

# The Joy of Reading Scholarship

## \$500.00

Scholarship opportunity for a current CHS senior who is pursuing a teaching degree with a reading endorsement to receive a one-time \$500 scholarship.

### Selection Criteria

- Applicants must be a senior in the class of 2021 at CHS who will be attending a 4-year university.
- Applicant must be intent on receiving a *teaching degree with a reading endorsement*.
- Must submit a short essay answering each of the 3 questions:
  - Think of a book that you have read in your lifetime (as a child or a recent book) and tell how that book influenced you more than any other book.
  - How will a teaching license benefit your desire to teach students to read?
  - Why do you want to teach students to read?

The Carroll High School senior counselors, Mrs. Sally Gerber, and Betty Gorrell (sponsor of the scholarship) will make the final selection. The award will be announced at the Senior Honors Program.

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### The Joy of Reading Scholarship Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**DEADLINE: Complete above information and return bottom portion of this form along with the short essay by May 1, 2021 to CHS Guidance Office or scan and email to [sally.gerber@nacs.k12.in.us](mailto:sally.gerber@nacs.k12.in.us).**

Additional Information:

If you do not apply for the above scholarship, but later (enrolled in college) decide to pursue a teaching degree with a reading endorsement, please contact Mrs. Gerber (at above email address). You may still be able to receive this scholarship.