



Suffolk(VA) Chapter of The Links, Incorporated

Scholarship Criteria and Guidelines

Criteria

1. The applicant must be a graduating senior from a public high school in Suffolk, Virginia or other service area of Suffolk(VA) Chapter of The Links, Incorporated.
2. The applicant must have a minimum grade point average of 2.5, on a 4.0 scale.
3. The applicant must be a student who plans to pursue a college degree.
4. The applicant must demonstrate or document financial need.

Guidelines for Submission

1. The applicant must submit an official high school transcript.
2. The applicant must submit two letters of recommendation from a high school principal, counselor, teacher, sponsor, minister, or other community leaders. No relative of applicant may submit a letter of recommendation.
3. Completed application and other requested documentation/information must be postmarked by **April 12, 2019** and mailed, or may be hand-delivered, to the Chairperson of the Scholarship Committee:

**Shirley Y. Barnes, Chairperson
Scholarship Committee
2121 Partridge Place
Suffolk, Virginia 23433**

4. The Scholarship Committee will review all applications; consider recommendations; and make final selection(s), solely under the auspices of Suffolk(VA) Chapter of The Links, Incorporated.
5. The scholarship will be given to the awardee, after the committee has received verification from the college or university registrar's office, validating that the student/awardee is enrolled as a full-time student.



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2019 Scholarship Application Packet Checklist

These items must be included in your application packet to be considered. No exceptions will be allowed. Use this checklist to confirm your application packet is complete.

Please do not attach this form to your application.

Your application packet must include the following in order:

- 1. Application**
- 2. Official high school transcript**
- 3. Two letters of recommendations**
- 4. If scholarship is awarded, provide proof of enrollment from college or university registrar's office.**

Completed application and other required documentation and information must be postmarked or hand delivered by April 12, 2019 to be considered. Applications received or postmarked after April 12, 2019 will not be considered.



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Suffolk, Virginia

Scholarship Application Form

Please type or print, using black or blue ink only.

Name _____
Last First Middle

Address _____
Street City State Zip Code

Telephone _____ Date of Birth _____

School _____ Last (4) digits of Social Security # _____

Class Rank _____ GPA _____ Graduation Date _____

Parent/Guardian
Name _____

Name of college or university you plan to attend _____

Major _____

Number of siblings residing in the home _____

Number of family members living in the home _____

Total Family Annual Income _____

Does your family own your home? ___ Currently purchasing your home? ___

Currently renting your home? ___ Other _____

1. List school activities in which you have participated/are participating , include, leadership positions in which you served/are serving.

2. List your church involvements and other community activities.

3. List honors and awards you have received.

4. Please state your career goals, in well-developed paragraphs. Tell why you believe this scholarship will help you to reach your goals. (Attach an additional page, if necessary.)

Student
Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian
Signature _____ Date _____