

**APPLICATION FOR THE LA VERNA S. CLARK
CREATIVE WRITING
SCHOLARSHIP 2010-2011**

La Verna S. Clark has generously endowed a scholarship of up to full tuition for freshman creative writing students at BYU. The scholarship is based on need, as well as creative writing talent.

ELIGIBILITY: Applicant must be a high school senior who will be attending BYU full time in fall and winter semesters. Applicant must demonstrate a desire and interest in creative writing and financial need. Receipt of this award is dependent on acceptance to BYU in accordance with the University's normal admissions procedures and criteria.

STATEMENT OF INTENT: If granted an award, I hereby verify that I will be a full-time (12 semester hours or more) BYU student and will register for at least one creative writing class in 2010-2011.

Signature

Date

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN INK

Name _____ BYU ID _____ (non-BYU student winners will be contacted by telephone or E-mail for a social security number)

Local Address

street

city

state and zipcode

Permanent Address (if different from local)

street

city

state and zipcode

Telephone

local phone

permanent phone

E-mail address _____

High School GPA _____ BYU GPA _____ Any awards or scholarships applicant has received _____

Tentative Career Plans _____

Special Considerations _____

Deadline

This completed form must be returned to the BYU English Department, 4198 JFSB, Provo, UT, 84602 by **April 15, 2010**.

Resume

Please attach a resume that includes educational and professional experience, creative writing classes, workshops, publications, etc.

Essay

Please attach a separate page with an essay (not to exceed two single-spaced, type-written pages) that explains why you have chosen to pursue creative writing.

Need

Will be determined by FAFSA evaluation. High school students should request that FAFSA evaluation be sent to BYU.

Creative Writing Samples

Please include samples of your creative writing

10-15 pages of prose (fiction or personal essay)
or 5-10 poems
or 12-17 pages of combination of prose and poetry

Letter of Recommendation

A letter of recommendation is required from applicant's high school English teacher or creative writing professor. This letter should be sent by the recommending teacher directly to our office. If electronic, the recommending instructor should send as an attachment to: tessa_hauglid@byu.edu.

Interview

Once the Clark Creative Writing Scholarship Committee has read what is submitted, they may invite an applicant to a brief personal interview.

Notification

The committee will announce final decisions to all applicants by mail.

Presentation

The La Verna S. Clark Creative Writing Scholarship will be for fall 2010 and/or winter 2011 semesters. Recipients will be recognized and honored at the annual English Awards Banquet in April 2011.