**The Ruth Joyce Scholarship Award**

High school female seniors and current female college students who live in Tennessee are encouraged to apply for the Ruth Joyce scholarship to be awarded by **“build her a bridge.”** If students are looking to major in the arts, music, social justice, or education only, this is the scholarship for you. This is in honor of two women Ruth Green and Joyce DeGrasse, the mother and great aunt of the founder of “build her a bridge” who were pioneers for music, arts and education. This is in honor and honorarium for the two of them.

The nonprofit organization will award one $1,000 scholarship to a student who meets the scholarship criteria.

Applicants must have a minimum 3.25 cumulative grade point average to be considered. A 500 word essay on why you should be an award winner, one letter of recommendation are required to complete the application package.

Scholarships are awarded based on a combination of grade point average, needs based, extra-curricular activities, and the quality of the essay.

Please mail the entire scholarship package to the address below.

Attention: Build Her a Bridge

P.O. Box1367

Franklin, TN 37065

You can also email the package to [buildherabridge@gmail.com](mailto:buildherabridge@gmail.com). Applications are due March 28th at 6:00pm.CST.