2020 Traditional Terry Scholarship Application
Essay & Short Answer Questions
(for Incoming Freshman)

General Scholarship Profile – Essay

- **Prompt:** Please write an essay that addresses your degree/major, educational goals, future career plans and why you feel you deserve a scholarship. Be sure to include information about your extracurricular/volunteer activities, leadership skills, your motivation to succeed, and any other experience that has helped shape the person you are today.
  - 500 words or less

Terry Scholarship Application – Short Answers

1. **Financial Prompt:** To gain a better understanding of any financial need, please describe any special circumstances that affect your family’s ability to fund your college expense. (This helps the committee determine your financial need for scholarship.)
   - 250 words or less

2. **UTEP Prompt:** Why have you chosen to apply to UTEP?
   - 250 words or less

3. **Major Prompt:** Why have you chosen your academic major(s)?
   - 250 words or less

Terry Scholarship Application – Essay Questions

1. **Tell Us Your Story (Essay #1 Prompt):** Tell us your story. What unique opportunities or challenges have you experienced throughout your high school career that have shaped who you are today?
   - 500 words or less

2. **Leadership (Essay #2 Prompt):** Describe a specific situation in which you demonstrated leadership in your school or community. Describe your actions and explain what was accomplished.
   - 500 words or less