

Scholarship Eligibility

Thanks to the generosity of the Lyda Hill Foundation, we are pleased to offer qualifying schools admission/transportation scholarships for field studies to the John Bunker Sands Wetland Center. Funds are available to title one schools located in Dallas County, whose financial situation might otherwise exclude them from visiting the Wetland Center. To apply for funds, please verify that your school meets the eligibility criteria below and email the application to contact@wetlandcenter.com.

Eligibility Requirements

- Scholarships are available to Title one schools located in Dallas County.
- The requesting teacher and school principal must sign the completed application.
- Schools may not apply more than one time per academic year.
- All applications must be turned in by February 28 for the Spring semester and October 31 for the Fall semester.
- A phone interview is required for this scholarship. Applicants will be notified via email to set-up a phone call.
- All applicants will be notified via email if they are awarded the scholarship.

Scholarship Guidelines

- Bus funds are reimbursed; no advances will be given. *An invoice* for bus expenses will be required. Contact your transportation department for an estimate or invoice for expenses.
- The Lyda Hill Foundation grant is a professional scholarship organization. Please fill out your form as you would when asking for funds from such an organization.
- Any additional information you would like to send via email regarding your visit to the Center for the committee to review is welcome.

Process for Reimbursement

Funds will not be reimbursed unless the following items are submitted within **one month** of the date of the field trip.

• Itemized, **paid** receipt of bus costs, including the school's name.

For more field study and scholarship information, visit www.wetlandcenter.com. If you have questions, please call us at 972-474-9100 or email contact@wetlandcenter.com.

