



**COMMUNITY
FOUNDATION**
of the
TEXAS HILL COUNTRY

**CARL AND LERLENE HAMILTON OEHLER MEMORIAL
SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES**

Lerlene Hamilton Oehler was a dedicated and gifted teacher. Her husband, Carl Oehler, was a successful rancher and civic leader. Together, they shared a deep respect and appreciation for the powerful impact of education.

1. The applicant must complete the scholarship application online at www.communityfoundation.net.
2. Applicant must be a current graduating student from Harper High School.
3. Applicant must be in the top quartile of their graduating class.
4. Applicant must be accepted into an accredited college or university (public or private) prior to any scholarship funds being sent to the college or university.
5. Applicant must be considered as a full time student by the college or university he/she attends before scholarship funds are released for the benefit of the Applicant.
6. An individual who has been awarded an initial scholarship by the *CARL & LERLENE HAMILTON OEHLER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND* may submit a request for an additional scholarship in each of the following three years, provided that the recipient maintains a minimum of a 3.0 GPA. Each year, the recipient must reapply for the scholarship online at www.communityfoundation.net by the deadline date and attach a letter outlining the recipient's continued need and qualification for assistance along with proof of grades attained (an official college transcript). They will then be considered along with other qualified applicants for an additional award that year. An award in any one year is neither a guarantee of an award in a future year or an indication that the recipient will be given preference over other applicants in future years.
7. If accepted, scholarship must be claimed within one year or it will be terminated.
8. Application (with all requested attachments) must be complete to be considered.

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS 12 NOON, JANUARY 25, 2019

All applications must be completed online; no paper submissions will be accepted

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