COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
GERALDINE P. HANNA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Criteria:

• Applicants, and subsequently recipients, must be engaged as an Exceptional Education teacher in the Orange County, Florida, Public School District. Consideration may be given to applicants who have applied for such a position, and who are pending an employment decision.

• Recipients must be enrolled as a graduate degree seeking student at the College of Education, accepted in a program leading to a Master’s degree in Exceptional Education.

• Applicants must demonstrate outstanding academic performance expected at the graduate studies level, and maintain a 3.0 GPA.

• Recipients must be individuals of outstanding character and dedication to the profession of Exceptional Education, as exemplified by the life and career of Geraldine P. Hanna, and as detailed in letters of reference accompanying the application for scholarship.

This scholarship may be awarded to the same student in successive academic years until graduation, provided that the recipient maintains eligibility criteria, including the requirement that they be engaged in teaching Exceptional Education in the Orange County, Florida, Public School District. The scholarship will not be awarded for any semester in which it becomes evident the recipient will not be employed, or is not pending employment, as described above.

Deadline: Applications must be received by March 11, 2013

Amount: Varies
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PERSONAL INFORMATION – Please print clearly
Name: ______________________________________  PID: ___________________  Date: ________________
E-mail address: ________________________________________________________________
Address: _____________________________________________________________________________
Phone: ( ) __________________
Classification: ___ Incoming Freshman ___ Transfer Student ___ Continuing Student ___ Graduate Student

I am presently employed by the Orange County School District and teaching in the field of Exceptional Education, or have applied for such a position and am pending an employment decision: Yes __  No __
If employed by Orange County School District, please include proof of employment/copy of pay slip.

Major at UCF, if declared: __________________________________________________________
Anticipated graduation date from master’s degree program at UCF: ______________________________

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND
Name of previously attended colleges/universities: __________________________________________________
_________________________________________________________________________________________

APPLICATION
Applicants shall submit, in addition to this form, a letter of application addressed to Scholarship Committee at the address given below, in which is included their professional accomplishments in the field of education.

REFERENCES AND TRANSCRIPT
Please attach two letters of reference or recommendation and a transcript of grades for undergraduate and graduate studies.

Incomplete applications are not accepted. We appreciate your understanding that due to the high volume of applications, only those selected for scholarships will be notified.

By signing this form I give permission to the UCF College of Education and the UCF Office of Student Financial Assistance to release information contained in the application, as well as my grades while receiving scholarship, to prospective and active donors.

_________________________________    _________
Student Signature            Date

RETURN THIS APPLICATION TO:
Scholarship Committee
Office of the Dean
UCF College of Education
PO Box 161250
Orlando, FL 32816-1250

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