



January 3, 2019

Ms. Tara Robinette
Murray County High School
1001 Green Road
Chatsworth, GA 30705

Dear Ms. Robinette,

The Better Business Bureau serving Southeast Tennessee and Northwest Georgia will award scholarships to students graduating in the Class of 2019. Judges will select the scholarship recipients based on their overall personal integrity and character, their personal achievements, contributions to their communities and schools, and academic accomplishments. Enclosed is an application form, a scholarship guideline, and a flyer to promote the scholarship in your school.

- There is no cost to enter;
- Applicants must be in the 2019 graduating class;
- Applicants must complete an application form;
- Applicants must write an essay of approximately 500 words;
- A current transcript is required;
- **Deadline for completed forms and essays is Friday, April 5, 2019 (postmarked or hand delivered by 3:00 pm eastern time);**

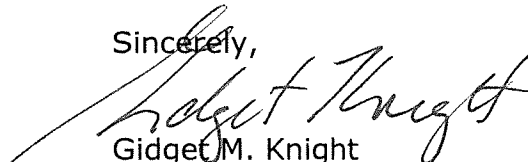
After judges evaluate entries, scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 will be awarded to students selected. The scholarship will be made payable to the college or university in which the student enrolls. The Scholarship Fund will determine the number of scholarships.

Student winners will be asked to attend the BBB's 2019 Annual Meeting Luncheon, and share their essay.

In 2018 the BBB recognized ten (10) students with scholarships. We encourage you to get this information to all your seniors and encourage their participation.

If you have any questions, please call me at the BBB at (423) 266-0396 or feel free to e-mail: gidgetknight@chattanooga.bbb.org

Sincerely,



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Better Business Bureau, Inc.
Serving Southeast Tennessee & Northwest Georgia
2019 Student of Integrity Scholarship

THE PRIZE: Scholarships of \$1,000 will be awarded. The Scholarship Fund will determine the number of scholarships.

AWARD GUIDELINES: Entries will be reviewed by a selection committee comprised of business leaders. Judges will select the scholarship recipients based on their overall personal integrity and character, personal achievements, contributions to their communities and schools, and academic accomplishments.

ELIGIBILITY: Any students who are members of the graduating class of 2019 and attending accredited high schools in Tennessee counties Bledsoe, Bradley, Grundy, Hamilton, McMinn, Marion, Meigs, Polk, Rhea, Sequatchie, and Van Buren, and in Georgia counties Catoosa, Chattooga, Dade, Fannin, Floyd, Gilmer, Gordon, Murray, Walker, and Whitfield are eligible to apply for a 2019 BBB Student of Integrity Scholarship.

CRITERIA: The criteria for the award include: Leadership 20%, Community service 20%, Academic 10%, Essay 50%. Student should demonstrate their commitment to high ethical behavior and provide documentation in the following areas:

- **Leadership 20%:** Describe any extra-curricular, school-related activities. Include awards/honors or offices held. List past and present employers and describe positions held (if applicable, not required).
- **Community Service 20%:** Describe activities outside of school and within your community, such as church or special community activities.
- **Academic 10%:** Enclose a copy of most recent transcript. Describe post-secondary education plans.
- **Essay 50%:** Write a 500-Word essay on "***The importance of ethics in business and our community***". All essays become property of the BBB. Winners' names may be released to the public and news media for promotional purposes.

PROCEDURE: Mail the completed application form to: Scholarship Committee, Better Business Bureau, PO Box 4532, Chattanooga, TN 37405.

DEADLINE: **Must be postmarked or hand delivered by Friday, April 5, 2019 by 3 p.m.**

AWARD: Recipients of BBB scholarships will be asked to attend the BBB's Torch Award Luncheon; date to be determined. The scholarship will be made payable to the college or university in which the student enrolls.

QUESTIONS: Contact Gidget Knight at the BBB office, (423) 266-0396.

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Apply for the Better Business Bureau 2017
Student of Integrity Scholarship!

The Fine Print

- ◆ Applicants must be in the **2019 graduating class**
- ◆ Applicants must complete an application form
- ◆ Applicants must write an essay of 500 words or less
- ◆ A current transcript is requested.

Don't delay!

Deadline for completed forms and essays is

Friday, April 5, 2019

(postmarked or hand delivered by 3 p.m. eastern time)



*To get an application form, and
for more details, visit your
school counselor's office.*





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2019 Student of Integrity Scholarship

Application Form

Name of Student Mr./Ms. _____

Student's Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Student's Home Phone (____) _____ Cell: (____) _____

Student's E-mail Address _____

Name of Student's School _____

Senior School Counselor _____

School Phone (____) _____

Scholarship Checklist: NO STAPLES

- 500 Word Essay on "***The importance of ethics in business and our community***".
- Extra-Curricular Activities
- Examples of Community Service
- Current Transcript
- College Plans & Proposed Major Information

All essays become property of the BBB. Winners' names and essays may be released to the public and news media for promotional purposes. All submitted entries become the property of the Better Business Bureau serving Southeast Tennessee and Northwest Georgia and will not be returned.

DEADLINE: Essay, extra-curricular activities, community service examples transcripts, and college plans with proposed major must be **postmarked or hand Delivered by Friday, April 5, 2019, 3:00 p.m.**

Address to: Scholarship Committee
Better Business Bureau, Inc.
PO Box 4532
Chattanooga, TN 37405

QUESTIONS: Contact: Gidget Knight or Barry Percy at the BBB office,
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