



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Tucker High School (THS) Foundation is pleased to offer a one-time scholarship to two graduating high school seniors (one male and one female) this year. Consideration for this opportunity will be given to interested students who meet the eligibility criteria listed below:

Eligibility criteria:

- Must be a graduating THS senior
- Must have applied for admission (Fall 2020) as a full-time student in an undergraduate degree program at an accredited college or university for when the application is submitted. (Note: College acceptance will be confirmed before scholarship funds are awarded.)
- Must have a minimum 3.0 GPA
- Must be enrolled in the DeKalb County Schools Free and Reduced Meal Program
- Must have attended THS for a minimum of 3 years

Applicants must submit the following:

- Completed Application form
- Essay entitled "How THS Has Influenced Me" (500-1,000 words)
- A copy of most recent THS transcript

Applications will be evaluated based on the student's transcript and GPA, evidence of applying to colleges, involvement in extracurricular activities, and the extent to which the essay provides a clear and thoughtful reflection of the student's experiences at THS. The essay represents half the evaluation score.

Application packages must be submitted to the THS Foundation at thsf.contact@gmail.com no later than 11:59 pm, March 20, 2020.

Late applications will not be considered. Incomplete packages will not be considered. Applications that do not meet the eligibility requirements will not be considered and will be returned to the applicant without action.

Award recipients will each receive one \$1,000 scholarship. The recipients will be announced at the THS Spring Honors Program. The \$1,000 scholarship will be provided to the recipients once proof of enrollment in their chosen college or university is provided to the THS Foundation (for example, copy of fall 2020 schedule).

Short Essay (required)

Submit an essay addressing the topic: **“How THS Has Influenced Me.”** The essay should describe how you have been positively influenced by your experiences at THS. Your essay should provide a clear and thoughtful reflection of your experiences and how they have influenced you. It must be typed and be between 500 and 1,000 words.

I understand that completion of this application does not imply nor guarantee that I will be awarded a scholarship from the THS Foundation. I further acknowledge that I understand the eligibility requirements and award recipient requirements as outlined in the information package.

Applicant’s Signature (required) and Date

If applicant is a minor (under age 18), the signature of a parent or guardian is required.

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Please submit questions to the THS Foundation mailbox at thsf.contact@gmail.com.