The Correll Scholars Program recognizes and prepares exceptionally promising students as future community leaders in our region.

- Awards are $5,000 per student, renewable annually, for a maximum of four years. Twenty (20) scholarships are awarded each year.
- Students must attend East Georgia State College’s Swainsboro campus.
- Correll Scholars who meet eligibility requirements and continue their studies as a junior or senior in a baccalaureate degree program at EGSC will be given first consideration for subsequent year awards.
- No minimum high school GPA or test scores. Primary focus is leadership and service.

**Overview**

The Correll Scholars Program helps today’s students become tomorrow’s leaders.

**Application Process**

The application process is designed to identify students who demonstrate the talent, motivation and potential to transform themselves and their community.

- Completion of EGSC Admissions Application (Automatic Non-Resident Waiver) and acceptance
- Completion of the online Correll Scholars Program Application
- Submission of an essay addressing the topic "How will you use your education to transform your community?" (1,000 word essay)
- Interview

**Where do you see yourself in four years?**

Participating in the Correll Scholars Program will help you achieve your dream!
Join the fun!

CORRELL Scholars Program

Rigorous Program Standards

- Maintain a 3.0 GPA or higher.

- Complete at least 26 credit hours in freshman year to maintain eligibility for sophomore year.

- Participate in a one hour credit course each semester that focuses on issues and challenges facing our region and work collaboratively to design solutions for those challenges.

- First year students will actively participate in tutoring and mentoring of local school students at the Fulford Center.

- Second year students will participate in service internships.

- Attain the Service Seal of Distinction.

Selection of Scholars

Each spring, new applicants will participate in the "Correll Scholars Selection Day" for interviews with faculty, staff, community leaders and donors. Scholars will be selected based upon committee approval.

Criteria:

SCHOLARSHIP

- GPA, SAT, ACT scores
- Challenging course load
- General knowledge beyond field of study
- Ability to think critically

LEADERSHIP

- Ability to make an impact and influence others
- Focus on the global society
- Excellence in communication
- Motivation to excel
- Strong character

SERVICE

- Demonstrated strength in coaching, tutoring and/or mentoring
- Non-profit work experience
- Demonstrated commitment to others

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