



Ivy & Pearl Foundation of Dallas
P. O. Box 224487
Dallas, Texas 75222-4487

HBCU For LIFE Scholarship

Application Summary

Instructions:

1. Read the entire application before you begin completing it. Use blank paper to compose answers so that you can transfer them onto the application form in a neat and orderly fashion. You may type or print neatly on the application form.
2. Attach/upload a headshot photo of yourself to the application in the space provided. This photo should be conservative. By signing this application, you release the Ivy & Pearl Foundation of Dallas and Alpha Xi Omega Chapter to use your photograph and biographical information for possible articles in the media.
3. You will need to request a letter of recommendation from three adults (non-relatives) who know your academic ability, special talents and character. Two letters should be written by school officials on school letterhead, such as your counselor, principal, teacher, etc. A community leader, minister or supervisor from your employment must write the third letter. Please be sure the writer signs the letter. The letters should be addressed to Ivy & Pearl Foundation of Dallas, **HBCU For LIFE** Scholarship Application, ATTN: RoseMary Bolden, P.O. Box 224487, Dallas, Texas 75222-4487.
4. Provide the following with your completed application:
 - a. An official copy of your transcript through December 31, 2020, that contains your rank in class, the number of students in your graduating class, and SAT or ACT test scores
 - b. Three letters of recommendations: two from school personnel, and one from a civic leader, minister, or a work supervisor (non-relative) in the community
 - c. Your completed application form
 - d. Copy of Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) **or** proof of family income
5. Your complete packet of materials must be **postmarked by February 22, 2021**. Applications postmarked after this date, or with incomplete information will not be considered. Materials must be received as a packet and will not be accepted separately.

Conditions:

1. Only eligible male and female students from Dallas County area who are graduating from high school with a B (3.00) or higher overall grade point average, applied for admission and plan to attend a Historically Black College or University (**HBCU**) should apply for this scholarship.
2. The application form must be fully completed with test scores, transcript through **December 31, 2020**, photo, rank in class, number in graduating class, financial documentation and the three letters of recommendations, as specified in Item 3 of the instructions above are required.
3. The Scholarship Committee will screen application packets and select finalists. The Scholarship Interview Committee will notify finalists of the interview time and place.
4. For the scholarship presentation, the 2021 scholarship recipient will be awarded the scholarship at his or her Awards Program/Ceremony on their school campus by the president or her designee.
5. The selected recipient will receive a one-time undergraduate scholarship valued at a minimum \$1,500.00, payable to the **HBCU** Financial Aid Office and the student; therefore, provide proven acceptance at a 4-year **HBCU** college or university.
6. Provide record of participation in school and civic activities and attach the community service documentation form provided in this packet.
7. The Scholarship may be forfeited if the recipient does not meet the eligibility factor below:
 - a. Fall 2021 Registration as a full-time student at a 4-year **HBCU** (Community colleges cannot be substituted).
8. Financial need will be considered.

Deadline for submission: February 22, 2021 - APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY MAIL ONLY

Amount of Scholarship: One Time \$1,500.00

Contact Person:

Ivy & Pearl Foundation of Dallas
HBCU For LIFE Scholarship
c/o RoseMary Bolden, Scholarship Chairman
P. O. Box 224487
Dallas, TX 75222-4487
Telephone 972-824-0297 (cellular)
Email: scholarship@akaaxo.org



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT

RELATIONSHIP DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

This Disclosure Statement is to determine if the scholarship applicant has a familial relationship with members of Ivy & Pearl Foundation of Dallas (Foundation) or with an outside major contributor of the Foundation. “Major contributor” is defined as a non-member who contributed or bequeathed a total amount of more than \$5,000 to the Foundation. A person with such a relationship shall be disqualified from receiving scholarships.

Please select one:

- The Applicant is not aware of a family relationship to any member of Ivy & Pearl Foundation of Dallas/Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., Alpha Xi Omega Chapter.
- The Applicant is aware of the following blood relationship to the following member of Ivy & Pearl Foundation of Dallas/Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., Alpha Xi Omega Chapter.

I understand by affixing my signature, if I have a familial relationship with a member(s) of Ivy and Pearl Foundation of Dallas, I am not eligible to apply for this scholarship.

Name: _____

Relationship: _____

Applicant Name:

Printed Name

Signature

Date

FOR OFFICIAL USE

Verified By: _____ Date: _____



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Please Attach/Upload Photo

Please Print or Type

Name _____
(Last) (First) (MI)

Home Address _____

Email Address _____ Telephone # _____

Social Security # (Last 4 Digits) _____ Date of Birth _____

Parent(s) name: _____

Parents Telephone # _____ Parents Email Address _____

Total number of siblings _____ Number of siblings in College _____

High School Name _____

High School Address _____

Have you contributed 100 hours of community service in the last year? Yes No
(Please attach your Community Service documentation or use the form that is included in this packet.)



List Extra-Curricular Activities

State Educational Goals:

Names of Historically Black College and Universities (HBCU's) that have accepted you:

(The person selected must provide college acceptance letter.)



PERSONAL HISTORY AND STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL NEED

Briefly summarize your personal information: Specifically describe your philosophy of life, career objectives and special talents. Include a statement about your family life and explain why you need the scholarship. Please limit your response to the space below.

okay lets try it this way and see what happens. OMG, I need to figure out how to install a box so that we won't have this

_____ Applicant's Signature _____ Date

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Application Checklist

Date Application Received by Committee _____

Scholarship Submission Items	Yes	No
Completed Application		
Photograph		
Three letters of Recommendation		
Official Transcript Enclosed (Sealed)		
SAT or ACT Scores		
Proof of Financial Need (FAFSE report)		



Community Service Form

Please use this form to provide a summary of your community service activities during high school. Return this form along with the scholarship application by February 22, 2021. If you need to report more than 10 community service activities, attach additional pages.

Name _____

Date	Organization Name	Activity Performed	Coordinator Name & Phone #	# of hours	Coordinator Signature

Total Hours _____