

Application Deadlines for:

Spring Funding: 5 pm on the First Friday in November

Fall Funding: 5 pm on the First Friday in April

Academic History

Degree: _____ Certification Area: _____

College Classification based on semester credit hours (SCHs):

(60 – 89 SCHs) Junior _____ Graduation Date _____ semester / year

(90+ SCHs) Senior _____ Semesters needed to graduate _____

Cumulative GPA for ALL colleges/universities attended (A=4.0, B=3.0, C=2.0, D=1.0) _____

(This scholarship requires a minimum 2.7 GPA; students with less than a 2.7 GPA will not be considered.)

College SCHs earned at UHD _____

College SCHs earned at other institutions _____

Semesters completed at UHD _____

Semesters completed at other institutions _____

Students must be enrolled in PD III (9 SCHs-semester credit hours) and be Student Teaching for the semester for which the scholarship will be awarded. Scholarships will be forfeited for recipients who withdraw from any PD III course and/or Student Teaching during the course of the semester. If you receive funding and then withdraw from PD III and Student Teaching, you will be required to make arrangements to repay the funds to the UHD Cain Scholarship account.

Students **must enroll in PD III** (9 semester credit hours) **and Student Teaching** in order to receive the \$750.00 scholarship.

All requested items must be submitted in one envelope. Please include the following with your application:

- All academic transcripts (your current UHD transcript must be an original copy in an officially sealed envelope; transcripts from all other universities or colleges may be unofficial copies. Do not submit this application without all supporting transcripts. Failure to submit transcripts from all universities or colleges attended constitutes academic fraud and will automatically disqualify your application.
- Please attach an essay, of no fewer than 275 words, typed personal description that addresses the following:
 - Career objectives
 - Outside activities or family commitments
 - Special awards & honors you may have earned
 - Community service in which you may have been involved
 - Other personal information you would like to share

Note: Incomplete applications and applications received in more than one envelope will automatically be disqualified. Applications received after the deadline of 5 pm on either application day will not be considered.

Telephone inquiries will not be acknowledged. In order to confirm application receipt, please send your application via certified mail to:

The Gordon and Mary Cain Student Teacher Scholarship Committee
Department of Urban Education
University of Houston-Downtown
One Main Street, Commerce Building, Suite C.440
Houston, TX 77002-1001

Certified statement: I hereby acknowledge that I have read this form in its entirety and that all the information I have provided in this scholarship application is true and correct. I agree to release any information concerning my records at the University of Houston–Downtown to any federal, state, or private agency necessary for the administration of the scholarship program.

_____ Date _____ Signature of Applicant _____