Dear Student CEC Members,

The California Council for Exceptional Children annually awards the James “Sarge” Kennedy Memorial Scholarship to 1-3 CEC student members pursuing a degree or completing a credential in special education. This year California CEC is going to award 20 student scholarships to attend the annual Council for Exceptional Children Convention and Expo. You must be a member of the Council for Exceptional Children to apply (information about membership may be found at www.cecsped.org). The scholarship will pay for your registration to attend the convention (a value of $320). The Convention will be held at the San Diego Convention Center from April 8 – April 11, 2015.

Throughout the convention you will have the opportunity to attend any regular or featured sessions and hear national/international leaders in the field of special education. You will also be able to browse the exhibition hall where over 200 companies will be displaying their instructional materials and supplies. Various special interest Divisions, as well as California CEC will be hosting social events in the evenings. Some school districts from around the United States will be recruiting teachers in the exhibition hall. Special activities planned for student members include:

- CEC Student Awards
- Student Forum
- Student Tweet-Up Social Event

Please complete the one page application attached to this email and submit it by Sunday, February 15 as per the directions on the application form. All applicants will be notified by March 7, 2015.

We look forward to receiving your application and meeting you at the convention.

Sincerely,

Frank Donavan, Ed.D.
President
California Council for Exceptional Children
CALIFORNIA COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN

Student Scholarship Application

2015 CEC International Convention
April 8-11, 2015
San Diego, CA

DEADLINE: February 15, 2015

Name:__________________________________________

Address: ___________________________ City: _________________________ Zip: __________

Email Address: __________________________________________

Cell Phone: ___________________________ Home Phone: _________________________

University/College Name: ___________________________ City: _________________________

Student Status: Junior _________ Senior _________ Graduate Student: _________________

Degree Pursuing: ___________________________ Major: ____________________________

CEC Membership Number: ___________________________ Expires: ________________________

Rationale for attending the 2015 International CEC Convention in San Diego (April 8-11):

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Printed Name of Student CEC (or Faculty) Advisor: ____________________________

Signature of Student CEC (or Faculty) Advisor: ____________________________

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Signature of Applicant Date

CEC membership must be current and applicant must be enrolled in classes at the time of the convention.

Submit application to Mike Grimes, Scholarship Chairperson: mikeg1962@sbcglobal.net