Rusk County Electric Co-op (RCEC) has a scholarship fund to assist its members' graduating high school seniors who desire to further their education. Scholarships are awarded to students based on several criteria: demonstrated civic responsibility, scholastic achievement, and financial need.

QUALIFICATIONS
High school seniors and non-traditional students (those students attending private, parochial, or home school) are allowed to apply.

The applicant's immediate family must be an active member of RCEC.

APPLICATION
1. The scholarship application must be personally completed by the applicant, and
2. Must be accompanied by the School Certification form & High School Transcript;
3. Two letters of recommendation are to be signed by the applicant [in the box] and then completed by a teacher, principal, or counselor from the high school the applicant is attending. They cannot be from a relative. If the student is home schooled, the letters of recommendation may be signed by individuals in their community.
4. Picture for publications (wallet size)

All materials are to be mailed to:
RCEC Scholarship Committee
Rusk County Electric Cooperative, Inc.
P.O. Box 1169
Henderson, TX 75653-1169

ADMINISTERING OF FUNDS
1. All scholarship funds will be paid directly to the educational institution of your choice (university, junior college, technical or vocational school).

2. The recipient must enroll in classes and contact RCEC for payment of the scholarship within one year after high school graduation.

3. A minimum of twelve semester hours as a full-time student is required for college; full-time enrollment in a technical or vocational school is required.

4. If the recipient does not attend school and contact RCEC for payment within one year following graduation, the scholarship reverts to the scholarship fund.

5. The scholarship will be paid after sending proof of enrollment in the required semester hours to RCEC's Scholarship Committee.

6. It is the recipient's responsibility to contact RCEC for payment of the scholarship.

Deadline for scholarship: Postmarked by March 6, 2020
Rusk County Electric Cooperative, Inc.
Scholarship Application

(POSTMARK DEADLINE: MARCH 6, 2020)

Name ____________________________________________

Social Security # __________________________ Telephone ( ___ )

Mailing Address ____________________________________________

City ____________________ State ______ Zip __________

Father’s Name ____________________________ Occupation ____________________________

Mother’s Name ____________________________ Occupation ____________________________

Are your parents active members of Rusk County Electric Cooperative, Inc.? __________

Name on account ____________________________ Account Number ____________________________

Number of dependent children in family (including you) ____________________________

Are there other family members currently in college? ____________________________

Educational institution you plan to attend ____________________________

High School attended ____________________________ Telephone ____________________________

High school activities including leadership positions, organizations, class offices, academic awards: ____________________________

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Civic and other activities: ____________________________

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I certify that the information in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant’s signature ____________________________ Parent’s signature ____________________________
Why I Am Applying For This Scholarship

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School Certification

APPLICANT’S NAME__________________________________________

CUMULATIVE GPA (9th through 12th grades)____________________ on a scale of __________

CLASS STANDING: Number____________________ in a class of ____________ students.

ACT SCORE __________________________ SAT SCORE __________________________

High School __________________________________________________

School Official Name, Title ____________________________________

Date _______________ Signature ________________________________

Please attach a copy of the applicant’s high school transcript.
Letter of Recommendation

Applicants Name

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