



## To the Moon & Back Foundation, Inc. Theresa Moon Memorial Pay It Forward Scholarship

**To the Moon & Back Foundation, Inc.** is built on the mission to *Pay it forward today to make a better tomorrow*. The Foundation was launched in the spirit of Lorain, Ohio native and Lorain City Schools alumna, Ms. Theresa “Tippie” Moon. We are committed to implementing initiatives in honor of Ms. Moon focused on education, health and community engagement to achieve our vision of *changing communities through the power of giving*. Our goal for offering scholarships is to provide assistance to further your growth whether that is within a four-year college, trade school, vocational school, or specialty program such as dance, culinary, music, etc.

### **Eligibility Criteria**

- Lorain High School or Clearview High School (Lorain, OH) Class of 2020 Graduating Senior
- Accepted as a full-time student to an accredited four-year college or university or specialty program (e.g. art, culinary, dance school, etc.) beginning Fall 2020

### **Application Deadline**

Complete application packages must be received via email at [info@ttmab.org](mailto:info@ttmab.org) by **Monday, March 16, 2020**.

### **How to Apply**

The Scholarship Committee will review only those typed applications that are complete with supporting documents and meet all scholarship requirements. For your application to be complete you must submit the below. Please be sure your **typed** application includes **all requirements** before submitting:

#### **Checklist**

- Typed** scholarship application form. Form should be filled in completely using N/A where applicable. Handwritten applications will **not** be reviewed.
- A headshot photo submitted as a JPEG or PNG file.
- Essay (500 words or less) on specified topic. Must be **typed**. Must be written in English.
- Copy or screenshot of college acceptance letter.
- Completed scholarship application packages must be emailed to [info@ttmab.org](mailto:info@ttmab.org)

**For Questions | Email [info@ttmab.org](mailto:info@ttmab.org)**

We are here to help. Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions.

An electronic copy of this form is available at [www.ttmab.org](http://www.ttmab.org)

### Theresa Moon Memorial Pay It Forward Scholarship | \$500

Lorain, Ohio native Toni Morrison, who is a high acclaimed Nobel Prize and Pulitzer Prize winner, shared this valuable advice with her students: "When you get these jobs that you have been so brilliantly trained for, just remember that your real job is that if you are free, you need to free somebody else. If you have some power, then your job is to empower somebody else." Tell us in a **typed 500 or less word** essay, how you will put that message into action by paying it forward to empower others.

Information Form		
<b>First Name:</b>		
<b>Last Name:</b>		
<b>Address:</b>		
<b>City:</b>	<b>State: OH</b>	<b>Zip Code:</b>
<b>Phone:</b>		
<b>Email:</b>		
<b>School Counselor First &amp; Last Name and High School Name:</b>		
<b>Leadership &amp; Membership Activities (e.g. school, church, community, etc.):</b>		
<b>School Attending Fall 2020:</b>		
<b>Anticipated Major:</b>		
<b>List Two Major Goals You Plan to Achieve:</b>		
<b>(Box must be checked to qualify)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, I am a graduating senior at Lorain High School or Clearview High School. By submitting my application for the To the Moon & Back Foundation, Inc. Pay It Forward Scholarships grants permission, release and clearance for To the Moon & Back Foundation, Inc. to use any images and/or other media to be used solely for the purposes of To the Moon & Back Foundation, Inc. for promotional material, and/or publications, and you hereby waive any rights of compensation or ownership, thereto.		

**\*Attach your typed form, typed essay, copy of acceptance letter, and headshot.\***

*We want to see you succeed! Wishing you the best of luck.*