

Arkansas Speech-Language-Hearing Association Graduate Student Scholarship Application

Eligibility and Guidelines

Student ArkSHA members enrolled in a Communication Sciences and Disorders graduate program in the state of Arkansas are encouraged to apply for the ArkSHA Student Scholarship each year. All applications must be postmarked by **October 1st** to allow committee members* ample time for consideration. The scholarship winner will be announced and presented with a check at the Annual ArkSHA Convention Awards and Scholarship Reception.

Scholarship application guidelines are below:

- 1) A Faculty Advisor or Program Director must sign this form verifying enrollment and graduate GPA at the time of application, and append a short letter of support.
- 2) The applicant must be an Arkansas resident who, at present, plans to work in-state after graduation.
- 3) The applicant must submit a short narrative, not to exceed one-half page explaining their financial need for the scholarship.

- 4) The applicant's involvement in professional organizations such as ArkSHA, NSSLHA, etc. should be emphasized.
- 5) Both professional and personal letters of recommendation must be submitted with the application (minimum 3, maximum 5).
- 6) Failure to complete academic commitment will require a full refund of the scholarship amount to ArkSHA.

Applications can be downloaded from:

http://www.arksha.org/index.php/scholarships

*The Scholarship Committee will be composed of the ArkSHA President, Past President, President-Elect, Treasurer, and two additional members. Once the recipient is chosen by the Committee, that applicant will be presented to the ArkSHA

Scholarship Application

Full Name:	University where you attend graduate school:
Date of Birth: Age: Marital Status: Single Married Present Address: Permanent Address:	Degree and field of study pursued: Graduate semester hours to date: Graduate GPA to date: Name of Faculty Advisor/Program Director (verify GPA):
Phone Number: Email: Number and ages of dependents, if any:	Please mail all required application materials
Place of Employment: Number of semesters as a member of : ArkSHA NSSLHA	postmarked by October 1, to: <u>ArkSHA Scholarship Committee</u> <u>P.O. Box 24103</u> <u>Little Rock, AR 72221</u> <u>Questions? - Contact ArkSHA</u> <u>arksha@arksha.org</u>
Signature of Applicant:	Date:

Signature of Faculty Advisor/Program Director:

Date: