

2018 SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION
PEE DEE ELECTRIC MEMBERSHIP CORPORATION
AWARENESS COMMITTEE SCHOLARSHIPS

Six \$1,000 college scholarships will be awarded in 2018 through the *Pee Dee Electric Membership Corporation Awareness Committee*. These scholarships will be awarded to students who live in the Pee Dee EMC service area (portions of Anson, Richmond, Union, Stanly, Scotland, Moore and Montgomery Counties).

Objective:

To provide financial aid to qualifying high school seniors within the Pee Dee EMC membership.

Eligibility:

- (a) High school senior whose residence receives electric service from Pee Dee EMC.
- (b) A candidate for a scholarship must have maintained a cumulative average of "B" or higher throughout grades 9,10,11 and 12.
- (c) A candidate must have a recommendation from either his or her high school principal, guidance counselor, or teacher
- (d) Candidate must apply no later than **March 31, 2018**
- (e) Candidate must have taken the SAT and/or ACT and submit scores with application.

College or University Eligibility:

The college must be a two (2) or four (4) year accredited college or university, including community colleges.

Terms of Scholarship:

- (a) Three scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 each will be awarded in each district office of Pee Dee EMC.
- (b) The scholarship will be non-renewable.
- (c) The amount of the scholarship will be paid directly to the college or university attended by the recipient.
- (d) Recipient must be accepted for enrollment as a full-time student for the 2018-2019 academic year beginning with the fall semester.
- (e) Scholarships will be awarded on school Awards Day or winners will be notified by mail no later than May 1, 2018.

Basis of Awards:

Factors considered in granting scholarships may include, but are not limited to: (1) character, (2) moral standards, (3) citizenship, (4) past and present academic performance (as outlined in Eligibility Section), (5) recommendation from high school principal, guidance counselor, or teacher, (6) brief statement of career plans and goals (*250 words or less*), (7) list all extra-curricular activities.

Selection Committee:

A Selection Committee will be established for each of the Cooperative's district offices (Rockingham and Wadesboro) and will consist of three Awareness Committee members from each district office.

Application

Applications may be obtained from area high school guidance counselors, local Pee Dee EMC office or by writing to:

Scholarship
Pee Dee EMC
Attn: Ashley Ratlif-Haynes
575 US Hwy 52 South
Wadesboro, NC 28170