

Abby's Angels Foundation

Providing Hope & Encouragement to children and their families through Love, Laughter, & the Gift of Life



Abby's Angels Scholarship Presented by: Abby's Angels Foundation

Abby's Angels Foundation was created August 2013 to forever honor our Angel Abby. Abby gave the gift of life through organ donation at the age of 9 on Christmas Day 2012 after succumbing from injuries sustained in a car wreck caused by a teen driver. Abby's Angels Foundation's mission encompasses her legacy of love and giving.

Abby's Angels Foundation is seeking five high school seniors who have been accepted to a 4-year college or university and one senior accepted to a technical or trade school. The foundation will award \$1000 to a senior from East Coweta High School, Newnan High School, Northgate High School, a private/parochial high school and a senior graduating from a high school outside of Coweta County. The sixth scholarship will be awarded to a student accepted to a trade/technical school. The award is based on criteria that extend beyond academics and extracurricular activities. The foundation is seeking students that are actively making a positive impact on the lives of others. The successful candidate will achieve the highest aggregate score on the application as compared to their peers.

The Abby's Angels Scholarship Committee will score the applications on a weighted scale. All applications and information will be kept confidential and no personal information will be shared outside the committee.

Application Deadline is March 31, 2023

The following information is required to be completed and/or included in the application to be considered:

- 1) Name, address, high school, email, contact phone number, and letter of college acceptance.
- 2) Certification that you attended and completed one of the "Fear This 4 Life"(www.tvoc.ws) defensive driving courses within the last four years.
- 3) Two letters of recommendation from a high school counselor, teacher, athletic coach, pastor, religious education instructor, or resource person within the community. This person shall vouch for the applicant's character and ability to make a positive impact on the lives of others.
- 4) An essay of 500 words or less on the following topic:
 - 1) "How I can make a positive impact on my peers with regard to distracted driving."
 - 2) Tell us how you can help reduce the high rate of teen deaths due to destructive decisions while driving. How you can create more awareness on the value of life in the spirit of Abby's Angels Foundation's #1Life1Choice safe driving campaign.

- 5) One letter of verification from a resource person within the school, community, or church that the applicant is an active participant in extracurricular activities such as volunteering, clubs, athletics, band, etc.