

## CLINTON PUBLIC SCHOOL FOUNDATION

"Advancing Excellence in Clinton Public Schools"

### *Davis-McElmurry Trust Scholarship*

The Davis-McElmurry Trust Scholarship is made possible by a trust established by a former Clinton Public Schools teacher. It is a substantial annual award for up to four years of college. This scholarship will be awarded to one or more Clinton High School seniors attending the college or university of their choice. Financial need will be considered, but will not be the only determining factor. The Davis-McElmurry Trust Scholarship recipient(s) will be selected by the Clinton Public School Foundation Scholarship Committee, following review of the applications and personal interviews.

The Davis-McElmurry Trust Scholarship recipient(s) will be responsible for providing the Clinton Public School Foundation with proof of full-time enrollment before funds will be disbursed. The recipient will also provide proof of a 2.5 cumulative GPA each semester before the next semester's funds will be disbursed.

Application Deadline: Submitted to CHS counselor by February 21, 2020.

The application must include the following:

1. The attached Scholarship Application Form.
2. A current resumé, including three references with addresses and telephone numbers.

3. Two essays written to the following prompts. Each essay should be typed and at least 500 words.

- Take a stance either for or against a current topic of debate at Clinton High School or the world in general. Write a thought-provoking essay defending your position.
- What is your favorite work of fiction? Discuss the book.
- Which magazine is most likely to carry you on its cover in the future? Write the story that will accompany your image.
- Would you rather be a member of a world championship sports team or be the champion of an individual sport? Discuss your reasons, including which sport you would choose.
- You are having a dinner party, and must invite one person, living or dead, from each of the following categories: author, scientist, artist, political figure, criminal, and religious figure. Whom do you invite? What's on the menu? Give examples of conversational topics and discussions that might occur among you and these six people.

Please have CHS counselor sign below; retain this page in your records as proof of application submission.

Received by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

For more information, contact CPSF Executive Director Erin Adams at (580)830-530-6322 or [cpsfdirector@outlook.com](mailto:cpsfdirector@outlook.com).

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name & Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name & Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Number of siblings in the home \_\_\_\_\_

Number of household members in college when you begin college \_\_\_\_\_

Unweighted GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Weighted GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Unweighted Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_ Weighted Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Composite \_\_\_\_\_

Do you qualify for a PELL grant? \_\_\_\_\_ Will you be receiving OHLAP? \_\_\_\_\_

List any other sources of financial aid or scholarships that you expect to receive:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please check the income bracket that best describes your family:

under \$40,000       \$40,000-\$60,000       \$60,000-\$90,000

\$90,000-\$120,000       \$120,000-\$150,000       \$150,000+

Answer each of the following on separate, typed pages:

Which high school class or extracurricular activity has been your favorite and why?

What are your current educational and career plans, why have you chosen this particular path, and how would this scholarship help you achieve your goals?