



**Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education
Scholars for Excellence in Child Care (Scholars) Program**

★ Checklist for Technology Center Tuition Application ★

Scholars Program
P.O. Box 108850
Oklahoma City, OK 73101-8850

Toll Free: 866.343.3881
Phone: 405.225.9396
www.okhighered.org/scholars



Technology Tuition Scholarship Application:

- Complete all information requested on application
- Sign and date Informed Consent, Release of Information, and Scholarship Grade Policy
- Provide verification of income:
 - Teacher - a copy of a current check stub indicating gross salary, and hours worked
 - Director as Employee - a copy of a current check stub indicating gross salary, and hours worked
 - Director as Owner - a copy of a current check stub indicating gross salary, and hours worked
 - Family Child Care Provider - Verification of Income Form
- Sign and date scholarship agreement
- Complete Payee Form with your personal information

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Informed Consent and Release of Information

I, _____ agree to participate in the Scholars for Excellence in Child Care (Scholars) program. I give my permission for all personal information, educational information, assessment, transcripts, class completion information, grades, financial aid, and survey data to be collected throughout the course of my participation in the program to be used for evaluation, reporting, and research purposes. Such information collected or produced as a result of participation in the Scholars program may be shared with the Oklahoma Department of Human Services (OKDHS) for the purpose of verifying compliance with "Reaching for the Stars" and Child Care Licensing requirements. In addition, student specific information may be utilized by the OKDHS to evaluate the progress and success of students in determining the effectiveness of the initiative.

Student specific information may also be shared with the University of Oklahoma's Center for Early Childhood Professional Development (CECPD) or the Oklahoma Department of Career and Education Technology (Career Tech) for the purpose of evaluating training needs and program evaluation for persons jointly participating in Scholars and other professional development initiatives offered by CECPD or Career Tech including REWARD Oklahoma, Child Care Careers, the Registry, Pathways or other general professional development activities.

_____ is an equal opportunity institution, and complies with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Americans with Disabilities Act, and other federal laws and regulations. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, religion, disability, or status as a veteran in any of its policies, practices, or procedures.

Scholarship Participant

Date

Scholarship Grade Policy

Satisfactorily pass each unit within the modules. In the event the unit is not satisfactorily passed, agree to pay the cost for retaking the unit, and reimburse the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education \$3.05 per clock hour. The Scholars program will pay for the unit a second time as long as payment in full has been received before retaking the unit.

Note: If a scholar enrolls in or attends class before notice of scholarship approval has been given then the scholar may be solely responsible for tuition, fees, and curriculum materials.

Scholarship Participant

Date

Scholarship Application Deadlines*

Applications will be accepted within 2 weeks of class start date.
An exception may be requested by calling the Scholarship Office
at 1-866-343-3881 (toll-free) or 405-225-9155 or 225-9396.

**Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education
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★ Tuition Technology Scholarship Agreement ★**

This agreement includes the child care provider, sponsoring child care facility, the Scholars for Excellence in Child Care (Scholars) program, and the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education (OSRHE). In the event funds to finance this agreement become unavailable, either in part or in full, due to reduction in appropriations, this agreement may be terminated and such notice will be provided in writing to the parties herein.

For students enrolled at technology centers in the Early Education: Pathway to CDA (a comprehensive CDA curriculum), the Scholars for Excellence in Child Care program, administered by the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education, will:

1. Pay the sum of \$3.05 per clock hour for each unit (1-17) included within the modules (I-V), pay 100% for the CDA curriculum materials.
2. Provide a \$50 educational stipend for successful completion of 90 clock hours of Early Education: Pathway to CDA coursework. The stipend will be paid following the end of the semester the coursework is completed.
3. Provide a \$50 educational stipend upon notification from the State Department of Career and Technology Education of successfully passing the Pathway End of Instruction Exam and being awarded the Early Education: Pathway to CDA Competency Certificate.

I, _____ am currently working at least 30 hours per week,
(Print name)

I agree to attend _____, and I further agree to the following:
(Print name of technology center)

1. Participate in the scholarship program beginning with the following term:
Fall 20____ (August-December) Spring 20____ (January-May) Summer 20____ (May-July)
2. Complete Early Education: Pathway to CDA coursework within 12-15 months.
3. Remain enrolled in the Pathway to CDA Program and pass the End of Instruction exam before transferring to the community college. Exceptions may be granted on a case by case basis.
4. Satisfactorily pass each unit within the modules. In the event the unit is not satisfactorily passed, agree to reimburse the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education \$3.05 per clock hour. The Scholars program will pay for the unit a second time as long as payment in full has been received before retaking the unit.
5. Pay the technology center \$1.30 per clock hour for the cost of each unit within the modules, in accordance with the technology center payment policy.
6. Notify the scholarship program office of any changes in class schedule or employment status.
7. Remain employed, working 30 hours per week, at current child care facility to complete this one-year agreement.
8. If a family child care provider, I am being paid to care for children other than my own.

This agreement may be modified in writing, and will remain in full force and effect as long as the scholarship applicant remains eligible for participation in the Scholars for Excellence in Child Care program or at such time as the scholarship applicant decides not to continue his or her educational goals.

I agree to the terms and conditions set forth above, and will adhere to all Scholars for Excellence in Child Care program policies.

Scholarship Applicant

Date



REGISTERED _____ NON-REGISTERED _____

Address, etc. Change
(Page 1 only)



Gov. Entity
(Page 1 only)

**STATE OF OKLAHOMA
PAYEE FORM**

>> *Form Must Be Printed or Typed* <<

State Agency Name _____	n/a		# _____
Agency Contact Name _____	n/a	Phone # _____	Fax # _____

The State of Oklahoma requires the following information for all new payees before any payments can be made. This information is used to establish payees in the State vendor file.

Complete all that apply and return to: State Regents for Higher Education – PO Box 108850, Oklahoma City, OK 73101-8850

Individual or Company Name	Phone #	Fax #		
Name on IRS Record (if different from above)	Phone #	Fax #		
Business/Home Address:				
(PO Box or Street, City, State, 9-Digit Zip Required)	E-Mail Address			
Pricing information, if different:	<i>Not Applicable</i>			
	Phone #	Fax #		
Ordering information, if different:	<i>Not Applicable</i>			
	Phone #	Fax #		
Invoicing information, if different:	<i>Not Applicable</i>			
	Phone #	Fax #		
Contact, re: invoices (PO Box or Street, City, State, 9-Digit Zip Required)	E-Mail Address			
Remitting information, if different:	<i>Not Applicable</i>			
	Phone #	Fax #		
Where to send payment/remittance (PO Box or Street, City, State, 9-Digit Zip Required)	E-Mail Address			
Returning information, if different:	<i>Not Applicable</i>			
	Phone #	Fax #		
Customer Service Information, if different:	<i>Not Applicable</i>	Phone #	Fax #	E-Mail Address

OSF/DCS USE ONLY	Date Posted:	By:
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STATE OF OKLAHOMA
VENDOR/PAYEE FORM

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION - ALL VENDORS OR PAYEES

The information below is requested under U.S. Tax Laws. Failure to provide this information may prevent you from being able to do business with the State, or may result in the State having to deduct backup withholding amounts from its remittances to you.

U.S. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) _____ If none, but applied for, date applied _____
(This number is also known as Federal Employer Identification Number [FEIN])

U.S. Social Security Number (SSN) _____ If none, but applied for, date applied _____

Check the box below that best describes your residency status:

Companies:

- Domestic (U.S.) sole proprietorship
- Domestic (U.S.) partnership
- Domestic (U.S.) corporation
- Domestic (U.S.) other
- Foreign (non-U.S.) sole proprietorship **
- Foreign (non-U.S.) partnership **
- Foreign (non-U.S.) corporation **
- Foreign (non-U.S.) other ** - explain _____

Individuals:

- Citizen (individual) of the United States
- Resident alien (individual) of the United States
- Non-resident alien (individual) **

** NOTE: IF YOU MARK THIS BOX, WE WILL FORWARD AN INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE (IRS) FORM W-8, CERTIFICATE OF FOREIGN STATUS, TO YOU. THIS MAY EXEMPT YOU FROM BACKUP WITHHOLDING. FORM W-8 DOES NOT EXEMPT YOU FROM THE 30% (OR LOWER PERCENTAGE BY TREATY) NONRESIDENT WITHHOLDING TAXES. TO CLAIM THIS EXEMPTION, YOU MUST FILE IRS FORM 8233 WITH US. FOR MORE INFORMATION, REFER TO IRS PUBLICATION 519.

SIGNATURE - AND SUBSTITUTE IRS FORM W-9 CERTIFICATION

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that the above information is correct and that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding.
3. I am a U.S. person (including a U.S. resident alien).

Certification Instructions - You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the Certification, but you must provide your correct TIN

Signature of Vendor Representative or Individual Payee

Date

Title of individual signing form for company

1099 Reportable

Add: Remove:

AGENCY: If payments to said vendor/Payee are represented by any of the Object of Expenditure Account Codes from the authorized list (see instructions), check the *Add* box.