



Monday, March 1, 2021

Re: Scholarship Opportunity

Dear Future Wildcat,

Congratulations on being accepted to Bethune-Cookman University for the Fall 2021 Term. As an alumni chapter, we are super excited about your journey ahead and are here to offer guidance and support for you along the way. With that, we are extending a scholarship opportunity in the amount of \$1000 for Graduating Seniors who reside in Duval or surrounding counties, have taken the SAT/ACT and earned a score of at least 1050/17, and have a minimum GPA of 3.0. Funds can be used for housing, books, dorm supplies, or any school related needs. In return, we just ask that you submit the enclosed scholarship application as well as the following documents:

- A copy of your Letter of Acceptance from Bethune-Cookman University.
- A copy of the FASFA (Financial Aid Application for Student Assistance) letter of determination based on financial need.
- A letter from a minimum of two organizations or sponsors verifying community service or volunteer hours.
- A List of honors and awards and extra-curricular activities (High School).
- An official transcript (unopened) with a school seal.
- 2 letters of recommendation from a Teacher, Guidance Counselor, Principal, Mentor Supervisor, Pastor, or B-CU Alumni.
- A 2-Page Essay (12 pt. font) to include one of the following topics:
 - “Why is Accomplishing a College Education Important to Me?”
 - “Why I chose Bethune-Cookman University?”

Mail Completed Application & ALL Requested Documents by June 30, 2021 to:

Duval/Nassau County Chapter of the National Alumni Association
Bethune-Cookman University
Attn: Scholarship Committee
P.O Box 41291
Jacksonville, Florida 32203

*****Please Note That No Late Applications Will Be Scored*****

Please address any additional questions to our Scholarship Chair, Mrs. Sandra B. Milton at (904) 463-1311 or lafayeisworthy@bellsouth.net.

Best Wishes,

Sandra B. Milton

Scholarship Chair, Duval/Nassau County Chapter

Channell Jones

President, Duval/Nassau County Chapter



Scholarship Application Check List

*****Please work to check off items below to ensure that ALL necessary documentation is included with your application before submission*****

Applicant's Name: _____

- _____ **#1**-An official (sealed) transcript from the Guidance Department to indicate a grade point average of 3.0 or higher (weighted).
- _____ **#2**- A copy of ACT or SAT Test Scores (17 or higher on the ACT or 1050 or higher on the SAT).
- _____ **#3**- A List of Honors or Awards (High School)
- _____ **#4**- A List of Extra-Curricular Activities (High School).
- _____ **#5**- Proof of community service or volunteer hours.
- _____ **#6**- A copy of a FASFA Financial Aid Eligibility Letter.
- _____ **#7**- Letter of Acceptance to Bethune-Cookman University.
- _____ **#8**- Two letters of recommendation.
- _____ **#9**- A 2-Page (12 font) essay on "Why is Accomplishing a College Education Important to Me?" or "Why I chose Bethune-Cookman University?" Note: Please have a Teacher, Guidance Counselor, Parent/Guardian, or Mentor proofread your essay to prevent grammatical/spelling errors.
- _____ **#10**-Large envelope to mail the completed application & additional documents to:

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