

**WIRE (Women Involved in Rural Electrification)**

**2022 SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA**

1. Applicant must be an active member or dependent of an active member of Horry Electric Cooperative, Inc. and must live in the home with the member of Horry Electric Cooperative, Inc.
2. Awards are for one academic year for an entering college freshman for Fall 2022. \$750.00 will be given for the fall semester; an additional \$750.00 will be given for the spring semester contingent up meeting the G.P.R. requirement. One \$1500.00 total scholarship.
3. Scholarship recipient must have at least a cumulative 2.5 G.P.R. at the end of the first semester of college to receive the second semester scholarship balance of \$750.00. Copies of grades need to be given to Susan Brown at the end of the first semester when registering for second semester to receive the final check.
4. Loans and/or college work-study awards received in addition to this scholarship do not reduce its' full value in any way.
5. In accepting this scholarship, student gives consent to the release of grades and other relevant information to the scholarship sponsor at the end of each semester.
6. All applications must be received by Horry Electric's WIRE Group by Tuesday, March 1st, 2022, at 12 noon. Applications received after Tuesday, March 1, 2022, are NOT eligible.
7. Applicants must be attending Coastal Carolina University or Horry-Georgetown Technical College only and be enrolled in a two-year or four-year degree program. Disbursement of these funds will be handled by Coastal Carolina University or Horry-Georgetown Technical College as per their procedures.
8. In the event there is no qualified applicant, the scholarship is suspended for that year.
9. In the event that the scholarship recipient receives the first \$750 for the Fall Semester and does not maintain GPR and/or drops out of school, the balance of the scholarship is suspended for that applicant and for the remainder of that school year/spring semester. And suspended indefinitely for that student.
10. Financial need will be an important consideration in determining a winner.
11. Students may be asked to participate in an interview process as a final step in this process; however, by completing and returning this application is no guarantee that every applicant will gain an interview. Those selected for an interview will be contacted individually.

**Important:**

**Mail application & transcript to:**

Mrs. Susan Brown – WIRE Scholarship  
Horry Electric Cooperative, Inc.  
Post Office Box 119  
Conway, South Carolina 29528-0119  
**OR Email: [susan.brown@horryelectric.com](mailto:susan.brown@horryelectric.com)**

**Questions: Susan Brown (843) 369-6323**

**HORRY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INCORPORATED**

Post Office Box 119, Conway, SC 29528-0119

Attention: Susan Brown

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**2022 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

APPLICATION FOR A **FULL-TIME STUDENT** PLANNING TO ATTEND COASTAL CAROLINA UNIVERSITY OR HORRY-GEORGETOWN TECHNICAL COLLEGE, CONWAY, SOUTH CAROLINA. **Please fill out completely. Any missing information may disqualify an applicant from this scholarship.**

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Student's Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Student \_\_\_\_\_ City/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone : \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Last 4 digits of SSN: \_\_\_\_\_ Projected G.P.R. \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_ SAT/ACT Scores \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's name \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Salary \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Father's name \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Salary \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Other sources of income \_\_\_\_\_

Number of dependent children in household and ages. Number \_\_\_\_\_ Ages \_\_\_\_\_

High School presently attending \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation date \_\_\_\_\_

List all Clubs/Organizations participated in during high school- \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Offices held in these clubs/organizations - \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Awards and Honors received - \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated Major - \_\_\_\_\_

Work Activities: Are you now employed?  Yes  No. If yes, what type work and how many hours per week? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you anticipate working while in college?  Yes  No Are you also applying for any student loans?  Yes  No

Have you received any other scholarships for college thus far?  Yes  No

**GUARDIAN/MEMBER INFORMATION:**

Name of Horry Electric Member/Account Holder \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Address \_\_\_\_\_

Account number with Horry Electric Cooperative, Inc. \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTES: PERSONAL INTERVIEW MAY BE REQUIRED. YOU WILL BE CONTACTED FOR APPOINTMENT TIME IF YOU QUALIFY FOR AN INTERVIEW.**

**PLEASE BE SURE TO ATTACH A COPY OF YOUR HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT. THIS IS A REQUIREMENT. \*\***

**(If this transcript is not attached, your application is incomplete and will not be considered. Please be sure to include this.)** In the space provided below, please describe in 350 words or less in your own words why you want to be a recipient of the WIRE Scholarship, the course of study and major field of interest you plan to follow, your proposed occupation or profession, and any other abilities you have that are not previously mentioned in this form. Please elaborate on financial status that may help to explain your need for this scholarship. Please write legibly. *(Use the back of this sheet if needed)*

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