100
BLACK MEN OF AMERICA, INC.®

National Scholarship Program
2015 - 2016
100 BLACK MEN OF AMERICA, INC.
2015-2016 NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
APPLICATION PACKET OVERVIEW

Dear Applicant:

The 100 Black Men of America, Inc. is committed to the growth and development of America’s youth. In addition to engaging in mentoring, education, health & wellness, and economic development programs, we feel it is important to aid in developing talented young Americans in pursuit of higher education. Through gifts provided by our corporate sponsors, the 100 Black Men of America, Inc. is able to provide scholarships to deserving college students on an equal opportunity basis regardless of race, sex, creed, or religious preference.

The 100 Black Men of America’s National Scholarship application is available to students who maintain full time status at an accredited, post-secondary institution beginning in the fall of the year. Applicants must meet all of the eligibility requirements and deadlines to qualify. Scholarship awards range from $1,000 to $3,000 and should be applied towards tuition, room, board, and books. Checks will be mailed from the World Headquarters office and made payable to the institution.

All applications must be submitted via PDF to scholarship@100bmoa.org. U.S. mailed, facsimiles, or incomplete applications will not be accepted. Current scholarship recipients must re-apply each year. Application packets must be submitted no later than February 28, 2015. Notification of scholarships will be sent to all applicants by June 30, 2015.

Eligibility Criteria

- High school seniors transitioning to college
- College undergraduates currently enrolled in college
- Minimum grade point average of 2.5
- Enrolled in a post-secondary institution
- Planning to attend an institution for an entire academic year, beginning in the fall of 2015

Scholarship Application

The 100 Black Men of America’s National Scholarship application will be available after November 1st and may be acquired from a local Chapter, our World Headquarters, or our web site www.100blackmen.org. Applications and corresponding materials must be typed and submitted electronically.

Essay

Applicants are required to submit a 500 word or less essay answering the following two questions. The essay must be typed using 12 point font and double-spaced.

1. Why do you need financial assistance in the form of a scholarship?

2. How would a scholarship specifically benefit you during your college enrollment?
Official Academic Transcript
Applicants must request an official academic transcript from their most recent high school, college, or university. All transcripts must have an official raised seal and/or official signature to be valid. Transcripts that do not have a raised seal and/or signature will not be accepted. Class schedules, report cards, or progress reports will not be accepted. Transcripts must be uploaded and submitted with the application packets; or sent via US Mail directly from the institution to the address provided below.

100 Black Men of America, Inc.
Attn: National Scholarship Administrator
141 Auburn Avenue
Atlanta, GA 30303

Verification of Financial Need Letter
Applicants must demonstrate their financial need as indicated by two letters of verification from a teacher, guidance counselor, 100 Black Men Chapter President, etc.

Recommendation Letter
Applicants must submit one letter of recommendation from a teacher, guidance counselor, or a non-related family member.
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100 Black Men Affiliation:
[Check all that Apply]  □ Mentee  □ Collegiate 100  □ Affiliate  □ No Association

Student Profile:

Name _________________________________________________________________

Address ______________________________________________________________

City| State| Zip __________________________ Home Phone __________________________

Email Address: __________________________ Cell Phone __________________________

Student ID Number ______________________________________________________

Date of Birth __________________________ __________________________

100 Black Men Affiliation:

What is the name of the 100 Black Men Chapter or Collegiate 100 Chapter that you are affiliated with?

Chapter’s Name: ______________________________________________________

100 Black Men Mentor/Collegiate 100 Chapter Advisor’s Name and Contact Information:
______________________________________________________________________________

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Are you involved in any 100 Black Men program initiatives (i.e. mentoring, educational programs)?

□ YES  □ NO If yes, list the program(s):
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Academic Profile:

High School Information *(For applicants who are in High School and transitioning to college only)*

Name ______________________________________________________

Address ______________________________________________________

City| State| Zip __________________________ Phone _________________________

Grade Point Average __________________________________________

Collegiate Enrollment Information *(High School applicants should provide information on the university they have been accepted to or plan to attend)*

Name ______________________________________________________

Address ______________________________________________________

City| State| Zip __________________________ Phone _________________________

Stage Point Average ___________________ Major Field of Study __________________

List your involvement in any extracurricular activities, school organizations, or professional associations.

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Briefly state your career goals in 25 words or less.

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Were you a previous Future Leader scholarship recipient? □ YES □ NO If YES, what year? ________

Internal Use Only:

Award Amount: $ ___________ Reviewed By: ________________________________

Deficiencies: □ Application □ GPA □ Essay □ Transcript □ Verification Letter □ Reference Letter

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