



FSNA Future Leaders Scholarship Application

Congratulations! You have been recommended for consideration for the *FSNA Future Leaders Scholarship* in memory of Jane Wynn. Please read all the information below. If you would like to be considered for the scholarship and you intend to attend the FSNA Future Leadership Conference (if you are selected), complete the scholarship application and return it with your essay to FSNA via e-mail to awards@floridaschoolnutrition.org, by faxing to 850-656-0149, or mailing to FSNA, Attn: FLS, 124 Salem Court, Tallahassee, FL 32301.

Scholarship Information:

This scholarship is to assist in covering costs related to attending the SNA Future Leaders Conference scheduled for April 25-27 in Seattle, WA. By applying for this scholarship you acknowledge that you plan on attending the FSNA Future Leaders Conference if you are awarded the scholarship.

Scholarship recipients will be required to complete and submit the FSNA Future Leaders Application. The scholarship will include the registration fee, lodging, transportation costs, and meals.

Criteria for Selection - Individuals applying for this scholarship must meet the following criteria:

- Be an SNA **and** FSNA member
- Hold an SNA Certificate in School Nutrition and/or hold the SNS Credential
- Minimum of 3 years in school nutrition
- Demonstrated qualities for future association leadership and shown evidence of strong leadership potential
- Demonstrated interest in developing leadership abilities and shaping the next generation of state association/SNA initiatives
- Committed to life-long learning and career in school nutrition
- Energetic individual who believes in the importance of their local/state association and who is most likely to contribute to long-term growth and development
- Can be an FSNA Board member, but should not have served as state president or currently serving as state president-elect or president.



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Essay

Please write an essay of no more than 800 words. Essays will be judged on the following, so please address as many of these areas as possible:

Applicant expresses that he/she:

- Has qualities for future association leadership.
- Has strong leadership potential.
- Has an interest in developing leadership abilities.
- Expresses interest in shaping the next generation of FSNA/SNA initiatives.
- Is committed to lifelong learning.
- Is committed to their career in school nutrition.
- Believes in the importance of their local association.
- Believes in the importance of the state association.
- Will contribute to the growth & development of FSNA & their local association.

The maximum number of words for the essay is 800 and will be strictly enforced. Essays of more than 800 words will be disqualified.

Timeline:

- Scholarship Applications with the 800 word essay will be due back to FSNA by January 19, 2024
- Applications will be processed by FSNA and sent to the Chair of the Past President's & Silver Circle Advisory Board to be judged by members of the FSNA Past Presidents & Silver Circle Advisory Council.
- Scholarship recipients will be notified by February 1, 2024.



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Full Name

Title

School District

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Telephone

Email

Local and State Leadership Positions Held

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Required: SNA ID Number: _____ Certified or _____ Credentialed

By submitting this scholarship application, I am confirming that if I am awarded the scholarship I plan on attending the FSNA Future Leadership Conference on _____

Signature

Date

Return this completed, signed application and your 800 word essay to the FSNA at awards@floridaschoolnutrition.org or fax to: 850-656-0149 or mail to: FSNA, Attn: FLS, 124 Salem Court, Tallahassee, FL 32301. Deadline for the application and essay to be at FSNA office is January 19, 2024.