

HIGH POINT UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

James & Dell Johnson Scholarship

General Instructions & Eligibility Criteria

You MUST be a NC Resident, a Rising Junior or Senior and be Majoring in Special Education to Apply

- In order to be considered for the James & Dell Johnson Scholarship, applicants must meet the following criteria:

Current HPU Students

1. Declared major in special education
 2. MUST be a NC Resident
 3. MUST be a rising Junior or Senior
 4. Demonstrated financial need
 5. Minimum GPA of 3.0
 6. One professional letter of recommendation from a professor who can attest to the character, commitment, and academic merit of the applicant. This letter should accompany the application packet in a sealed envelope.
 7. Applicants must complete a mandatory 500-700 word essay to a designated prompt (included in the application).
- All applicants must demonstrate successful progression in the teacher education program in order to apply. In order to be eligible during the senior year, applicants must complete the full-time (8 credit) student teaching internship.
 - All applicants must submit an updated official transcript to verify their GPA.

THIS FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE SCHOOL OF EDUCATION BY THE DUE DATE INDICATED ON THE SOE WEBSITE. (ATTN.: DR. TILLERY) IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED FOR AN ACADEMIC AWARD.

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ACADEMIC YEAR APPYLING FOR:		
Date:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Special Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female
Student ID:		
Current Classification:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Rising Junior		
<input type="checkbox"/> Rising Senior		

Full Legal Name				
	Last	First	Middle	Maiden/Former
Permanent Address	Street/PO Box		County	Country
	City		State	Zip Code
University Address (if applicable)	Residence Hall or Other		Campus Box	
	Academic Advisor		Telephone	
Email			- -	- -
	HPU		Day	Evening
			Other	

In the space below, provide a description of any current or recent activities/organizations you are involved with. Specifically highlight those that are related to the field of education, working with children, or teaching (High School seniors should include those from their current senior year).

Organization	Description (Be as specific as possible)	Date of Involvement
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Employment History: (Begin with the most recent):

Employer/LEA	Responsibilities	Length of Employment

Essay: In the space below please respond with a **one page double-spaced essay (not to exceed 500-700 words in length)** to the following prompt:

You have been asked to write an editorial on whether students with special needs should be educated in regular classrooms and regular schools. Express your own views in this editorial based on personal experience, direct observation and your knowledge of inclusion.

I hereby attest that all information is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Please send your completed application packet to:

*Dr. Mariann Tillery
Dean, School of Education
High Point University
One University Parkway
High Point, N.C. 27268*

SEE THE SOE WEBSITE FOR DUE DATE

Have you included the following in your application packet?

- ✓ **Application**
- ✓ **Signature at the end of the application**
- ✓ **Letter of Recommendation in a sealed envelope**
- ✓ **Official Transcript**

Signature: _____

Transcript: _____

Activities/Honors: _____

Essay: _____