Schley County Retired Educators Association
Ellaville, GA

Scholarship Application for a Future Teacher

The application package must be completed and returned to the SCHS counselor no later than March 2, 2020.

$1000 Scholarship

The Qualifications

☑ Intends to pursue a 4-year college degree with teacher certification
☑ Be on path to graduate from Schley County High School in 2020
☑ Has a cumulative academic GPA of 3.0 or higher
☑ Has an attendance record for grades 9 -12 of 95% or better
☑ Has taken the SAT or ACT
☑ Has applied to a 2 or 4 year college/university

The Application

The student’s application must include. . .
★ the SCHS Counselor Certification of Scholarship Qualifications with transcript
★ the completed Student Information sheet
★ two teacher recommendations from Schley County teachers
★ a typed essay described below

The Typed Essay

Write an essay of 150-200 words in which you explain why you would like to become a teacher. Support your reasons with specific examples from your own school experiences. You might discuss teachers or other adults who impacted you as a student and cultivated your desire to be a teacher. You might also discuss positive and negative experiences in the classroom that have shaped your own ideas of what constitutes a great teacher.

Essay Formatting

★ Typed
★ Double-spaced 12 point Times New Roman Font - not bold or italic
★ All margins = 1”
★ Print and sign your name on the back of the essay
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The scholarship applications will be judged by a committee of retired Schley County educators.

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Student’s Name ________________________________________________________________

Address ___________________________ City _______________ State _____ Zip ________

Email address ___________________________ Cell Phone __________________________

Please attach a copy of the student’s transcript.

I certify that ___________________________ is on path to be a 2020 SCHS graduate, has
(Student Name)
a cumulative academic GPA of 3.0 or higher, has an attendance record of 95% or higher, has taken
the SAT or ACT, and has applied to a 2 year or 4 year college/university.

Printed Name of SCHS Counselor ___________________________ Date __________________

Signature of SCHS Counselor ___________________________
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Student Contact Information

Student’s Name ________________________________________________________________________________

Address ____________________________________ City ___________________ State _____ Zip ____________

Email address __________________________________________  Cell Phone ____________________________

Parent/Guardian Contact Information

Names of parents or guardians _____________________________________________________________________

Address ____________________________________ City ___________________ State _____ Zip ____________

Email address __________________________________________  Home Phone ______________________________

Cell Phone #1 _________________________________  Cell Phone #2 __________________________________

College/sUniversities you have applied to:  Accepted Y/N  Attending Y/N

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Are any of your family members teachers?  Yes  No

If yes, which relative? ________________________________

Have any of your family members graduated from college?  Yes  No

Have you completed the FAFSA?  Yes  No

Have you taken the SAT or ACT? Score ____________  Yes  No

Checklist for a complete application

The student’s application must include . . .

☐ this completed Student Information sheet
☐ Counselor Certification of Scholarship Qualifications including transcript
☐ Two teacher recommendations from Schley County teachers
☐ The typed essay
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Student’s Name ________________________________________________
Address ____________________________________ City ____________ State _____ Zip ____________
Email address __________________________________________ Cell Phone ____________________________

List the class/classes and school year (ex. Chemistry - 11th) when you were enrolled in this teacher’s class:
________________________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________________

Teacher Recommendation

Please rate this student with 5 being the best score:

Student completes assignments in a timely matter 1 2 3 4 5 NA
Student has excellent attendance 1 2 3 4 5 NA
Student works well with others 1 2 3 4 5 NA
Student willingly helps others 1 2 3 4 5 NA
Student is self-motivated 1 2 3 4 5 NA

The scholarship we are offering is for a student who intends to become a teacher. Is there anything that you would like to share with the scholarship committee about this student’s potential as a future educator?

________________________________________________________________________________________

Teacher’s Printed Name __________________________________________ Date

Teacher’s Signature ____________________________________________
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______________________________________________
Teacher’s Printed Name

______________________________________________
Date

Teacher’s Signature