

### **SUGGESTIONS FOR ESSAY WRITING**

1. Your essay should consist of at least three paragraphs and contain at least 100 words or more.
2. The content of your essay should include school participation, community involvement and future goals.
3. Your essay will be judged on creativity, grammar, transitions and coherency.

***(Remember, a paragraph is made up of at least 3 sentences.)***

***Total possible essay writing points = 20.***

### **OTHER IMPORTANT THINGS TO REMEMBER**

If you are awarded a scholarship, you will be notified in a letter by mail. You must then enroll in at least 12 college hours and send confirmation of your registration. When confirmation is received, you will be disbursed the first increment of \$250.00

After the first semester, you will be required to send documentation that you passed at least 12 hours. Along with grade documentation, you will need to send confirmation of enrollment for the next semester. After these two things are received you will receive your next increment of \$250.00.

If you fail to complete 12 hours in a semester, you will not receive the \$250.00 increment at that time. If you continue in school and pass at least 12 hours in the following semester, you may submit the required information to receive your next \$250.00 increment. If you fail to complete the required hours more than one time, you forfeit your scholarship. You must repeat the required steps in order to receive your total \$1000.00 scholarship in four \$250.00 increments.

Once your grades are available and your next semester class schedule is completed, please remember to send your information to Margaret Wilhite at 378 Pear Rd., Gladewater, Tx. 75647. Please include your name on all copies that you send. The committee will not send reminders.

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