

Knox County Teachers Association
Scholarship Information

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1. The applicant for this \$500 scholarship must be a graduating senior of Knox County R-I High School who will be pursuing post-secondary education.
2. The applicant must have a 2.9 average on a 4.0 scale at the end of seven semesters.
3. The applicant shall complete all application information and return to the school counselor by March 15.
4. The essay explains how your experience at Knox County schools have made an impact on your post-secondary plans. A committee of CTA members will select the winner.
5. The CTA treasurer will issue the scholarship directly payable to the recipient, preferably during the Senior Awards Assembly or no later than June 1.

Part I Application: On the following page.

Part II Essay: See below.

As part of the application process, each applicant is asked to submit a 300 to 500-word essay explaining how your experiences at Knox County schools have made an impact on your post-graduation plans.

Please submit your typed essay on a separate sheet of paper and attach it to Part I.

Grading Rubric (150 points):

Part I

50 points: School and Community activities

Part II

40 points: Content-the essay content follows the essay prompt

30 points: Correct word usage, grammar, punctuation, and spelling

15 points: Hear or author's voice-Is the writing authentic and genuine?

15 points: Following guidelines: the essay is type, 12-point font, double spaced, and within the 300-500 word limit.

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Please complete the following:

Part I

Name _____

Parents _____

Street Address _____ City _____

School activities and honors:

Community activities:

I hereby certify that the information above is correct. I understand that the penalty for false information is possible disqualification of application for the scholarship.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

This portion to be completed by the high school counselor

GPA after 7 semesters _____

Signature of Counselor: _____ Date: _____