



2021 Scholarship Application

Please note that the Akron Urban League's Scholarship Program is aligned with its mission: to improve the quality of life of the citizens of Summit County, particularly African Americans. While all applications will be considered, our goal is to address the population we serve as stated in our mission.

Student Information:

First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	Age	Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY)
Home Address			City, State	Zip Code
			Gender (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Cell Phone		Email Address		
Ethnicity: <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____				
High School		GPA	Class Rank	Class Size
College/University 1 st Choice		College/University 2 nd Choice		
Desired Major		Desired Career		
Volunteer & Community Activities		Extra-Curricular Activities		
Honors & Awards		Are you the first generation of your family to attend college? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

Parent/Guardian Information

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Full Name		Full Name	
Phone Number		Phone Number	
Email Address		Email Address	
Prior year annual Income	Did you receive public assistance in the prior year <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Prior year annual Income	Did you receive public assistance in the prior year <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
College Graduate <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes name of College/University:		College Graduate <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes name of College/University:	

Student Signature

Parent Signature

Date



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*Items 1 – 5 must be attached for the application to be considered
(if any of the items are not turned in by the deadline, your application will not be reviewed)*

1. Prepare and type a 250-word essay on the following topic:
What do you plan to study during college and why? If undecided, please explain.
Handwritten essays will not be accepted
2. An official copy of your first semester report card for the 2020-2021 school year
(must have a minimum 2.75 GPA)
3. Please provide the Estimated Family Contribution (EFC) which appears on the FAFSA confirmation page in the top information box. _____
(Household income will be verified by Akron Urban League Staff)
4. A recommendation letter from a teacher or school counselor
5. Your recent headshot (you should be the only one in the picture from your shoulders up)
6. Must complete a minimum of 20 volunteer hours at the Akron Urban League after you have been awarded a scholarship (Requirement waived due to COVID-19)
7. Must participate in a face to face interview (Due to COVID-19, interviews will be conducted virtually)

In order to receive an interview date and to advance in the scholarship selections process, your application and **ALL** other supporting documents must be submitted electronically to awhitt@akronurbanleague.org or dropped off at our offices by **no later than 4:00 p.m. on February 19, 2021.**

Thank you for applying and Good Luck!

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