

John M. Simmons Educational Scholarship Renewal

John M. Simmons believed in pursuing your dreams, setting goals and working hard for professional success. Education beyond high school provides a foundation needed for today's world. John was a man of integrity and service in our community and for this reason his family established this educational scholarship in his memory.

This scholarship will be awarded on the basis of Academics, Financial Need, Extra Curricular Activities, College Experiences, and Work Ethics.

Applications must be received by June 1, 2018. Mail your completed application and supporting documentation to:

**Burke, Worsham, and Harrell
600 West Shotwell Street
Bainbridge, Georgia 39819**

This scholarship application is specifically for returning applicants of the John M. Simmons Educational Scholarship who were awarded funds for college education previously.

Check List:

1. _____ Sealed copy of College Transcript sent to address above
2. _____ Copy of Acceptance letter to a different College (if you plan to transfer)
3. _____ Application filled out and signed
4. _____ Typed copy of questions and answers

I. Basic Information

1. Full Name _____
2. Date of Birth _____ Age _____
3. Home Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
4. Phone Number _____ Email Address _____
5. Name of Parents or Guardian _____
Address of Parents or Guardian _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

II. College Academics and Scholarship Information

6. What College did you attend this year? What College do you plan to attend next year? If you transfer to a different college, please send in a copy of your acceptance letter.

7. How many years have you received this scholarship? _____

8. Name any other scholarships you are currently receiving by year, name and value.

9. What is your current GPA? _____
(sealed transcript is to be sent to the address above)

10. Name any Extra Curricular activities or significant College Experiences. Describe the impact these experiences have had on you. How have these activities enhanced your field of study? (type answer on separate sheet if needed) _____

11. Do you work? If so, how significant is this to your financial needs.

V. Questions (4)

Answer each question below (#13, #14, #15, #16) honestly, concisely, and with specific examples. Type the question number, the question, and answer for each on a separate sheet then attach to application form. More than one or all questions can be answered on a page(s) according to word count used.

12. Describe in detail, how you overcame a specific setback/challenge. (400-word count max)

14. Using the following work ethic traits, -attendance, team work, organizational skills, effective communication- describe how your college experiences have developed a stronger work ethic in you? (400-word count max)

15. "Grit" is defined as your passion and perseverance for long-term goals. If the power of "grit" can help you achieve your potential, in your experience how have you used "grit" in a situation. (400-word count max)

16. How has your attitude negatively and positively affected others? Give example of each. (400-word count max)

VI. Signature

Signature of Applicant _____
Dated _____