

# WASHINGTON STATE SCHOOL RETIREES' ASSOCIATION

## NEIL D. PRESCOTT SCHOLARSHIP RATING GUIDE

CATEGORY	REQUIREMENTS
<b>Presentation:</b>	Application materials provided in a file folder in listed order, mailed in a large manila envelope to the District Representative, NOT WSSRA state office. <i>(Score: 0 or 10)</i>
<b>Resume:</b>	Must include any unpaid <u>activities</u> or <u>experiences</u> that demonstrate probable success in education.
<b>Statement of Need:</b>	Describe why you are applying for this award and how you will use it. <i>(Use complete sentences and paragraphs--maximum of one page)</i>
<b>Work Experience:</b>	List and describe your paid occupational <u>work</u> experience with dates, including full or part-time employment that would help demonstrate potential for success in the field of education.
<b>Professionalism:</b>	Explain what being a professional in the field of education means to you. <i>(Use complete sentences and paragraphs--maximum one page)</i>
<b>Letters of Recommendation:</b>	Two (2) from college Instructors, one (1) from a non-school individual (no relatives). Letters should address applicant's potential for success in a field of education.
<b>Transcript:</b>	Must provide an official transcript which includes GPA.
<b>Verification of readiness to Student Teach/Intern</b>	An official statement from your college/university regarding your readiness to student teach or conduct an internship during 2020-2021 academic year. <i>(Score: 0 or 10)</i>

**Applicants:**

- Must have graduated from a Washington State High School or a Department of Defense High School, or hold a GED, and be presently enrolled in a college of education, anywhere, pursuing a certificate in education, or
- Be presently pursuing a Masters-In-Teaching Certificate.
- Must profess an intention to apply for employment with a school district(s) within Washington State.

Failure to address any of the above will result in disqualification of the application

9-10	Answers above and beyond the call--superior candidate
6-7-8	Exceeds normal expectations--above average candidate
4-5	Meets average expectations--an average candidate
2-3	Does not quite meet expectations--below average candidate
1	Does not meet expectations--poor candidate