

# ON BEHALF OF THE METUCHEN- EDISON BRANCH OF THE NAACP

## THOMAS E. TEAGLE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Thomas E. Teagle was a long-time educator in Linden, NJ. He was the first Black teacher in the Linden public school system, and the second Black principal. Thomas received a B.S. Ed from William Paterson State College, and an M.A. from Newark State College (Kean University) in Administration and Supervision. Additionally, he completed coursework at the University of Pennsylvania.

As a man who was dedicated to his community, Mr. Teagle was a founder of the local Boy Scout troop, and coached baseball and basketball. He was a member of the Acacia Lodge No. 23, F. & A.M of Roselle and served on their scholarship committee.

Thomas was the uncle of MEAB-NAACP member Wayneitha Mallette. This scholarship honors his memory and his commitment to education. Two scholarships will be awarded annually in the amount of \$750.

### Scholarship Requirements

- Applicants must be a junior or senior currently majoring in Education at an accredited college or university.
- Applicant must have a minimum GPA of 2.75 on a 4.0 grading scale.
- Only New Jersey residents will be considered.
- Submit the application form at (<https://forms.gle/jd9eQKhpXc59WkRPA>), a copy of your current transcript, and a 250-word minimum essay on “What Motivates Me to Pursue a Career in Education.”

**Deadline: November 30, 2023**

Submit your application to [teagle.scholarship@gmail.com](mailto:teagle.scholarship@gmail.com).  
Please use Teagle Scholarship Fund in the subject line.

