2007, May, 2008 or August, 2008) _____

Other Schools Attended _____

Number of Hours Transferred to the School Where You are Currently Enrolled _____

American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences Membership

AAFCS Membership Number _____ Expiration Date _____

*membership in AAFCS will be verified and must be current

Activities

List college or university, service, social, and/or community activities and/or organizations in which you have been active during the years you have been enrolled in college. Be sure to indicate offices you have held and committees in which you have been involved.

Honors

List scholarships, honors, or other awards received during the years you have been enrolled in college.

Employment

List employment information during the years you have been enrolled in college, beginning with the most recent position. Be sure to include dates of employment, whether the job was a full- or part-time position, the title of the job held, the name of the employer, and the location (city, state) of the employment.

Financial Resources

Estimate the percentage of the financial resources that you, your parents and family, your spouse, student loans and grants, and scholarships have provided during the years you have been enrolled in college (should total 100%); and then provide a statement about your financial need for scholarship funds.

Your Earnings _____ Your Parents and Family _____ Your Spouse _____

Student Loans and Grants _____ Scholarships _____

Professional Goals

Please write a paragraph stating your philosophy of family and consumer sciences, why you chose your major, and how you hope to use your major after you graduate.

Summary Statement

Please write a paragraph stating why you would like to receive the TAFCS Student Scholarship.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____