



# NORRIS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM OFFICIAL RULES

- ◆ Three \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded. The scholarships are made possible by a grant from Norris Electric Cooperative.

The scholarships will each be awarded to a student who is the son or daughter of a Norris Electric Cooperative member who is currently receiving services from the cooperative at the time the scholarship application is submitted.

- ◆ The applicant must be a high school senior.
- ◆ Scholarship winners must begin undergraduate studies within a year of being notified they are the recipient of the scholarship.
- ◆ Scholarship winners will be expected to be "full time" students (at least 12 hours).
- ◆ Scholarships are for one year and are not renewable.
- ◆ Scholarships will be awarded based on grade point average, college entrance test scores, work and volunteer experience, participation in school and community activities, biographical statement and knowledge of electric cooperatives as demonstrated by a short essay.
- ◆ Deadline for receipt of completed applications and submissions is FEBRUARY 1, 2020.
- ◆ Scholarship winners will be notified by May 1, 2020.



## Biographical Statement

Write a brief biographical statement that includes your educational goals, financial need and other pertinent information about yourself that you feel is important. The biographical statement should be typewritten and double-spaced, and attached to the application.

## Knowledge of Electric Cooperatives

Submit an essay of 500 words or less in your own words, concerning the organization and services of the electric cooperatives and your relationship or involvement in the activities and/or operations. The essay should be typewritten and double-spaced, and attached to the application.

## Statement of Applicant and Parent or Guardian

We have examined this application, including accompanying submissions, and to the best of our knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Applicant)*

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Parent or Guardian)*

Deadline for receipt of completed applications and required submissions is February 1, 2020

Send to: **Norris Electric Cooperative**  
**8543 N State Hwy 130**  
**Newton, IL 62448**