



W. CLAYTON ROBERTSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

SCHOLARSHIP ABSTRACT

The W. Clayton Robertson Scholarship is payable to an institution of higher learning. The Scholarship will be awarded to either a Portsmouth or Western Branch Chesapeake Virginia high school senior attending Clemson University or to a Virginia resident attending Medical College of Virginia.

Applicants shall be: A full-time student who has been accepted to Clemson University or Medical College of Virginia.

Applicants shall have:

- ❑ Grade point average of 3.0 or better on a 4.0 point scale (most recent official transcript required)
- ❑ Two letters of recommendation – one of which is from a teacher or educator knowledgeable of the student

In addition to the above: Applicants should indicate school and extra-curricular activities including, clubs and athletics, work history, volunteer history, and noteworthy achievements.

Selection Committee: Shall be appointed by The Portsmouth Community Foundation Board of Directors

Application: The application form is available on The Portsmouth Community Foundation website at www.thepcf.org. A short essay is included as part of the application. An official transcript is required as well as a letter of acceptance from Clemson University or Medical College of Virginia.

Announcement/Distribution:

The award winner will be announced the last Friday in May – posted on the Foundation’s website at www.thepcf.org

Scholarship availability will be distributed as follows:

- The Portsmouth Community Foundation website
- I.C. Norcom High School Guidance Office
- Churchland High School Guidance Office
- Wilson High School Guidance Office
- Western Branch High School Guidance Office
- Clemson University Financial Aid Office
- Medical College of Virginia Financial Aid Office

Scholarship Awards: Award winners are expected to attend the annual scholarship reception, typically held the last Wednesday in June.