

## Scholarship Instructions

There will be three scholarships available. 1 - \$1,000 and 2 - \$500

### 1. Complete Application

2. Essay - The 1,000 word essay must be typed or computer generated, double spaced, twelve point font, on 8 ½ X 11 unlined white bond paper and in the English language. Handwritten essays or those in any other format will be disqualified. The essay must have a title page and cannot contain any reference to the applicant name or high school attended by the applicant. Any such reference will disqualify the applicant. All essays must be original, factually accurate and must not infringe upon any material protected by copyright. It is recommended to visit at least one office for an interview and please call for an appointment.

### **Essay Theme 2021:**

**Every county in the State of Georgia has elected government officials known as "constitutional officers." County constitutional officers include the clerk of the superior court, judge of probate court, sheriff, and tax commissioner. County constitutional officers are elected for four-year terms and have such powers and duties as provided by general law.**

***TOPIC: Choose one of the county constitutional officers. Interview that officer and describe things that the county constitutional officer does on a daily basis, why he or she ran for office, and other questions you would like to find out information for your essay. Also do research and include who the last three people who held that office and how long they were in office prior to the current person.***

### 3. Award Guidelines:

All entries will be reviewed by a Committee selected by the Carroll County Constitutional Officers. All essays become property of the Carroll County Constitutional Officers. Winners' name may be released to the public and news media for promotional purposes. The scholarship will be made payable to the accepted school of the winners.

### 4. Procedures:

All completed applications, documentation and completed essay should be mailed flat in a 9X12 envelope to: Judge Edie Haney, Carroll County Probate Court, P.O. Box 338, Carrollton, Georgia 30112.

5. All Applications must be postmarked or hand delivered no later than March 31, 2021, or they may be deemed ineligible.

Scholarship Application Packet must include the following items:

- A. Scholarship Application Form
- B. 1,000 Word Essay
- C. Letter of acceptance from a school of accredited higher education located within Georgia (four year college, junior college or technical college)

**You may contact any of the Carroll County Constitutional Officers.**

Edith Haney, Probate Judge  
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Alan Lee, Clerk of Court  
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Terry Langley, Sheriff  
[tlangley@carrollsheriff.com](mailto:tlangley@carrollsheriff.com) 770-830-5838

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**CARROLL COUNTY CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICER  
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION  
2021**

**Applicant Information:**

Name (Mr.), (Miss.) \_\_\_\_\_

Home Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Alt Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Are you a US Citizen? \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent or Guardian Information:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Student \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email/Daytime Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

**High School Information:**

Name of School \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Graduation and Principal \_\_\_\_\_

Counselor Name and Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Counselor/Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

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College, University or Technical School: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Field \_\_\_\_\_

