

Moultrie County Retired Teachers Association Scholarship Application

The graduating senior who *resides in Moultrie County* must include:

- _____ an official transcript with ACT or SAT scores
- _____ one letter of recommendation *from a teacher*
- _____ one letter of recommendation from a *community member*
- _____ 500 word typed essay to be considered for this scholarship.

Name _____ High School _____

Your Address _____

Your Phone Number _____

Email _____

College you plan to attend _____

Field of education you plan to pursue _____

The following are the extra-curricular activities that I have been involved in and the years of participation (be sure to include leadership positions held and/or committee work you have done) attach an additional sheet if necessary:

The following are the community service activities that I have been involved with and the years of participation and office held if any:

Please attach a 500 word typed essay (Times New Roman, 12 point) on why you want to become a teacher and how this scholarship will help you attain your goal. This is a very important criterion; be as specific as possible.

Guidelines for M.C.R.T.A.'S Scholarship

1. One \$500 non-renewable scholarship will be given to a Moultrie County senior who is pursuing a career in education and has been selected by the scholarship committee.
2. The MCRTA scholarship committee will contact the Principal/Guidance Counselor to make sure that the application form is available.

3. The deadline for application will be March 15, 2024.

(Return completed application to the Counselor's office or other location designated by your school.)

4. A member of the scholarship committee will plan to attend the school's awards ceremony to award the scholarship.
5. The check will be issued in the fall (or summer if the recipient is enrolled in summer classes) when the student has officially enrolled.
6. The recipient will receive his/her check once he/she has provided proof of enrollment in an accredited school to the MCRTA Treasurer.
7. If you have any questions about the scholarship application or procedure, please contact Linda Casteel, Scholarship Chairman, MCRTA, phone: 217-254-3936 or email: lcasteel75@gmail.com.