



**Clarksville Montgomery County Retired Teachers Association**

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An Affiliate of TRTA and NEA-Retired

**THE COLEEN DORRIS SCHOLARSHIP  
CLARKSVILLE-MONTGOMERY  
COUNTY**

**RETIRED TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION  
SCHOLARSHIP FOR CMCSS Graduates  
First installment of the sholarship available  
Fall (2020)**

**Pick up application form in  
Guidance Office**

Note: Scholarship will paid \$1000.00 per semester for 4  
years if College GPA stays at or above 2.5 or above and  
student stays in good standing with the University

**Application due by March 2, 2020**

THE COLEEN DORRIS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION  
CLARKSVILLE-MONTGOMERY COUNTY  
RETIRED TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION  
Scholarship of \$2000.00 per year starting (Fall 2020)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attending \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

GPA Overall \_\_\_\_\_ (Must be 3.0 or above to be considered)

University you plan to attend \_\_\_\_\_ Major \_\_\_\_\_  
(Must be a 4 year University)

Application should include a resume of personal data, including Community and/or leadership activities you have taken part in and other information as listed below:

- Transcript
- Statement of financial need or anticipated need.
- Brief statement of your educational philosophy and its relationship to your training and anticipated career.
- Two References: people who know your ability and performance, at least one reference should be from an educator at your school.

**Completed Application and two References should be put in one envelope** and sent to the address below. **The packet must be received by (March 2, 2020) to be considered.**

This Scholarship is for \$1000.00 per semester, and is renewable each semester, for up to four years, if a 2.5 or above GPA is maintained each semester, and if the student remains in good standing with the university.

Applicants will be notified regarding the committee's decision by April 3, 2020.

If there are questions send an e-mail to the chairperson - pendergrassron@gmail.com  
Mail to applications to:

Ron Pendergrass, Chairperson  
Coleen Dorris CMC-Retired Teachers' Association Scholarship Committee  
387 Augusta Place  
Clarksville, TN 37043

## THE COLEEN W. DORRIS SCHOLARSHIP

As a person who has dedicated a significant portion of my life to educating young people, and

As a person who has benefitted from the benefits of an excellent education, and

As a person who values and appreciates educational opportunities,

I have chosen to establish an undergraduate scholarship for local individuals, and hope that the benefits of higher education will do for them as much as it has for me.

### TERM AND RESTRICTIONS

- The Annual award shall be \$2,000 annually payable in equal installments of \$1,000 for each semester.
- The recipient shall be a graduate of the Clarksville/Montgomery County school system, and be a resident of Montgomery County, Tennessee.
- The award shall be renewable for up to a maximum of eight (8) consecutive semesters. The recipient shall meet and maintain the same standards required to retain a Tennessee Hope Scholarship. In the event that the recipient fails to qualify for the Tennessee Hope Scholarship, then the award to that student will be terminated, and the selection committee shall select another recipient.
- The recipient shall be enrolled as a full time student. Should the recipient fail to remain enrolled as a full time student, then the award shall terminate at the end of the current semester.
- The award shall be used for educational expenses at any institution of higher learning, within Tennessee or without, subject to the following restriction: The educational credits of the selected university must be transferrable to the University of Tennessee.
- The award shall be paid to the university designated by the recipient, for the benefit of the recipient, and not directly to the recipient.
- There shall be no restrictions as the field of study selected by the recipient.
- The selection of the recipient shall be the responsibility of the Clarksville/Montgomery County Retired Teachers Association. The announcement of the award and the payment shall be at a time sufficiently in advance of the commencement of the semester to enable the student to incorporate the award into his or her financial plan.

Signature of Recipient\_\_\_\_\_

Date\_\_\_\_\_