*The Kathleen M. Smedley Memorial Scholarship (established in 2016 by her family) was created to inspire individuals who want to be teachers. Kathleen was a teacher in the McKeesport Area School District for 35 years. She loved teaching and was a ‘favorite’ teacher to many of her students. Kathleen’s family would like to award one $500.00 Scholarship annually to a McKeesport Area High School Senior pursing a Baccalaureate Degree in Elementary, Secondary or Special Education.*

Applicant’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Terms of the Award** – One award given annually to a McKeesport High School Senior; Award is for $500.00 tuition paid directly to the student after proof of enrollment in a College or University.

**Selection Criteria** –

* Have a 75.0 GPA
* Interest in pursuing a degree in Elementary, Secondary or Special Education

**Selection Procedure –** A committee will review all completed applications based on the above criteria. The winner will be notified in May.

**Payment of Award –** The award will be distributed to the student after showing proof of enrollment in a College or University.

**Application Procedure** – Student must submit:

* A completed Scholarship Application Page. (Application page included in scholarship application packet available through McKeesport High School Guidance Office).
* A one-page typed Essay about why you should receive this award.
* An academic transcript from McKeesport Area High School.
* Attach this sheet and ALL of the above and submit to your guidance counselor no later than, March 31th, 2020.

Application Deadline: March 31st, 2020

Application Page

Personal Information:

Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

ZipCode: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Expected Date of High School Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Current GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (attach current transcript)

**Essay**: Type a one-page explanation of why you feel you should be awarded this scholarship.

**Signature**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_