



2014

Phoenix Scholarship Award



For
Returning College Students Only

Phoenix Scholarship Awards

The Dallas Housing Authority (DHA) encourages academic excellence, high self-esteem, positive self-image outstanding leadership and community involvement among our students. Many of our residents need assistance in continuing their pursuit of a higher education. The Phoenix Scholarship Award has been implemented for returning college students to help off set some of the cost of the student's education.

Eligibility

- A student must reside in Public or Section 8 Housing
- A student must be at least preparing to enter his/ her second year in an institution of higher learning.
- A Cumulative GPA of 2.75
- Complete eight (8) hours of Community Service with DHA (must be approved)
- Complete eight (8) hours of Community Service with an agency of applicant's choice

How to Apply

All candidates for the Phoenix Foundation Scholarship must submit:

- A completed Phoenix Foundation Scholarship Packet
- Proof of registration
- An official transcript
- Proof of Community Service
(Documented on Agency Letterhead with contact name and number)
- Address & telephone number of the institution of higher learning
- Address & telephone number of the department that the scholarship will be disbursed
(i.e. financial aid office, bursar's office, business office, etc.)
- Student's address & telephone number on campus
- Two letters of recommendation
- A typed 500-word essay on the topic: **“Why Should the Phoenix Self-Sufficiency Foundation Continue to Contribute to Students' Education?”**
- **Your essay must contain at least three points supporting your answer.**
- **Defend each point**
- If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me at 224-3622 or Email croseborough@dhadal.com

Application Deadline will be Friday, February 7, 2014

The Dallas Housing Authority
Resident Services Department
Attn: Chyrel E. Roseborough
Education Coordinator
3939 North Hampton
Dallas, TX 75212

Phoenix Scholarship Application

Date of Application _____

Student's Name _____
LAST FIRST MI

Address _____
NUMBER STREET APT#

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Housing Program: _____

(If you live in Public Housing give the Development name or if you are on the Voucher/ Sec.8 Program write that)

Tel. # _____ - _____

Check One:

1. Sex: Male _____ Female _____

2. What is the name of the institution that you attend? _____

3. Grade Point Average (GPA) _____

4. What is your classification? (Check one) Freshman _____ Sophomore _____
Junior _____ Senior _____

5. Were you a Dallas Housing Authority CRYSTAL Awards Scholarship recipient?

Yes [] or No [] If yes what year? _____

6. Summarize your academic achievement (i.e. scholarships, awards, etc.)

7. Special Talent _____

(I.e. sing, dance, public speaking, etc.)

Emergency Contact Information

Name _____ Relationship _____
FIRST LAST

All checks are mailed directly and payable to the school. The student's identification number is on the check for proper crediting. If a student is not enrolled in school, when the scholarship award is made, the institution will return the check to the Dallas Housing Authority.

Special Note: The Dallas Housing Authority reserves the right to deny an individual a scholarship based on fund availability and criterion.