

HEATHER RIGDON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

This \$500 scholarship will be awarded in memory of Heather Rigdon to a high school senior or a postgraduate of **Paris High School** planning to further his/her education in any recognized college or university.

Applicants must submit the following items when applying for **ANY** ECCF scholarships:

1. Complete scholarship application on ECCF website
2. Submit high school and college transcripts (if a college student)
transcripts **must include 1st semester grades for current school year**
3. Submit SAT or ACT scores

Applicants must meet the following criteria to be considered for the **Heather Rigdon Memorial Scholarship**:

1. Submit ALL paperwork from the above list
2. Be a high school **senior** or a **postgraduate** of **Paris High School**
3. Primary eligibility will be based upon **financial need**.
4. GPA and ACT or SAT scores will be considered
5. Have been involved in extracurricular activities, community activities, and volunteering

The selection will be articulated by a committee authorized by the Edgar County Community Foundation Scholarship Coordinator. This committee may be comprised of teachers, community, church or professional leaders dedicated to the enrichment of education. The committee may be comprised of 3, 5, or 7 members with no family members or relatives involved in the selection process. At the conclusion of the selection process, **the Rigdon family will review the top 5 applicants** and present the awards to the recipients in a manner of their choosing that best represents the memorial.

Submissions must be sent to:

eccfscholarship@gmail.com

For questions regarding this award, call Melanie Ogle 217-251-9127

In the event that the recipient receives a full-ride scholarship from another source, this scholarship award will be deemed null and void.