

Henrico County Council of PTAs
George H. Moody Scholarship

April 30, 2020

Dear School Counselors,

Enclosed is the application for the Henrico County Council of the PTAs George H. Moody Scholarship for 2020 in honor of George H. Moody, former superintendent of Henrico County Public Schools. The scholarship is based on financial need, academic achievement, and school/community activities. Scholarship applicants must be a member of their home school PTSA.

We are pleased to offer this scholarship to graduating seniors of Henrico County Public Schools who are planning to pursue further study or training beyond high school. Each year the number of scholarships and the amount of each scholarship is dependent on the donations made each year to the fund by our local PTA/PTSA units.

Feel free to duplicate this information and provide no more than two (2) candidates to the address below. Please stress the importance of having all required documents attached when the applications are submitted. Applications without the required documents will be dismissed from consideration. Send completed application by **June 12, 2020**:

Henrico County Council of PTAs
Attention: Stephanie Thornton, Scholarship Chair
P.O. Box 28601
Richmond, Virginia 23228

Recipients will be notified via email and US mail in the week of August 2, 2020. A list of all recipients will be mailed to all high school counseling offices and posted on the HCCPTA website www.hccpta.com.

Please contact me with any questions. Henrico County Council of PTAs looks forward to awarding this scholarship to deserving graduating seniors in search of advancing their education.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Thornton, Scholarship Chair
Henrico County Council of PTAs
(804) 299-9502
scholarship@hccpta.com

Henrico County Council of PTAs
George Moody Scholarship Fund
2019-2020 Application

General Information

The Henrico County Council of PTAs George H. Moody Scholarship is intended to promote and encourage students' dreams of an education beyond high school when there is a financial need.

Name: _____

Home address: _____

Email address: _____

Home Phone #: _____

Cell phone #: _____

Current High School: _____

College/university/trade school/program you plan to attend.

If the decision is pending, list all colleges/programs to which you have applied and/or been accepted.

Financial assistance applied for (list all scholarships and grants). Note any scholarships/assistance received at this time.

Provide a brief statement explaining your financial needs.

Activities

List community activities/experiences

Organization /offices held /when (dates) hours/week

List academic honors received

Honor/ date

List work experiences

Employer type of work/ when (dates) hours/week

List school activities/clubs/other extracurricular experiences

Organization/club	Offices held	When (dates)

Other Requirements

Personal Statement

Please attach a personal statement (***maximum 500 words***) to this application. The statement must be included to be eligible for consideration. The statement should be typed and double-spaced. Your statement should explain how your life experiences have helped you grow and develop, your dreams and goals for the future, and why you believe receiving this scholarship will help you achieve these goals. Explain your need for scholarship assistance and plan for financing your continuing education. Be creative!

PTA/PTSA membership

Please attach a copy of your PTA/PTSA membership card for the 2019-2020 school year.

Recommendation

Please attach one letter of recommendation. This may be from a mentor, teacher, guidance counselor or school official. A recommendation must be included to be eligible for consideration.

Transcript

Please attach your official high school transcript. An official transcript must be included to be eligible for consideration.

Parental/Guardian Information

Once the Parental/Guardian Information sheet is completed, it should be placed in a sealed envelope and turned in with the completed application. The Parental/Guardian Information sheet must be included to be eligible for consideration.

Parental/Guardian Information

To be completed by parent/guardian with whom the applicant resides. Please print or type.

Guardian 1, relationship to applicant: _____

Name _____ Occupation _____

Annual adjusted income reported on 2018 Form 1040 _____

Guardian 2, relationship to applicant: _____

Name _____ Occupation _____

Annual adjusted income reported on 2018 Form 1040 _____

Total annual income (from all sources): _____

With whom does student reside? _____

List number and ages of dependent children in household, including applicant:

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My signature below certifies that all information I supply on this application is true and correct, and that knowingly giving false information on this application will result in its immediate removal from consideration. I understand that information I provide will be verified. I furthermore understand that the HCCPTA's George H. Moody Scholarship is a need-based scholarship, and I do believe that I am eligible and have included all necessary paperwork.

Applicant signature/ Date

Parent/guardian signature/ Date

Applicant checklist:

- ☐ All information filled out completely ☐ Letter of recommendation included
☐ Personal statement included ☐ Official school transcript included
☐ Copy of PTA/PTSA membership card included ☐ Returned to guidance counselor by the designated date