

**SUMMIT COUNTY RETIRED TEACHERS
ASSOCIATION
Scholarship**



The scholarship candidate must meet the following criteria:

1. Must have graduated or will graduate with at least a 3.0 GPA from an accredited high school (transcript with State Testing results required).
2. If a post high school student attending college, must have a 3.0 GPA (transcript required).
3. Must be pursuing an education degree.
4. **Evidence of college enrollment** must be submitted with the SCRTA application form (using format guidelines) to be considered for a scholarship.
5. The Scholarship Co-Chairman must receive the scholarship application no later than **April 5th** of the year of the application.
6. The Scholarship Committee will inform the recipient(s) no later than **April 30th** of the year of the application.
7. The scholarship winner and their sponsor will be invited to be guests at a Summit County Retired Teachers luncheon in June 2026.
8. The applicant must be sponsored by a past or present educator.
9. The applicant must reside in Summit County.

The completed application must be submitted by **April 6, 2026** to:

Vicky Shaw
SCRTA Scholarship Co-Chairman
At: 1372 Hammel St.
Akron, OH 44306
Or: vlps2657@sbcglobal.net

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Application Format Guidelines**

1. Must be typed.
2. Must be double-spaced.
3. All sections of application must be complete.

Date of application _____

Applicant's full name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip code _____

Phone _____ Email _____

High School _____ Graduation Year _____

GPA _____ (**Enclose high school transcript**)

College/University to attend _____ Year _____

College/University _____ Year _____

(Enclose college transcript)

Sponsor's Name and Phone Number:

Please include a typed document totaling 100 - 1000 words for the following four prompts:

- A. Why are you pursuing a career in the field of education?
- B. Describe how your favorite teacher or mentor inspired you.
- C. Describe specific leadership experiences you have had.
- D. Explain any work experience or community service activities in which you have participated.