



**FOR HIGH SCHOOL  
STUDENTS and  
CONTINUING  
COLLEGE STUDENTS**

### **About the scholarship program**

The scholarships were established in honor of former CFT President Raoul Teilhet, the charismatic leader of the union during the 1970s when California education employees won collective bargaining.

### **About the scholarship awards**

Scholarships of \$3000 are awarded to students entering or attending a four-year university; \$1000 scholarships are awarded to students entering or attending a two-year school. The awards are based on academic achievement, financial need, special talents and skills, participation in extracurricular activities, and a 500-word essay on a social issue about which the applicant feels strongly.

### **Who is eligible to apply**

Scholarships are available to graduating high school seniors and continuing college students who are children or dependents of CFT members in good standing, or children of deceased CFT members. High school seniors who received a Raoul Teilhet Scholarship are not eligible to apply for a continuing college scholarship.

### **How to obtain an application**

To download a scholarship application, go to [www.cft.org](http://www.cft.org) and click on *Member Services>Scholarships*. To obtain a photocopy of the application, contact your local union. To have an application mailed to you, phone the CFT Costa Mesa Field Office.

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