# **Al Saley Memorial Scholarships**

The Al Saley Memorial Scholarships, sponsored by NJASL, are awarded to individuals who are in a program of graduate study in the field of school librarianship. Up to three scholarships may be awarded each year. Each scholarship shall not exceed \$1500.

#### **Eligibility:**

Individuals currently employed in a school library media center, teachers interested in becoming educational media specialists, or recent college graduates who are interested in entering the field may apply for one of the three scholarships.

### **Criteria for awarding scholarship:**

- Applicant agrees to obtain NJASL membership
- Applicant agrees to actively serve a minimum of one year on an NJASL committee
- Receipt for tuition and final grade must be sent to Scholarship and Awards chairperson for reimbursement after completing the coursework

The Al Saley Scholarship winner (s) agrees to fulfill these obligations upon receiving the scholarship or repay NJASL for the amount received.

#### To apply, please submit the following information:

- 1. Name, address, phone number, email address
- 2. A transcript of previous educational work
- 3. State course titles plan to register for and the reasons why
- 4. Explain details on any volunteer/work experiences in educational media
- 5. Include a brief statement of achievements and/or goals in the field
- 6. Explain plans for a future position in educational media
- 7. Recommendations from at least two professional educators must accompany the application
- 8. Include any additional information or documents that would enhance you application

## Send Application by March 30 to:

NJASL Awards and Scholarship Committee

Email: awards@njasl.org