



**2017 Application Packet  
-Dan R. Montgomery Scholarship-**

**Application deadline: 5:00 pm, Friday, April 14, 2017**  
Please do not use binders, reports covers, folders or staples (paper clips ok)

A complete application packet requires:

- ✓ Profile Form
- ✓ Personal Statement
- ✓ Letters of Recommendation
- ✓ Grade Transcript
- ✓ Copy of Student Aid Report (SAR) from FAFSA
- ✓ SAT Scores

**Profile Form**

Name:		
Date of Birth:	County of Residency:	
Mailing Address:	City, State, Zip:	
Temporary Address: (if applicable)	City, State, Zip:	
Date Temporary Address Effective:	From:	To:
Email Address:		
Phone (with area code):	Alternate Phone:	

High School:	Expected Graduation Date:	
Post-Secondary Institution you are planning to attend:		
Choice 1:		
<i>Name</i>		<i>City</i>
Choice 2:		
<i>(if applicable) Name</i>		<i>City</i>
Major:	Degree:	Expected Graduation Date:

*I certify that the information I have provided in this application is true to the best of my knowledge.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature (if applicant under 18 years of age)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Mail or hand-deliver application materials to:  
The Community Foundation of South Puget Sound  
212 Union Avenue SE, Suite 102, Olympia, WA 98501**

**\*\*No fax or electronic submittals will be accepted\*\***

Please contact Valerie Piper with any questions: [vpiper@thecommunityfoundation.com](mailto:vpiper@thecommunityfoundation.com)  
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## Dan R. Montgomery Scholarship

### Overview



Dan R. Montgomery served the residents of Thurston County as their elected Sheriff from 1979 through 1986. Sheriff Montgomery passed away in January 2005. In addition to serving as Thurston County Sheriff, he was a Traffic Officer with the California Highway Patrol and Deputy Sheriff in Yuba County, California in the 1960's and 1970's.

The Montgomery family established the Dan R. Montgomery scholarship fund in 2003 to encourage young women and men to pursue higher education. The specific focus of the fund is for students who wish to pursue the honorable profession of a law enforcement officer. This scholarship may be renewable for up to one additional year; re-application is required. \$1,000 Award

### Eligibility & Selection Criteria

1. Applicant is planning to pursue a professional law enforcement career
2. Applicant must be a High School senior residing in Thurston County
3. Preference will be given to those planning to attend a post-secondary institution in Washington State

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#### ✓ Profile Form

Make certain all information provided is legible, especially the email address as that will be our main method of communicating information to you.

#### ✓ Personal Statement

Write a short statement indicating your reasons for wanting to attend a post-secondary institution, your course of study, and your law enforcement career goals. Include your extracurricular activities (with emphasis on community service, law enforcement or helper roles) and any other information that will show the Committee you are a worthy scholarship recipient.

#### ✓ Two Letters of Recommendation

- A successful letter of recommendation will remark on the student's overall character, achievement and promise
- One of the letters must be from a teacher/advisor
- The letters must have been written within the last year and must contain your full name
- Please **do not** send more than two letters of recommendation.

#### ✓ Grade Transcript

Include a copy of your most recent grade transcript. *Unofficial transcripts are acceptable.*

#### ✓ Copy of Student Aid Report (SAR)

A completed SAR is used to determine your financial need. This document is returned to you when you complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The FAFSA is available from many high school counselors or college financial aid offices. **Be certain that your report includes an EFC number.**

#### ✓ SAT Scores