

**Lawrence County Education Foundation
Graduating Class of 2026 Scholarship List
February 12, 2026**

Ethel Young Benson Memorial Scholarship

\$500

Applicants: Graduates who went to Ingram Sowell Elementary

Planning to attend: Any College/University

Robert and Roberta Cathey Memorial Scholarship

\$5000 X 2

Applicants: SHS (1) Male (1) Female

Presented to one male **and** one female graduating from Summertown High School who exemplifies the following:

- Exceptionally well rounded (respectful, well respected, self-reliant, thoughtful)
- Strong work ethic (exemplary conduct, trustworthy, dedicated, disciplined, cooperative, responsible)
- Excels in at least one school-sponsored extracurricular activity (engaged, focused, provides leadership and/or direction, serves as a role-model)
- Maintains a 3.5 GPA
- Attending a 4-year University

Planning to attend: Any College/University

Ben Cooper Memorial Scholarship

\$500 X 3 (one from each high school)

Applicants: County-wide students, preferably entering the health science field.

Planning to enroll: Columbia State Community College

STRHS Crockett Hospital Scholarship

\$2000 x 3 (one from each high school)

Applicants: Countywide Students

Planning to pursue a healthcare-related field of training

Must maintain a 3.0 GPA in field of study

Must agree to work for Crockett Hospital in related field for a minimum of 2 years (if employable and position is available)

Planning to attend: Any College/University

STRHS Crockett Hospital Volunteers Scholarship

\$500

Applicants: CLASS of: (2026 LHS) (2027 SHS) (2028 LCHS)

Entering a health care-related field, Financial Need

Good Attendance record in school

Minimum 2.5 GPA

Involved in extracurricular and community activities

Planning to attend: Any College/University

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Hudson Corum Memorial Scholarship

\$1,500

Applicants: County-wide students

Entering in Agribusiness, Agriculture, Forestry, Engineering

Planning to attend: Any college/university

Bobby and Buck Davis Memorial Scholarship

\$1000

Applicants: LCHS students

Planning to pursue a degree in Nursing

Grades and financial need major consideration

Planning to attend: Any college/university

Monroe and Jean Dye Memorial Scholarship

\$1500

Applicants: County-wide students

Need based, good character, driven to succeed

Planning to attend: Any College/University

H. C. Edwards, Jr. Memorial Scholarship

\$1200

Applicants: Countywide Students

Planning to attend: Any college/university

Mickey & Helen Evers Memorial Scholarship (2)

\$1000 X 2

Applicants: Countywide Students

Planning to attend: Technology Center/Trade School

Raleigh Green Memorial Scholarship

\$1000

Applicants: LHS Students

Good character, trustworthy, dedicated, responsible, cooperative, self-reliant, considerate.

Priority for "service" paths (example: teaching/nursing/ministry/police/fire/counseling)

Criteria: Need based (SAI at 5000 and above)

Planning to attend: Any college/university or technical school

Randall Hardy Memorial Scholarship

\$500

Applicants: Countywide Students

Majoring in Business

Planning to attend: Any College/University

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Judge W. A. Harwell Memorial Scholarship

\$1000

Applicants: Countywide Students

Planning to attend: Any College/University

Ron Hurren Memorial Scholarship

\$1500

Applicants: Countywide Students

Priority is Electrical Program

Planning to attend: Technology Career

Tom Hudson Memorial Scholarship

\$1500

Applicants: Countywide Students

Financial Need Based (Household income below \$34,480 or SAI = -1500)

(Winning recipient must verify income)

Priority is Agriculture/Business/Education

Planning to attend: Any college/University/Technical School

Marion Joiner Honorary Scholarship

\$500

Applicants: LCHS Students

B Average - Major in Education

Planning to attend: Any College/University

KWT Memorial Scholarship

Kilburn, Watson, Threet

\$2,000

Criteria:

- Must be majoring in Ag or Forestry
- LCHS receives priority, LHS and SHS may be considered

Planning to attend: Any College/University with Ag or Forestry program

Regan Marston Jones Memorial Scholarship

\$2000 (\$1,000 – first year, \$1,000 – second year)

Applicants: LHS Students

Priority is Education, Drama, English, or History

Planning to attend: Any College/University

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Blanche Knott Memorial Scholarship

\$1000

Applicants: LCHS Students

Planning to major in Secondary Education

Planning to attend: Any College/University

Lawrence County Bar Association Scholarship

\$1200

Applicants: Countywide Students

Merit Based

Planning to attend: Any College/University

Lawrence County Retired Teachers Association Scholarship

\$1000 X 3

Applicants: (one from each high school)

Major in Education

Planning to attend: Any college/University

Lawrenceburg Utility Systems (3)

\$1000 X 3

Applicants: (one from each high school)

Child of LUS employees given preference, but anyone may apply

Planning to attend: Any College/University

Lawrenceburg Utility Systems Mark Fields Memorial Scholarship

\$5000 (one)

Applicants: Countywide Students

Any student planning to pursue a career as a Lineman

Planning to attend: Columbia State Community College Line Worker Academy

George & Margie Mattox Memorial Scholarship

\$1500

Applicants: Countywide Students

Need based, good character

Planning to attend: Any College/University

Will McMasters Memorial Scholarship

\$1000

Applicants: LCHS Students

Any Athlete participating in Baseball, Basketball, Football, any major traditional sport (excludes band, cheerleading, dance, etc.)

3.0 GPA minimum in high school

Planning to attend: Any College/University

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Modine Manufacturing Memorial Scholarship

In memory of long-term dedicated Modine Team Members who passed away while actively employed at Lawrenceburg One (LB1) (Shelton, Roberts, Stotler)

Scholarship Description / Criteria

- Amount: \$5000
- Applicants: Countywide Graduating High School Student(s)
- Requirement: Relative of Modine Manufacturing (Preferred)
- Student Must Be: Exceptionally Well Rounded (Respectful, Well Respected, Self-Reliant, Thoughtful)
- Student Must Exhibit: Strong Work Ethic (Exemplary Conduct, Trustworthy, Dedicated, Disciplined, Cooperative, Responsible)
- GPA: Minimum 2.75

Planning to Attend: Any College / University / Technical College or Trade School

Blake Perkins Memorial Scholarship

\$1,000

Applicants: LHS Students

Any student involved in sports, cheerleading

Need Based

Planning to attend: Any College/University/Technical/Trade School

Applicants must write a one (1) page/less than 200-word essay on why they need the scholarship and how the scholarship will benefit them and how they, in turn, will benefit society.

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Pollock Memorial Scholarship (3)

\$1500 (Option to split each scholarship to include more students)

Applicants: (one from each high school)

Good Student

Planning to attend: Any College/University

Dorothy Pope Memorial Scholarship

\$1000

Applicants: LCHS Students

Any student planning to major in English and preparing to teach

Planning to attend: Any College/University

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Mae Rose Quillen Memorial Scholarship

\$800 X 3

Applicants: Lawrence/Giles County Students

Planning to attend: University of Tennessee Southern

Mallory Scott Memorial Scholarship

\$1500

Applicants: SHS Students

Need based

Must submit essay about future goals with application

Planning to attend: Any College/University

John and Becky Sharp Scholarship

\$1000

Applicants: Student must have graduated from Ethridge Elementary School (unless the family allows an adjustment on a year-by-year basis).

Planning to attend: Any college/university

DeAnna Thigpen Memorial Scholarship

\$1000

Applicants: LCHS Bowling & Tennis Team Members

Requirements: 3.0 or above GPA

Planning to attend: Any college/university

Vivian Shields Memorial Scholarship

\$1000

Applicants: SHS Students

Good conduct, focused, respectful to faculty

Must carry 12 hours & maintain 3.0 (B average) in college

Planning to attend: CSCC

Skyliters Scholarship

\$1000

Applicants: Class of (SHS 2026) (LHS 2027) (LCHS 2028)

Financial Need

Four-year band member given priority

Band Director rates each applicant on a scale of 1 to 10, 10 being most deserving

Planning to attend: Any College/University

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Diane Webb Leadership Scholarship

\$2000

Applicants: SHS Students

Minimum 3.0 GPA

Exemplary leadership skills, committed to school service

Resume and Essay required in addition to traditional application:

Academics: Your GPA, honor roll achievements, etc.; School Service and Volunteer Activities (anything you have volunteered your time to do for the school)

Community Service and Volunteer Activities: Anything you have volunteered your time to do for the community. (If compensated for your time, it is not considered volunteer activity)

School Clubs and Organizations: List the clubs you were in, the years you were in them (9, 10, 11, and/or 12), and beneath each club, list any offices you have held.

School Recognitions, Honors, and Awards: List anything you have received during high school career.

Athletics, Music, Theater, any other recognition outside school: Place other recognitions for these categories here.

Church Activities and Awards: Any church activities in which you participate, any recognition you have received or offices you have held or currently hold.

Work Experience: List any work for which you have been paid.

Essay: Attach a response to the following question.

In accepting the challenge of school and community leadership, how do you perceive your accomplishments have made a difference for you and your fellow students and how do you perceive it will impact your future.