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ANNUAL  
CRYSTAL AWARD  
SCHOLARSHIP

# The Dallas Housing Authority 2015 CRYSTAL Awards Scholarship

*"Celebrating Rising Youth in their Success, Talents, Achievements and Leadership"*

The Dallas Housing Authority (DHA) encourages academic excellence, high self-esteem, outstanding leadership and community involvement among our high school students. In recognition of the many great contributions and achievements of our "2015" Graduating Class DHA has implemented a scholarship program for those students preparing to enter college, technical or vocational school.

Official Scholarship Rules and Regulations

CRYSTAL Award Scholarship packets

**Must be** postmarked by Thursday, April 30, 2015

## **Eligibility:**

- 2015 graduate (high school diploma or GED)
- Enrolling in an institution of higher learning for the Fall 2015 Semester
- Reside in Public or Section 8 Housing
- Must have completed the CRYSTAL Award Preparation Training Seminar (CAPTS)
- Must participate in DHA's Community Service Project

## **To Apply:**

- Submit a completed CRYSTAL Awards Scholarship packet
- Submit a 500 word typed essay on ***"Why Should the Dallas Housing Authority Invest in My Education"?*** **Make sure the Topic is at the top of your paper and your name should be on all sheets of your essay.**
- One recommendation letter (letters can be from employer, community representative, or school official)

## ***Judging***

### ***Packet:***

- Presentation (overall packet)
- Completion (application, Let's Talk About You, essay & recommendation letter)

### ***Each Essay will be judged on:***

- Quality of content
- Ability to captivate the reader
- Originality
- Correct grammar usage (punctuation and spelling)
- Overall presentation

# Rules for Top Awards

## The Albert C. Black, Jr. Scholarship Award

This award will be presented honoring a deserving 2015 graduate who has demonstrated academic excellence, high self-esteem, outstanding leadership, community responsibility and **who will be attending a four-year institution.**

## The CRYSTAL Leadership Award

This award will be presented to two (2) deserving students (One male and one female) that has demonstrated exceptional leadership in their community and school. The recipients of this award will **attend a four-year institution of higher learning.**

### **Please Note:**

***If you are the recipient for the **Albert Black**, or the **CRYSTAL Leadership Award**, and you do not attend a four-year university or attend school for the Fall Semester you would forfeit your scholarship.***

# Dallas Housing Authority Education Registration Form

Date of Application \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First MI

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Number Street Apt. #

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Housing Development Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(If you reside in Public Housing indicate the Development's Name or if you are in the Section 8 Program indicate)

Home Tel. # \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Cell # \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

Check One:

1. Sex Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

2. What is the name of the institution that you plan to attend? \_\_\_\_\_  
Have you been accepted to this institution of higher learning (college, vocational, or technical school)?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ or No \_\_\_\_\_

3. Have you completed the Free Application for Student Aid (FAFSA)?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ or No \_\_\_\_\_

4. Date of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_

5. SAT Score \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Score \_\_\_\_\_

6. Grade Point Average (GPA) \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are You an Athlete?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ or No \_\_\_\_\_

(Answer #8 only if you answered yes to question #7)

8. Are you registered with the NCAA Clearing House? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ or No \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Name \_\_\_\_\_  
First Last *Mother Tel. No.*

Parent(s) Name \_\_\_\_\_  
First Last *Father Tel. No.*



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## *Let's Talk About You...* (Print or Type)

Volunteer /Community Service Activities:

Extracurricular School and Community Activities  
(If you hold an office in any organization list that in this section:

Family Responsibilities (i.e. clean the kitchen, baby sit, takes out the trash etc.)

Employment Responsibilities:

List Three Adjectives That Best Describe You:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.



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*Mail or deliver completed Scholarship packets  
To:*

*Chyrel E. Roseborough  
Education Coordinator  
Resident Services Department  
Dallas Housing Authority  
3939 North Hampton Rd.  
Dallas, TX. 75212*

**Packets must be postmarked by Thursday, April 30, 2015**

*If you have any Questions please do not hesitate to contact  
Chyrel E. Roseborough (214) 224-3622 or email me at  
[croseborough@dhadal.com](mailto:croseborough@dhadal.com)*



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## CRYSTAL AWARDS PREPARATION TRAINING SESSION (C.A.P.T.S.)

### Schedule

All Session are 5:00 P.m. to 6:30 P.M.

At

3939 N. Hampton Rd.

Dallas, TX. 75212

Session	Date
Session 1	Tuesday, April 7, 2015 Wednesday, April 8, 2015
Session 2	Tuesday, April 14, 2015 Wednesday, April 15, 2015
Session 3	Tuesday, April 21, 2015 Wednesday, April 22, 2015
Session 4	Tuesday, April 28, 2015 Wednesday, April 29, 2015