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Norbury Awarded an NDU Education Scholarship and the Bill Oban Special Education Scholarship

BISMARCK, N.D. – Jaci Norbury, of Velva, N.D., has been awarded the Bill Oban Special Education Scholarship from the North Dakota United Foundation for the 2015-16 year, as well as an NDU Education Scholarship. Norbury, the daughter of Maria and Ron Norbury, Velva, will receive a total cash award of \$1,250 for her senior year of Special and Elementary Education study. The Bill Oban Special Education Scholarship is awarded annually to an outstanding undergraduate student who is preparing for a career in special education. NDU Education Scholarships are awarded to a student member of NDU, including student NEA/AFT members in other states, who are pursuing an undergraduate degree in education.

Norbury is attending Minot State University, and in December 2015, she will be earning a double degree in both Elementary Education and Special Education. Norbury has been on the president's and dean's lists, and is an active member of the Student North Dakota United chapter, coordinating the Read Across America Event. She participates in intramural basketball and currently works as an Operations Assistant at Capital Financial Services.

North Dakota United is the state's largest professional association of public educators and employers. Membership includes over 11,000 K-12 school teachers and support staff, higher education faculty and staff, city, county and state employees, retirees and students pursuing a degree in education. The purpose of the NDU Foundation is to promote educational excellence and quality public service in North Dakota. The Foundation's goal is to aid educators, public servants and students in achieving greater educational success. The Foundation accomplishes this by providing grants and scholarships to individual educators, public servants and college students, to use toward continuing education and developing skills.

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