

THE DOROTHY Z. BICKER SCHOLARSHIP

Clinton County Republican Women's Club

The Dorothy Z. Bicker Scholarship is given annually by the Clinton County Republican Women's Club (and previously the Wilmington Republican Women's Club.) This Scholarship Application requires **that the Applicant must meet** the following qualifications:

- Must be a resident of Clinton County.
- If age 18, must be a registered Republican. If you are not of voting age, then at least one of your parent(s) or guardian(s) must be registered Republicans in Clinton County, having voted in the last Primary AND General Elections.
- Must be a Senior graduating from a Clinton County School (including: Wilmington HS, Clinton Massie HS, Blanchester HS, East Clinton HS, Laurel Oaks, Christian Academy, Virtual/other e-learning institution, or Home-school).
- Must have already been accepted by an Institution of Higher Learning – college, trade school, vocational school, etc.

Scholarship Amount: Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00)

Application Deadline: Friday, March 18, 2022

Email Completed Application to: Clinton County Republican Women's Club Scholarship Committee to Judy Gano at ganolawoffices@gmail.com.

The scholarship recipient will be notified by the Clinton County Republican Women's Club by June 1st.

For more information regarding this Scholarship, please contact your High School Guidance Counselor or Scholarship Committee Member Judy Gano at ganolawoffices@gmail.com.

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Clinton County Republican Women's Club

Full Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle Initial)

Home Address: _____

Telephone # _____

Email address _____

Date of birth: _____

If 18 years old, are you registered to vote? _____

Are you registered to vote as a Republican? _____

Parents'/Guardians' Names: _____

Are they registered to vote as a Republican? _____

Did they vote in the last Primary election? _____

Did they vote in the last General election? _____

High School and Graduation Date: _____

High School Counselor's name: _____

Name of **University** or Institution **where Applicant has been accepted:**

Address: _____

The following must be included as part of your application. Applications that are incomplete and/or do not meet the listed qualifications will be automatically disqualified.

- ___ Letter of acceptance from College/University/Trade School
- ___ Verification of Republican voting status (**done by committee**)
- ___ **500 word essay on the topic: "How do you apply Republican values to your daily life?"**
- ___ 2-3 letters of recommendation, **one of which must be from teacher or counselor**
- ___ Graduating Senior in a Clinton County High school
- ___ Clinton County resident
- ___ **Copy of high school transcript**

Complete answers for the following questions:

1. List your cumulative GPA: _____ Is this GPA weighted or unweighted?

2. What major will you study at your select institution? _____
3. Who, if anyone, in your family, is a member of the Clinton County Republican Women's Club? _____
4. List all Community activities (i.e. volunteer, political, faith-based) with which you have been involved during your high school career. _____

5. List all School/Academic activities (i.e. leadership, sports, clubs) with which you have been involved during your high school career. _____

6. List any other extracurricular activities with which you have been involved during your high school career that were not listed in #4 or 5 above. _____

7. What work experience do you have? _____

8. What are your career goals? _____

9. Why are you applying for this scholarship? _____

10. In what ways have you made a positive difference in your school or community?

Note: Each application will be evaluated for completeness. In the case of a tie, the applicants scoring an equal score, **may** be asked to meet with the scholarship committee for an interview. The ideal candidate will demonstrate an affiliation with Republican ideals and the aptitude for positively impacting his/her community.

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