



Framingham

State University

March 25, 2011

Dear Student:

In 2009, Framingham State College received a very generous gift designed specifically to support the teaching of STEM subjects (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) in our schools. Over the past two years we were able to award several scholarships to students in our STEM programs. **Students in the following programs may be eligible to apply for this scholarship: M.Ed. with a concentration in Curriculum and Instructional Technology, M.Ed. with a concentration in Mathematics, M.Ed. with a concentration in STEM Education, PBTL Biology, PBTL Chemistry, PBTL Earth Sciences and PBTL Math.** Please note that you may apply for this scholarship each year that it is offered while you are pursuing your degree or PBTL completion.

The following restrictions apply to students seeking this scholarship:

- Recipients must be currently teaching a STEM subject.
- Recipients may use the financial aid for up to two classes per semester.
- Recipients must sustain a GPA of 3.5 or greater.
- If a student fails to return to school at Framingham State College, does not complete both semesters of the academic year, or does not meet the criteria, the remaining scholarship may be awarded immediately to a deserving student following the above criteria.

In order to apply for this scholarship in AY2011/2012, please complete the enclosed application form and return it by July 29, 2011 to:

Ms. Danielle Donovan
Director of Operations
Division of Graduate and Continuing Education
100 State Street
PO Box 9101
Framingham, MA 01701-9101

A selection committee will review the applications and inform applicants of its decision by August 15, 2011. If you have any questions regarding the scholarship, please contact Ms. Donovan at ddonovan@framingham.edu or by phone at 508-626-4550.

Sincerely,

Scott B. Greenberg, Ed.D.
Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs and
Dean of Graduate and Continuing Education



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AY2011-2012 Leonhard STEM Program Scholarship Application Form Submission Deadline for AY2010-2012: July 29, 2011

Name: _____
(Last) (First) (MI)
Address: _____
(Street) (City) (ST) (Zip)
Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please check the graduate program you will be enrolled in at FSC during AY 2011-2012:

- M.Ed. with a concentration in Curriculum and Instructional Technology
- M.Ed. with a concentration in Mathematics
- M.Ed. with a concentration in STEM Education
- PBTL Biology Chemistry Earth Science Mathematics

Place of Employment:

Name of School: _____
City and State: _____
Subject(s) Taught: _____
Grade(s) Taught: _____
Subject Area of Initial License: _____

Education:

Semester and Year that you began the graduate or PBTL program at FSU: _____
Number of courses in program completed at FSU: _____
Grade Point Average: _____ Expected Graduation or Completion Date: _____

Application Procedures:

- A. Attach an essay (750 word limit) on your philosophy of and approach to teaching in the STEM field. Cite examples.
- B. Attach your resume.
- C. Attach two letters of recommendations from professional references.

I authorize the Registrar's Office, the Division of Graduate and Continuing Education, and the Financial Aid Office to release records to the Leonhard Graduate STEM Program Scholarship Committee. If I am awarded the scholarship, I give Framingham State University permission to release my name to the media.

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____

Submit this signed application form, along with your essay, resume, and two letters of recommendations to:

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Leonhard Graduate STEM Program Scholarship Committee
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Scholarship recipients for the 2011 Fall Semester will be notified by August 15, 2011.