

PHILLIP & JANET LAWSON SCHOLARSHIP

The intention of the scholarship is to help pay expenses during the social work program.

Students may receive the scholarship one time per academic degree.

One or more scholarships will be awarded.

This scholarship is available for full-time BSW and MSW (part-time or full-time) candidates.

Student Name: _____ M# _____

Address _____

Street

City

State

Zip

Email address: _____ @mtmail.mtsu.edu

Application request for: ☐ Fall Semester ☐ Both Semesters
☐ Spring Semester

Amount of the scholarship: Varies annually.

To be eligible for this scholarship candidates must meet the following criteria:

1. Any student admitted to the BSW or MSW program.
2. BSW candidates must have a minimum overall GPA of 2.0 or a 2.25 in the social work major; MSW candidates must have a minimum GPA of 3.0.
3. Must have demonstrated financial need.

This application with the following attachments is to be turned in to the Social Work Office, ACB 130, or via email to Sarah Pruitt, Department Coordinator, (Sarah.Pruitt@mtsu.edu), by **February 9, 2024**.

1. **Unofficial transcript printed from Pipeline** (B BSW candidates must have a minimum overall GPA of 2.0 or a 2.25 in the social work major; MSW candidates must have a minimum GPA of 3.0).
2. **Personal statement** (typed, double-spaced) which includes: (minimum of 3 paragraphs)
 - a. Why did you decide to pursue a degree in social work?
 - b. How do you hope to use your degree?
 - c. Rationale as to why you need the scholarship.