

Surry County Retired School Personnel 2024 Scholarship Application

The Surry County Retired School Personnel will award one \$1,200 scholarship to Surry Community College for the 2024-2025 school year.

The recipient will be selected from applications received from the public high schools in Elkin, Mount Airy, and Surry County.

Criteria for selection are:

- Attend Surry Community College
- Character
- Scholarship
- Academic promise
- Financial need
- Career potential
- Recommendations

Completed applications should be submitted by March 31, 2024.

All applications must include the following:

1. A letter describing your career aspirations and goals including plans for giving back to the community. Please include a statement discussing how this scholarship will help you to achieve your goals.
2. Official high school transcript
3. A list of extracurricular activities, employment, hobbies, community activities, and honors received in high school
4. Two letters of recommendation
 1. One letter from school personnel such as a teacher, coach, or administrator **and**
 2. One letter from a leader in the community (for example: an employer, pastor, or scout leader).
5. A letter on school letterhead from your school counselor discussing your academic record, financial need, and any additional information that would be helpful to the scholarship committee.

Please type or print using black ink

Name _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip Code

Telephone _____ Date of Birth _____

Class Rank _____ Grade Point Average _____

ACT Scores: _____
English Mathematics Reading Science Writing Test Composite Not Taken

SAT Scores: _____
Critical Reading Math Essay Not Taken

Other scholarships and financial aid for which you have applied:

Please list the sources and amounts of any confirmed scholarships or financial aid received:

Father _____
Name Age Place of Employment Position Held

Mother _____
Name Age Place of Employment Position Held

List all siblings who are dependent on your family for support and indicate if any of them will be attending college during the 2024-2025 school year:

Describe your financial need

List and discuss any experience/training you have had in your chosen field of study. Include classes, internships, volunteering, or work. Attach an additional sheet, if needed.

Have you applied to Surry Community College? _____

Intended major at Surry Community College _____

Do you plan to transfer to a 4 year institution after completing your studies at SCC? _____

If you plan to transfer, what is your intended major at a 4 year institution? _____

The Following Materials Must Be Submitted With Your Application

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- _____ 2. Official high school transcript
- _____ 3. A list of extracurricular activities, employment, hobbies, community activities, and honors received in high school.
- _____ 4. Two letters of recommendation
 - a. One letter from school personnel such as a teacher, coach, or administrator ***and***
 - b. One letter from a leader in the community (for example: an employer, pastor, or scout leader).
- _____ 5. A letter on school letterhead from your school counselor discussing your academic record, financial need, and any additional information that would be helpful to the scholarship committee.

An interview may be requested.

APPLICATIONS THAT DO NOT INCLUDE ALL THE REQUESTED INFORMATION WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date _____

High School: _____

Counselor Signature: _____ Date _____

The application and all supporting materials must be submitted to

Gay Matthews
710 Dodson Mill Road
Pilot Mountain, NC 27041

Deadline – March 31, 2024