

John Morse Scholarship

The Black and White Ball Committee Members for the John Morse Scholarship will be providing two seniors at Trenton High School with an opportunity to receive a \$400.00 scholarship award.

1. DEADLINE for scholarship application is Tuesday, April 30, 2024 (**no exceptions**).
2. Refer to criteria below for eligibility requirements.
3. Refer to application criteria and process below for a list of the supporting documents needed (i.e., transcript, evidence of GPA, etc.) Incomplete applications will not be considered.
4. Type or print legibly. Illegible applications will be returned to you.

Criteria:

1. Applicant must be a resident of Gilchrist County.
2. Applicant must be a graduating high school senior at Trenton High School in the year of the scholarship award.
3. Applicant must show proof of college acceptance or current student enrollment.

Application Process:

Applicant must submit the following items:

1. Completed application form (if handwritten, please print legibly)
2. An official and recent high school and/or college/university transcript with cumulative grade point average.
3. Personal Essay. In your essay, please answer the questions of why you should be awarded this scholarship and what the effect of this award will have on your future?

Please submit the application to guidance no later than **Tuesday, April 30, 2024**

Please **type** or **print** your answers. If application is illegible it will be returned to you.

1.	Last Name: _____	First Name: _____
2.	Mailing Address:: Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____	
3.	Telephone Number: () _____	
4.	Date of Birth: Month Day Year	
5.	I will be attending the following school in the <u>Fall of 2024</u> : _____ Have you been accepted to this college? Yes _____ No _____	
6.	I will be entering the above-mentioned school as a: (Circle one) Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior	
7.	GPA Weighted: _____ GPA Un-Weighted: _____ Attach proof of GPA. Your most recent official school transcript required.	
8.	ACT Score of: _____ and/or SAT Score of: _____ Other _____	
Guidance Counselor Signature Certifying the above: _____		

9.	What are your educational and professional goals and objectives?
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10.	List your academic honors, awards and membership activities while in high school or college:
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11.	List your community service activities, hobbies, outside interests, and extracurricular activities:
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12.	Personal Essay Applicant must compose and type a one-page, single-spaced essay: Why you should be awarded this scholarship and what the effect of this award will have on your future? Submit your response on an additional sheet with this application.
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****	Circle "YES" or "NO" to be sure you have attached each item as required.		
	YES	NO	Proof of college acceptance or current student enrollment. A letter of college acceptance or program acceptance is required for receipt of funds.
	YES	NO	Most recent <u>official</u> high school or <u>official</u> college transcript. Photocopies of your transcript are <u>not acceptable</u> .
	YES	NO	Personal Essay. Why you should be awarded this scholarship and what the effect of this award will have on your future?

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent that my picture may be taken and used for any purpose deemed necessary to promote the John Morse scholarship.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to the John Morse Scholarship policy, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at the post-secondary institution of my choice before scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ Date: _____

REMEMBER: The deadline for this application to be received is **Tuesday, April 30, 2024 - No exceptions!**