

**Betty Lou and George Rutledge  
Future Educators of America Scholarship  
Application**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parents or Guardians \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Number and Ages of Children in Family \_\_\_\_\_

Do you need financial assistance to attend college? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If "yes", please explain \_\_\_\_\_

Will you attend college Full-time \_\_\_\_\_ Part-time \_\_\_\_\_

Future Plans \_\_\_\_\_

Extra Curricular Activities \_\_\_\_\_

Honors \_\_\_\_\_

Church and Community \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member of FEA? If so, please elaborate and who is your sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

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Please list three (3) personal references including address and telephone number

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

High School GPA \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Score: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attending \_\_\_\_\_

**Criteria for the Betty Lou and George Rutledge Future Educators of America Scholarship is as follows:**

1. Completed application
2. Minimum 3.0 GPA
3. Major in Education
4. Attend a public university in Mississippi
5. An essay entitled “*Teaching is a Mission in Itself*” (correct grammar, capitalization, and punctuation – 250 words or less)

***Please submit your application and essay to your Guidance Counselor by  
March 7, 2025.***