

Region 2 Peer Support Grant/Scholarship Guidelines



TO: ACSA Region 2 Membership
FROM: Chistine McCormick, Region President
RE: Scholarship Program Guidelines

BUDGET: \$9,000.00 for the 2024-2025 School Year
\$3,000.00 – Allocated per application cycle (3 cycles per year)
\$1,000.00 – Maximum scholarship per member per year

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: Regular State ACSA Member, Event must be an ACSA sponsored academy, symposium, conference, forum or institute.

REIMBURSEMENT:

- ACSA Academies up to \$1,000
- ACSA Institutes, Symposiums up to \$500, Conferences, Workshops or Forums up to \$250

SELECTION PROCESS: Executive Board reviews and recommends approval to the Region Leadership Assembly three times per year as an item on regular meeting agendas.

REIMBURSEMENT: ACSA Region 2 offers scholarships for registration fees, travel, and/or lodging for a maximum amount of \$1,000.00 for state members seeking professional development to participate in an ACSA-sponsored academy. ACSA symposium or institutes will be reimbursed up to \$500, and conference, forum or workshops will be reimbursed up to \$250*. Reimbursement is for out-of-pocket costs incurred by the member and not costs paid or reimbursed by the district. Applicant may only receive one scholarship in a fiscal year. Scholarship applications must be received within six months of incurring expense.

*Applicants must complete Questions 1 and 2 on page 3



Who is eligible?

State ACSA Regular Members who have a commitment to educational quality, student achievement and professional growth, and who have a financial need.

How do I apply?

Follow the procedures outlined below and in the Scholarship Applications on the next page.

What is the deadline?

Applications and related material should be submitted directly to Region 2 ACSA by the dates listed below. Recipients will be notified in writing by:

Submit by	9/13/2024	12/30/2024	4/18/2025
Announced	9/26/2024	1/10/2025	5/3/2025
Notify by	10/4/2024	1/17/2025	5/16/2025

How are recipients chosen?

The requests will be reviewed by the ACSA Region 2 Executive Board and presented to the Region Leadership Assembly at the next meeting for approval.

To apply for an ACSA Region 2 Scholarship please:

1. Fill out the Scholarship Application Form.
2. Include an up-to-date resume or vita.
3. Attach to the application form an essay of one page addressing the following:
 - Discuss your present position and career goals and how attendance will enhance your contribution to education.
 - Describe your involvement with ACSA at state, region and charter levels.
 - Provide information regarding your purpose for applying for this scholarship. Note: Must be an ACSA sponsored academy, workshop, forum, conference or institute.

Optional: Provide brief information detailing your educational pursuit.

4. Scan and email to acsaregion2@gmail.com

Recipients are responsible for all expenses above the scholarship amount.

Suggested professional development programs:

- ACSA Academies
- ACSA Institutes
- ACSA Symposia
- Harvard Principal Center
- ACSA Conferences
- ACSA Forums
- ACSA Workshops

More Information?

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REGION 2 PEER SUPPORT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Applicant Profile

Name SS #

Position/title (Area code)/phone #

District

School/location

Address

City State Zip

(Area code)/ fax # e-mail (work)

ACSA Program/Academy Attending _____

Complete this form, scan,
attach required documents
and return to:

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Site /District Profile

Level

- Elementary
- Middle School/Jr. H.S.
- High School
- K - 12
- Other

Surrounding Community

- Rural
- Suburban
- Urban

_____ Enrollment

If you are applying for a scholarship for an ACSA Institute, Symposium, Conference or Forum, please complete the questions on page 3.

Applicant signature

Date



REGION 2 PEER SUPPORT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Please respond to the following questions if you are applying for a scholarship to attend an ACSA Institute, Symposium, Conference or Forum.

Question #1: Please tell us why your district will not reimburse you for this professional development (i.e., economic hardship, etc.)

Question #2: How can we help educate your district/board on the benefit to yourself and the district by attending and supporting ACSA professional development?