

2010-2011

**P.E.O. VIRGINIA STATE SCHOLARSHIP
And COTTEY COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

This application applies to the 2010-2011 academic year (fall 2010 and spring 2011). The Virginia State Scholarship is available to women who are residents of Virginia, are high school graduates, and are or will be attending an accredited educational institution in the Commonwealth of Virginia as undergraduate students. Applicants must have financial need and be well-rounded in activities. The minimum required GPA is a 3.0 on a 4.0 scale, which can be waived for the Cottey College Scholarship. The Cottey College Scholarship is available to those who will be attending Cottey College. The completed application and supporting documents must be postmarked **by March 15, 2010** or upon enrollment at Cottey College.

Please **type or neatly print** the following information.

Check One:

State of Virginia Application _____

Cottey College Application _____

State of Virginia Renewal _____

Cottey College Renewal _____

Name: (Ms. /Mrs.) _____
Last First Middle

Date of Birth: _____

Current Address: _____

Current Phone: _____ Current e-mail: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Home e-mail _____

Name the Educational Institution you attend or to which you have applied.

What will be your academic standing in September 2010?
freshman _____ sophomore _____ junior _____ senior _____

What is your planned field of study? _____

Are you a member of the P.E.O. Sisterhood? Yes____ No____
If yes, please give your chapter_____

If a relative is a P.E.O. please give her name and chapter.

How did you learn about this scholarship?

Date

Signature of Applicant

If the applicant is under 18, please provide:

Father's/Guardian's Name_____
Address_____

Mother's/Guardian's Name_____
Address_____

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian

PLEASE SEND THE APPLICATION AND THE FOLLOWING ITEMS IN ONE (1) PACKET:

1. An official transcript:
 - A) Incoming college freshmen must send an official high school transcript with a cumulative G.P.A. statement;
 - (B) Current college undergraduates must send an official college transcript with cumulative G.P.A. statement.
 - (C) College freshmen must submit an official high school transcript and an official transcript with a cumulative G.P.A. statement for the first semester of college.
2. A current resume that shall include work experience, extra-curricular activities, community service, and/or church activities.
3. A 300-word essay about yourself, including your hobbies, life, educational and career goals, factors which have favorably or adversely influenced your life, reasons for desiring to attend the educational institution you have chosen, and any other information about yourself which you think pertinent.
4. A copy of Student Aid Report (SAR) from the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
5. Three current letters of recommendation from individuals who know you well. These may include a businessperson, religious leader, current instructor or guidance counselor, or a member of the P.E.O. Sisterhood. These should be in sealed envelopes to insure confidentiality.

Deadline [March 15, 2010](#)

Send to: Beth Gehring, VSSF Chairman
10668 Oakton Ridge Court
Oakton, VA 22124 -1642
(703) 319-8556
jbgehring@verizon.net

- _____ Signed Application
- _____ Official Transcript
- _____ Resume
- _____ Essay
- _____ SAR
- _____ Letters of Recommendation (3)