

**Southern West Virginia Community College Foundation, Inc.**  
**Catherine Jane Moran Memorial Scholarship Application**

**Overview**

The scholarship was established in December 2024 in memory of Catherine Jane Moran, a Pikeville, Kentucky, resident and well-known attorney in Williamson, West Virginia.

**Criteria**

1. Scholarships are awarded to students attending Southern WV Community & Technical College.
2. Restricted to students whose yearly family income is below the federal poverty guideline and who have been the victim of abuse or neglect per the Department of Health and Human Services.
3. Students who apply for the scholarship must plan to advance their education in a state or privately funded institution of higher education after completion of their education at Southern.
4. Students must complete FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) to be considered for this scholarship.

Scholarships awarded by the Southern Foundation are “last dollar scholarships” designed to provide funds to students with unmet financial need after applying for other sources of assistance. If a student receives a scholarship, it will be counted in determining his/her financial need and may be reduced if, when combined with other sources of assistance, it exceeds the student’s documented financial need.

**Instructions**

Please complete the application fully and submit it to the External Affairs Office. This scholarship application will be kept on file for the current academic year. Only complete applications will be considered.

You may submit your application in person, by mail, or by email to the following:

Southern West Virginia Community College Foundation  
P. O. Box 2020  
Mount Gay, West Virginia 25637  
Phone: 304-896-7425 or 304-896-7406  
Email: [Development@southernwv.edu](mailto:Development@southernwv.edu)

**Deadlines**

**The priority deadline to submit this application is April 15 for the Fall Semester and October 15 for the Spring Semester.**

Applications submitted after the priority deadline will still be considered for any remaining scholarship funding. A completed application must be submitted for each academic year a student wishes to be considered for scholarships.

**Only those selected for scholarships will be notified.**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Southern E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Other E-Mail (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

High School Graduate: ☐ Yes ☐ No Name of High School: \_\_\_\_\_ G.E.D.: ☐ Yes ☐ No

What is your current Grade Point Average? \_\_\_\_\_ If you are a first-time student, please attach your high school transcript.

Are you presently attending Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College? ☐ Yes ☐ No

STUDENT ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide a brief statement concerning your college plans while attending Southern:

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Please provide a brief statement concerning your college plans after completion of your degree at Southern:

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Please provide a brief statement explaining your financial need:

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Activities, honors, and awards:

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Please provide a list of employment or internships, including the year:

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Have you completed and submitted this academic year's Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)?

(Southern Foundation Policy states that Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) completion is required to be eligible.)

☐ Yes ☐ No      If no, please submit why: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list other financial aid/scholarships you will be receiving:

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Please list the following information while at Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College:

Academic Program/Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Gradation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Read and Sign:**

I authorize Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College and the Southern West Virginia Community College Foundation, Inc., to verify all information in this application. Any institution, agency, or individual may release information to the College or Foundation for verification. The College and Foundation may release this information for verification and/or publicity purposes. I am responsible for informing the External Affairs Office staff of any scholarships, grants, or waivers I receive.

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Student Signature

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Date