

# LORRAINE THOMAS SCHOLARSHIP FUND

## MERIT SCHOLAR APPLICATION

(Please print out and type or print clearly, scan and email)

Student Name .....

Street Address 1 \_\_\_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Social media accounts: FB \_\_\_\_\_

IG \_\_\_\_\_ TikTok \_\_\_\_\_ Others: \_\_\_\_\_

COLLEGE: (List the name of the college, university or technical institute you plan to attend next fall. If you will be a freshman next year, please also list all the colleges to which you have applied and specifically indicate those to which you have been accepted.)

Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Applied to: \_\_\_\_\_

Applied to: \_\_\_\_\_ Applied to: \_\_\_\_\_

Accepted by: \_\_\_\_\_

### PARENT/STEP-PARENT AFFILIATED WITH THE APPLICANT:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ F-R Assignment \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that is my intention to be a full time student in the upcoming college school year and that all statements on this application form and attachments are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that false, misleading or incomplete information shall be sufficient cause for my disqualification.

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

I certify that it is my child's intention to be a full time student in the upcoming college school year and that all statements on this application form and attachments are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that false, misleading or incomplete information shall be sufficient cause for disqualification of my child.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Date

**Student Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**SCHOLARSHIPS OR GRANTS:** (List the name, date and a brief description of the selection criteria for any award you have won for the current or upcoming academic year.)

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**OTHER HONORS AND AWARDS:** (List name, date and a brief description of the criteria and selection process for each Honor or Award.)

Academic: \_\_\_\_\_

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Athletic: \_\_\_\_\_

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Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Student Name:**.....

**ESSAY:** Please write an essay responding to the question below. Your essay must be typed on a separate sheet of paper, must be single spaced and must not exceed 500 words. It is essential that you express yourself clearly, or the Selection Committee will not be able to understand the important points you are making. **All responses will be used as part of the consideration for selection of Merit Scholars.**

**What is the most challenging obstacle you personally have had to overcome, and discuss its impact on you?**

**OTHER PERSONAL DECLARATIONS:** (Please write short answers to the following questions in the space provided.)

**What achievements or qualities make you most deserving of receiving a Merit Scholar Award?**

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**What would receiving this honor and the related financial award mean to you?**

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**What academic classes, subjects or experiences have most inspired you and why?**

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**Student Name:** .....

**PLEASE ALSO TELL US:**

**What is the last book you read and what about it appealed to you?** (Please indicate whether it was read for school or pleasure.)

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What is your favorite movie and why? \_\_\_\_\_

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What person in public life most inspires you and why? \_\_\_\_\_

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What is your favorite keepsake or memento and why is it important to you? \_\_\_\_\_

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What words would your friends use to describe you? Why? \_\_\_\_\_

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**Student Name:** .....

**STANDARDIZED TEST SCORES:**

**Please fill in all applicable scores.**

**SAT Scores**

Date(s)	Math	Writing	Reading	Total

**ACT Scores**

Date(s)	Math	Writing	Reading	Total

**Letters of Recommendation Coming From:**

#1 Name ..... Title .....

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

#2 Name ..... Title .....

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_