

# Blanche Raper Zimmerman Scholarship Guidelines

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## DEADLINE: March 31

The Blanche Raper Zimmerman Scholarship for intercultural education, managed by The Winston-Salem Foundation, is awarded annually to at least one public or private school teacher of social studies or history in Forsyth County. The scholarship provides assistance for teachers to increase their understanding of and appreciation for various world cultures. Scholarships may be full or partial awards to assist with the cost of participation in a local, state, or national conference or workshop or in foreign travel. The experience enabled by the scholarship must provide intercultural and educational enrichment that has a specific educational focus. The amount of the award varies from year to year.

## SCHOLARSHIP DESCRIPTION:

To be eligible for the scholarship, a history or social studies teacher of any grade, kindergarten through twelfth, must have a minimum of three years full-time teaching experience in Forsyth County.

To apply for the scholarship, an eligible teacher should:

- write a letter of application to Kay Dillon (address listed below) of no more than two typewritten, single-spaced pages describing the proposed participation for a conference, workshop, or foreign travel as specified in the purpose and requirements
- prepare an itemized statement of all costs associated with a conference, workshop, or travel including costs of registration, transportation, housing, and meals
- provide a letter of recommendation from his or her principal which includes a verification of the applicant's proposed participation in a conference, workshop, or foreign travel and verification of the number of years of teaching experience
- mail or deliver the application materials (letter of application, statement of costs, letter of recommendation) so they are **received by April 4** at this address: The Winston-Salem Foundation, 860 West Fifth Street, Winston-Salem, NC 27101-2506.

The recipient will be notified by the Foundation as soon as possible after the **April 4 deadline**.

If you have any questions, please call Kay Dillon at 714-3446 or Edna Barker at 714-3445 at the Foundation.