

**Delegate Tawanna P. Gaines
District 22
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Annapolis Maryland 21401
Scholarship Application**

Please print legibly or type. Answer every question.

If you cannot complete your answer in the space provided attach a separate sheet of paper with your name and social security number at the top that lists the full question and your answer. For such a question, please write "See Attached" on the application.

Mr. _____ Mrs. _____ Ms. _____ Miss _____

Last Name First Name Middle Initial Date of Birth

Address on driver's license or voter registration card

Social Security # (Required by The Higher Education Commission) Home Phone Cell Phone

E-mail Address

Years at this address: _____ Single: _____ Married: _____ U.S. Citizen: _____

Have you received a House of Delegate Scholarship in the past? _____ If yes, please name the Delegate(s), amount(s) and year(s) received: _____

I will receive my diploma from _____ on _____
High School/College Date

I took the SAT/ACT on _____ SAT/ACT Scores _____ / _____ Last Semester's GPA _____
[if you have not completed one full year of college] Verbal Math

To date I have completed _____ years of education. School presently attending _____

Cumulative Grade Point Average _____
High School College

Schools I have applied to:
1st Choice school _____ 1st choice school in Maryland _____

I will be a _____ full-time _____ part-time student. If part-time, _____ credit hours per semester.

I will be attending College/Technical School next fall as a:
_____ Freshman _____ Sophomore _____ Junior _____ Senior _____ Graduate Student

List any extracurricular, volunteer, religious, civic and/or community service activities in which you have participated, in order of importance.

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List special honors you received, achievements, advanced courses that were taken for credit, or outside activities you participated in during the past three years.

Please describe other financial resources that you expect to receive, including scholarships and family support.

If you are aware of any additional information that might be of help to the Scholarship committee, please include it here. Include information relating to financial need and unusual situations that you feel would be relevant to the committee.

Does anyone claim you as a dependent_____ If so, what is your total family income_____ [For total family income, please utilize the number on your FASFA]

ESSAY – Please attach a statement of not more than 300 words describing what you hope to accomplish at the institution of higher learning you are planning on attending, and how you plan on utilizing this education after your graduation. [At the top of your essay, please include your name and social security number]

Letters of reference, while not required, are encouraged. Please choose up to three people who are familiar with your personality, skills and potential. You may wish to choose a teacher, employer or any individual who may have knowledge of your work/school experience or achievements. You may include the letters with your application, or you may have them submit the letter directly to the office. E-mail delivery of letters of reference and all application documents is preferred. Letters received after April 1st, 2012 at 5 PM will not be considered.

Parent or Guardian’s Signature _____ Date _____ Applicant’s Signature _____ Date _____
[If applicant is under 18 years old]

After completing this form, use the attached checklist to insure you are including all of the required parts to make this application complete. Applications with all documentation and letters of reference should be e-mailed to ppowers@house.state.md.us with Scholarship Application in the subject line. Hard copies of the applications will be accepted (e-mail is preferred) and should be delivered to the address below.

All applications must be received by 5PM April 1, 2012 to be considered.

The Honorable Tawanna P. Gaines
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If you have any questions, please call 301-858-3058.