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enthusiastic, they do not
indicate any "delayed periods"
to compensate for age



Name Helen Evelyn Fairfax Holmes **Field:** Language and Literature
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Plan of Work Study of the language skills which Negro students bring to college with an examination of the home experiences as a factor and its relation to their general facility and the development of techniques for a re-training program.

Requests grant for one year beginning September 1, 1948. Wishes to work toward the Ph.D. in Education at New York University under the supervision of Dr. Lou La Braut.

Personal Data Born Williamsport, Pennsylvania, October 1905 **Age:** 42
 Married

Undergraduate Work Bucknell University, A.B., 1924

Graduate Work Columbia University, M.A., 1931
 Ohio State University, summer 1942
 New York University, summer 1945

Experience Instructor of English, Hillside Park H.S., Durham, N.C., 1924-25, \$1125;
 English instructor, Downingtown Ind. College, Pa., 1925-26, \$1260;
 English instructor, Talladega College, 1926-30, \$1350; English instructor, Alabama State College, summer '28; English instructor, State College, Dover, Del., 1930-36, \$1440;
 English instructor, Virginia Union University, 1936, \$1620; Head Department, Norfolk Unit, Va., 1936-43, \$1620; Head Department, Kentucky State College, 1943-, \$2610.

Accomplishments

Scholarships: Bucknell University, 192-24, \$100 yearly; General Education Board Fellowship, summer session 1945, New York University, \$200.

References

Lou La Braut, New York University
 R. P. Daniel, Shaw University
 G. D. Wilson, Municipal College, Louisville, Ky.
 E. S. Atwood, Kentucky State College

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$2652
From Applicant	1652
From Fund	\$2000

AMOUNT GRANTED

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