

- Annual Award: \$<u>300.00</u> (\* beginning year 2012)
- 4 Candidate must be accepted to an accredited four-year university.
- Candidate must be a Glendale High School senior student who plans to major on the undergraduate level to acquire a Bachelor's degree and PA Teaching Certification in either:
  - ✓ Early Childhood (Pre-K-4) or
  - ✓ Middle Level Education (4-8)
- Candidate must have earned an overall minimum Grade Point Average (GPA) of <u>90%</u> [\*up to and including the 3<sup>rd</sup> nine week grading period of their senior year].
- Student applicant will complete an essay [\*no less than 2 pages, typed, double-spaced] to completely answer either <u>one</u> of these questions depending on your career choice:
  - ✓ Here are my reasons I wish to have a career in Early Childhood Teacher (Pre-K-4) or
  - ✓ Here are my reasons I wish to have a career as a Middle Level (grades 4-8) Teacher

These essays will be *blind-judged* primarily on their content by the Scholarship Committee of the Glendale School District Education Foundation.

The winning student will be awarded this *Anna Marie Rydbom Memorial Scholarship* at the Glendale High School's annual "Scholarship Program" in May. A check from the Glendale Education Foundation for \$300.00 will be made out to *both* the student *and* their chosen university. This check can then be turned in to the bursar's office at their university to apply the funds toward their first semester tuition.