

**Garrett County Commission for Women
2019-20 Maureen R. Sharps SCHOLARSHIP**

One \$5,000 scholarship will be awarded

(\$2,500 per Fall/Spring Semesters 2019-2020)

Qualifications: You must:

- Be a woman at least 2 years past a high school degree or a high school equivalency (GED);
- Be at least 20 years of age;
- Be accepted to an accredited educational or related academic program at an accredited institution, which will lead to a certificate of completion or degree, and;
- Have lived, worked or attended school in Garrett County for at least the past 5 years.

To apply, you must:

1. Complete an application;
2. Provide a transcript of already attending;
3. Provide proof of enrollment in an accredited vocational, technical, or post-secondary school, college or university; and
4. Get two letters of reference.

Deadline: March 29, 2019

Completed applications with all required supporting documents must be received by March 29, 2019. They should be dropped off at, or mailed to:

**Board of County Commissioners
Attn: GCCW Scholarship
203 South Fourth Street, Room 207
Oakland, MD 21550**

**Garrett County Commission for Women
Maureen R. Sharps Scholarship Application 2019-2020**

Full Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Home Address _____

Telephone (home) _____ Telephone (cell) _____

E-mail _____

Occupation (if other than full-time student) _____

Annual Salary/Income \$ _____ Full/Part Time Employment? _____

Other sources and amounts of household income (does not apply to parents of students who continue to live with parents)

Names and ages of other household members

Name and address of institution you will be attending (attach transcript or letter of acceptance)

Tell us about your educational plans, including program/degree, courses next semester:

What is the cost of the courses/program per semester?

What other plans do you have for financing your education?

Other scholarships you have applied for or received, including from whom, when and amount):

Tell us about your community/social/civic/ involvement.

What else would you like the Scholarship Committee to know about you?

[You may attach additional pages if necessary]

I hereby certify that the information provided on this Scholarship Application is true and accurate to the best of my belief. I have been a resident of Garrett County for the past five years. I have included with this application a copy of any transcripts of previous college level work (or of my high school grades or my GED certificate), letter of acceptance from the school/program I wish to enter (if not already attending as indicated by my transcript), and one letter of reference. The GCCW Scholarship Committee must receive your application packet no later than March 29, 2019. Applications must be complete and will not be accepted if the required documents are not included. Completed applications must be turned in to the Garrett County Commission for Women (GCCW), c/o 203 South 4th Street, Room 207, Oakland, Maryland 21550, by March 29, 2019. For more information, you may contact Lisa Thayer Welch at gccwinfo@gmail.com.

Date

Signature of Applicant