

The Mathews Scholarship Fund

MATHEWS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

HOME TELEPHONE: _____

COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY: _____

DATE OF ADMISSION: _____

DEGREE PROGRAM: _____

MAJOR: _____

MINOR: _____

ATTACHMENTS TO INCLUDE:

- Two letters of reference
- One copy of your high school transcript
(Award winners typically have a B average or better.)
- A short essay of two to three pages on why you have decided to become a teacher. Describe any experiences in the classroom and in extracurricular community activities that influenced your decision.
- Mail all completed applications to Mrs. Janet Anderson, P.O. Box 952, Thomasville, AL 36784.
- All applications must be post marked and mailed no later than March 15, 2021.

Those selected for awards are asked to write a similar essay on their first year's experiences—insights gained from readings, courses that were particularly useful, lessons learned from faculty and fellow students.

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PURPOSES

Initiated by a gift from Forrest Lee Mathews, and later augmented by gifts from family and friends, the Mathews Scholarship Fund perpetuates the memory of Mr. Mathews; his wife, Doris Pearson Mathews; his sister, Louise Mathews Hearn; and his brother, Louis Waldrum Mathews.

The objective of the Scholarship Fund is to assist young people who plan to become teachers. In Clarke County, Alabama, where the Mathews spent most of their careers, the Fund provides scholarships to attract able students into the teaching profession.

The Community Foundation of South Alabama is advised by the following committee members:

Janet Anderson, Chairwoman
Jean Daffin
Dr. Denise Flowers

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