

## THE DUANE MOSS CONSERVATION SCHOLARSHIP

The Terry Soil and Water Conservation District offers the Duane Moss Conservation Scholarship to graduating seniors in Terry County who are interested in majoring in an ag-related degree and/or pursuing an ag-related career. This scholarship is not confined to only those involved in agriculture, but preference shall be given to those applicants meeting all requirements who are choosing agriculture related fields as their career path. The funds are to reimburse the college for the student's tuition, fees and/or books in the amount not to exceed the total specified sum. Any unexpended balance of the scholarship may be used to defray other legitimate expenses incidental to college attendance.

### AMOUNT OF SCHOLARSHIP

The 2016 Duane Moss Conservation Scholarship will be in the amount of \$2,000 to be paid in increments of \$250.00 per semester for a total of 8 semesters.

### ELIGIBILITY

Any current year graduating senior of a Terry County high school is eligible to apply for the Scholarship. The recipient must begin college the fall semester immediately following selection. The scholarship funds will be sent directly to the Financial Aid office of the recipients chosen college or university at the rate specified above as long as these requirements are met and maintained:

- (1) A GPA of 2.5 or above is maintained.
- (2) The recipient remains enrolled for 8 consecutive semesters.
- (3) Recipient will provide to the District the following items after previous semester and prior to upcoming semester. Items must be provided to the District before scholarship payment will be paid. Failure to provide the District with the following items will result in loss of scholarship.
  - Verification of enrollment for upcoming semester.
  - GPA for previous semester.
  - If any scholarship recipient graduates early, and continues on to graduate school the remaining scholarship funds will be carried over to graduate school.

### SELECTION

Each applicant should submit a typewritten summary of achievements and explain their scholastic and career goals. This statement should not exceed 2 pages. **High school transcripts signed by the principal or superintendent must also accompany the application.** Incomplete applications will not be accepted. The Terry SWCD Board of Directors will serve as the selection committee. Selection will be made based on a combination of need, scholastic performance and record of accomplishment.

## DUE DATE

This scholarship application is due in the SWCD office at 208 W. Broadway – Brownfield, TX 79316 by **April 25, 2016**.

### GENERAL INFORMATION

- (1) Applicant \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle Age
- (2) Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street or Rural Rt. \_\_\_\_\_  
City Zip Code Telephone
- (3) Parent's or Guardian's Name \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) Parent's or Guardian's Address \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) Father or Guardian's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Title \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) Mother or Guardian's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Title \_\_\_\_\_
- (7) Number of brothers \_\_\_\_\_ Ages \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of sisters \_\_\_\_\_ Ages \_\_\_\_\_
- (8) Have you been accepted for admission to a college or university? \_\_\_\_\_  
If so, name of college \_\_\_\_\_
- (9) Field in which you plan to study \_\_\_\_\_
- (10) Proposed career planned \_\_\_\_\_
- (11) Total value of college scholarship already received \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Scholarships applied for \_\_\_\_\_

**SCHOLASTIC RECORD**  
(To be completed by school representative)

(1) Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Name of High School \_\_\_\_\_

(3) Address of High School \_\_\_\_\_

(4) Date to be graduated \_\_\_\_\_

Number in graduating class \_\_\_\_\_

(5) Applicant's academic rank \_\_\_\_\_

(6) SAT Test Score \_\_\_\_\_ Date of SAT Test \_\_\_\_\_

ACT Standard Score \_\_\_\_\_ Date of ACT Test \_\_\_\_\_

ACT College Bound Percentiles Score \_\_\_\_\_

Brief statement by High School Principal regarding applicant:

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

High School Principal

I (We) have examined this application and find the information submitted true, correct, and accurate.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Brief statement by High School Teacher regarding applicant:

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

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APPLICANT \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

FOR:  
ANY TERRY COUNTY GRADUATING SENIOR

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GEOFF COOPER  
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NICHOLAS SEATON  
PERRY BREWER