

**BEDFORD RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.  
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

**(A) Eligibility:**

- (1)** Must be a high school senior committed to attending an accredited post secondary institution. (4 year college, 2 year community college, or trade school etc.)
- (2)** Must provide Bedford Rural Electric Cooperative a copy of your high school transcript.
- (3)** Parent/Guardian (s) primary residence must be served by Bedford Rural Electric Cooperative.
- (4)** Applications must be submitted to Bedford Rural Electric Cooperative by March 1, 2010
- (5)** Recipients will be a full-time student.
- (6)** They will be required to attend Bedford Rural Electric's Annual Meeting the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of April to receive the scholarship.
- (7)** Applicant must submit one reference letter from a teacher or counselor.

**(B) Scholarship:**

- (1)** Bedford Rural Electric Cooperative will award 3 \$1,000.00 scholarships annually.
- (2)** Proof of enrollment in an accredited school is required For the award and payment will be made directly to the Institution

(C) Selection Criteria:

- (1) Scholastic achievement
- (2) Financial need
- (3) GPA average and SAT or ACT scores
- (4) Typed Essay (300 words)
- (5) Extracurricular, Work Experience ,Community, Civic and Volunteer Activities