



EDWARD L. DODGE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Edward L. Dodge Memorial Scholarship was established by family and friends in honor of Mr. Dodge and his many accomplishments. Edward Dodge graduated from Staunton Military Academy in 1942 and joined the faculty at SMA in 1947, teaching chemistry and math. In 1973, Mr. Dodge went to Shelburne Jr. High where he was assistant principal and a math teacher until his retirement in 1988. He spent a total of 41 years dedicated to education.

Description

The Edward L. Dodge Memorial Scholarship was established in 2004 to provide funds for college scholarships to graduating seniors of Robert E. Lee High School who have financial need and are well rounded. *Preference will be given to students planning to major in mathematics or education.*

Eligibility

- An eligible student must be a senior at Robert E. Lee High School.
- An eligible student must demonstrate financial need, outstanding academic achievement, and strong participation in school and community service/activities.
- An eligible student must be a candidate for high school graduation at the end of the current academic year and plan to enroll at an accredited two-year or four-year college or university in the Continental United States the following academic year.

Selection Criteria

- Financial need - 50%
- Academic merit - 25%
- School and community service/activities - 25%
- Preference given to those students who plan to major in mathematics or education.
- The candidate will be selected by the R.E. Lee High School scholarship selection committee for recommendation to the Community Foundation, in accordance with the Community Foundation's Conflict of Interest Policy.

2010 Award Amount

\$500

How to Apply

Please send completed applications and supporting documents to the Community Foundation of the Central Blue Ridge on or before **April 6, 2010, 3:00 p.m.** (applications must be in-hand on or before April 6th--not postmarked).

- ❖ Completed Application Packet including:
 - General Application
 - Official High School Transcripts
 - Two Letters of Recommendation
 - Financial Need Addendum

Send To: Mail to- P.O. Box 815, Staunton, VA 24402 or hand deliver to 117 South Lewis Street, Staunton
Attention: Menieka K. Garber, Foundation Operations Manager

Note: No close relative of a Community Foundation Board Member, Staff, Donor or the Selection Committee is eligible to apply.