



Sawnee Electric Membership  
**FOUNDATION**

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**Sawnee Electric Membership Foundation**  
**2022 Youth Scholarship Program**

**Application Checklist:**

- Only complete applications will be considered
- Print only on the front of the page
- Do not use binders or staples
- A form is attached to this application for recommendation letters
- Name your top three (3) schools and include any acceptance letters you have received

**Eligibility:**

- Students' residence must be served by Sawnee EMC
- Perceived graduating GPA of 2.0 or above
- Close relatives of SEMC employees, SEMC Directors, and CATF members are **not** eligible

**Documents That Must Be Provided as Part Of The Complete Application:**

- High school resume
- Three (3) essays
- Recommendation letters
- Certified copy of your transcript
- Provide a copy of **one** of the following tests scores: ACT or SAT

**Please note:** The applications will be scored by independent judges. Some students will be invited to SEMC for a personal interview with the judges the last week of March and winners will be announced in April 2022. All notifications will be made via US Mail.



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**READ OVER YOUR APPLICATION CAREFULLY AND CONFIRM THAT IT IS COMPLETE**

**Mail**

Sawnee Electric Membership Foundation  
ATTN: Cindy Badgett  
P.O. Box 1174  
Cumming, GA 30028

**Drop Off**

Sawnee Electric Membership Foundation  
ATTN: Cindy Badgett  
543 Atlanta Highway  
Cumming, GA 30040

The completed application and all other required documents **must** be received no later than 5:00 P.M. on **Monday, February 14, 2022**. Applications received after this deadline will **not** be considered.

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Cindy Badgett at 678-455-1399 or via email at [cindy.badgett@sawnee.com](mailto:cindy.badgett@sawnee.com).

**SCHOLARSHIP CONDITIONS**

Acceptance of funds by the recipient will constitute acceptance of the terms of the scholarship. They are as follows:

1. Scholarships must be used at an accredited institution.
2. Applicants must be available for a personal interview if selected as a finalist.
3. Scholarships will be announced and awarded in the spring.
4. The scholarship judges will consider the following: scholastic achievement, character, leadership, volunteer service, career and life goals and any other pertinent information or circumstances that may heighten the need for this scholarship.

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Home Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ (\*Circle preferred method of communication)

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Sawnee EMC Account Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Essay Instructions-** Do **not** print on both sides of the page

**Essay 1-** Please tell the committee about yourself and your family. Include how you plan to fund your college education and how this scholarship will assist you. State any personal or family circumstances affecting your need for financial assistance, if any. Provide expected tuition costs and any scholarships your college is offering.

**Essay 2 -** Tell the committee about a time when you had a belief or idea challenged.

**Essay 3 -** How are you unique?

## **ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE AND POTENTIAL**

Current GPA: **Please have your counseling department complete this section and initial.** \_\_\_\_\_

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**High School Resume:** This will be written in resume format. If needed many templates can be found online. The resume should tell the judges:

- Hobbies
- School activities / clubs (dates of memberships and offices held)
- Honors and Awards
- Community service and activities not related to a school club / list number of volunteer hours
- Work experience or internships

List any and all other financial assistance for which you have applied or will receive from another source:

List any partial or full scholarships you have already received ( this includes scholarships colleges may have offered you):

College or technical school to which you have been accepted (attach letter):

University name:

Financial aid contact:

Phone number for financial aid contact:

**\*\*THE JUDGES DECISIONS ARE FINAL\*\***



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## Letter of Recommendation for Sawnee Electric Foundation Scholarship

### To the Recommender

Your willingness to provide information about this individual, who is applying for a Sawnee Electric Youth Scholarship is greatly appreciated. A personal, frank assessment of the applicant is invaluable to the Committee. Thank you for your time in completing this form. Please place your recommendation into a sealed envelope and return it to the student. Recommendations must be returned with the completed application.

Recommendation Letter for \_\_\_\_\_  
(Student Name)

### Recommender Information:

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Position and/or Title \_\_\_\_\_

Organization/School/Company Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. How long and under what circumstances have you known the student?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Please tell the Committee why you feel this student deserves this scholarship.

Recommender Signature \_\_\_\_\_