

LEONA GATES GRIFFITH SCHOLARSHIP

Leona Gates Griffith was a teacher of English, French, Latin, Journalism, Drama, Physical Education, and Home Economics at Widen High School, from 1939 until 1962, when the school was consolidated with Clay High School to form Clay County High School. Mrs. Griffith challenged and inspired her students to achieve the very best that was within them. This scholarship is extended to those students who aspire to that very same goal.

To qualify for this scholarship a student must meet the following criteria:

- 1) Be a resident of Clay County at the time of the application.
- 2) Be enrolled at Clay County High School.
- 3) Pursue a degree in the field of Education.

Please complete the following information in your own handwriting in ink.

NAME _____ PHONE NUMBER _____

COMPLETE ADDRESS _____

PO Box/Number/Rt

Town

Zip

FATHER'S NAME _____

OCCUPATION _____

MOTHER'S NAME _____

OCCUPATION _____

NUMBER OF BROTHERS AND SISTERS _____ AT HOME _____ CURRENTLY IN COLLEGE _____

CURRENT GPA _____

RANKING IN CLASS _____

List Any Extra Curricular Activities You Have Participated In High School And The Years Of Participation (use 1 for Freshman 2-Sophomore 3-Junior 4-Senior) _____

List Any Awards And Honors Received _____

List Any Jobs You Have Had During High School (formal employment, babysitting, yard work, etc) _____

(See Reverse Side)

Name specific affiliations with any community, neighborhood, or civic groups (Example: Boy/Girl Scouts, 4-H, church group, etc.) along with service performed, position achieved, or office held.

1) Why do you want to become a teacher? _____

2) Describe below why you feel this scholarship would be suited for you. _____

Do you plan to teach in WV after you receive your degree? _____

Total amount of scholarships and grants you have been approved for as of the date of this application: \$ _____

**Please return this completed form to your Guidance Counselor at Clay County High School on
or before: *May 1, 2022***