

Missouri City Juneteenth Celebration Foundation Academic Scholarship Application

Description: For almost two decades, companies like H-E-B, Primeway Federal Credit Union, Wells Fargo Bank, UPS, and other caring businesses have helped the Missouri City Juneteenth Celebration Foundation (MCJCF) award scholarships to deserving Fort Bend County students, who have gone on to attend accredited colleges or universities.

Some of your neighbors who have received MCJCF scholarships have attended University of Texas, Baylor University, Tuskegee University, Texas Tech, Notre Dame, Stephen F. Austin State University, Prairie View A & M University, University of Missouri – Columbia, and Texas College.

Application Process: Applications may be secured by going online at **www.MCJCF.com** or calling 281.816-6441 for further instruction.

The application <u>must</u> include:

- Completed application form (including essay)
- Official high school or college transcript
- SAT and/or ACT scores
- two letters of reference

Selection Process: The MCJCF Scholarship Committee will select recipients based on their written applications. Applicants may also be required to attend an interview with the scholarship committee prior to final selections.

Confidentiality: All information submitted by the applicant will be held in strict confidence by the scholarship committee and used only with the prior consent of the applicant.

Selection Criteria and Guidelines: Applicants will be reviewed based on their educational preparation, academic accomplishments, desire to attend college, community and/or civic involvement, financial need, and the content and completeness of the application.

Nominee must complete the scholarship application and fulfill all requirements. **Applications must be postmarked no later than** <u>May 15th.</u>

- 1. Nominees must be Fort Bend County School District attendees or a past MCJCF scholarship recipient and must be planning to attend an accredited college or university.
- 2. Candidates must be willing to participate in an interview with the MCJCF Scholarship Committee.
- 3. Scholarship recipients <u>must attend</u> the MCJCF Community Service Awards Gala and participate in the Juneteenth "Mile of Smiles Parade."
- 4. Scholarships will be awarded to the selected students upon receipt of a college acceptance letter and evidence of registration from the university or college.

(The scholarship is not transferable and may not be sold or used by anyone other than the applicant.)

Mail all required documentation to the following address:

Missouri City Juneteenth Celebration Foundation Scholarship Committee P. O. Box 1007 Missouri City, Texas 77459

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Applicant Information	
Name	
Address	
Phone Number(s) Cell	Home
Email Address	
Family Information	
Father's Name	Mother's Name
Address	Address
Occupation	Occupation
Phone Number	Phone Number
Number of Siblings	
Have you been accepted at an accredited college or university? YesNo	
If yes, please attach a copy of the acceptance letter. If not, please indicate which school you plan to attend.	

MISSOURI CITY JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION FOUNDATION **Scholarship Application** How did you hear about this scholarship? What degree will you pursue? Have you received any other scholarships? Yes___No___ (If so, please list names and amounts.) List community and/or civic involvement: List extra-curricular activities in which you have participated: Did you work while Yes___No___ attending school? **Employment history:**

Essay Question	
In one page or less, write an essay explaining why you feel you should be the recipient of a scholarship from the Missouri City Juneteenth Celebration Foundation.	
Applicant Signature Date	