

Jay Erdie Memorial Mentor Scholarship

Co-sponsored by the Erdie Family, the Montana Unified School Trust, and the School Administrators of Montana

Dr. John Jay Erdie was a Montana School Superintendent who was well known for his efforts in mentoring promising educators into becoming school administrators. He realized the value of training and retaining quality principals and superintendents.

A Dr. Jay Erdie Memorial Mentor Scholarship in the amount of \$1000 will be awarded annually to a deserving educator. The purpose of the scholarship is to "train and mentor" new Montana school administrators.

The scholarship will be awarded to a school administration candidate who plans to begin and/or complete his/her administrative credentials and intends to work in a Montana school district. Once the candidate has secured a position and notified the SAM office, a trained mentor will be provided through SAM's Mentor Program to assist during his/her first year on the job.

Interested candidates must submit a resume and an application. **Completed applications must be returned by October 1, 2018.**

Upon completion of the educational experience, the scholarship recipient will notify the MUST Office, the SAM Office and the Erdie family with a report of how the scholarship was used and the candidate's future plans.

Recipient will receive:

- A \$1000 scholarship sponsored by the Montana Unified School Trust
- A trained mentor sponsored by the School Administrators of Montana
- A plaque, sponsored by the family of Dr. John Jay Erdie

For More Information:

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Application for the
Dr. Jay Erdie Memorial Mentor Scholarship 2018
Co-sponsored by
The Erdie Family
Montana Unified School Trust
School Administrators of Montana

Candidate Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____, MT Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

How will the Dr. Jay Erdie Memorial Mentor Scholarship be used?

How will the scholarship impact education in the state of Montana?

Why should you be chosen to receive the Dr. Jay Erdie Memorial Mentor Scholarship?

Signature: _____ Date: _____

****Note:** By signing the Dr. Jay Erdie Memorial Mentor Scholarship Application, I agree to “release and waive” any liability considerations regarding the School Administrators of Montana (SAM), the Montana Unified School Trust (MUST), the Erdie family, and my assigned mentor for their involvement in this voluntary program to help me be a successful school administrator.

Please return this completed application with your resume to the
SAM Office at 900 N. Montana, Suite A-4, Helena, MT 59601