



TYLER NAACP UNIT #6232

2023 Scholarship Application Packet

The Tyler NAACP Unit #6232 announces the 2023 Scholarship Fund Program. Under this program, one (1) \$1,500 scholarships will be awarded from us, with one (1) additional \$1,500 matching award by Tyler Junior College. The following is the mandatory criteria to apply for the scholarship.

Applicant Requirements:

- Must be a Texas resident.
- Must possess a grade point average of 3.0 (B) on a 4.0 grading scale system.
- Must have the endorsement of their Guidance Counselor on their application attesting they are qualified for this scholarship program.
- Must be enrolling at Tyler Junior College in the Fall of 2023.
- Must submit application packet no later than **April 30, 2023**.

Guidelines:

Please submit the following with you completed **TYPED** application:

- Three letters of recommendation (other than relatives):
 - ✚ Personal reference
 - ✚ Academic reference
 - ✚ NAACP reference
- Recent official transcript of grades (high school and/or college)
- A 250-word typed essay with cover sheet on one of the following subjects:
 - ✚ Explain your need for the scholarship
 - ✚ What led to your interest in your major and what career you ultimately wish to pursue.
 - ✚ Describe your life's ambition, what you hope to accomplish or achieve in your lifetime, and what position you hope to attain.

✚ What do you consider to be your most significant contribution to your community?
Explain in what three ways you consider your contribution to be significant.

- Application packets can be mailed to: **NAACP Unit #6232, Attn: Dr. Pamela Phoenix, Scholarship Fund Application Committee, P.O. Box 120279, Tyler, TX 75712.**
- The application packet will be reviewed by the Scholarship Fund Application Committee. The scholarship recipient will be advised no later than July 1, 2023. The award will be presented at the 2023 Scholarship Fund Banquet being held on September 9, 2023.
- Scholarship funds will be paid during the month of **August 2023—directly to Tyler Junior College**, not the student.
- The scholarship funds will be issued upon receiving a certificate of enrollment for the fall semester, which includes the Student ID number and Financial Aid Office address.
- Scholarship can also be combined with any other scholarship the student may receive as well as financial aid for which they may qualify.

For more information, or should you have questions, please contact the 2023 Scholarship Fund Application Committee Chair, Dr. Pamela Phoenix, 903.941.5678 or naacptyler6232@gmail.com.

SCHOLARSHIP PACKET CHECKLIST

- Completed 2023 Application
- Personal Reference Recommendation Letter
- Academic Reference Recommendation Letter
- NAACP Reference Recommendation Letter
- Official transcript(s) (high school and/or college)
- Typed essay
- Mailed completed packet to: **NAACP Unit #6232, Attn: Dr. Pamela Phoenix, Scholarship Fund Committee, P.O. Box 120279, Tyler, TX 75712**
- Applications must be received by the Scholarship Fund Committee no later than April 30, 2023. There will be no exceptions!



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SCHOLARSHIP FUND PROGRAM APPLICATION



Please type your answers. Use an additional piece of paper if necessary.

1.	Last Name:	First Name, Middle Initial:
2.	Street Mailing Address: City: State: Zip:	
3.	Daytime telephone number: ()	
4.	Email address:	
5.	Date of birth: Month Day Year	
6.	Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale)	
7.	Name and location of high school:	
8.	A. List any academic honors, awards and membership activities while in high school: B. List your hobbies, outside interests, extracurricular activities and school related volunteer activities: C. List your non-school sponsored volunteer activities in the community:	
9.	Name of college you will attend: Tyler Junior College	
10.	Anticipated field of study:	
11.	Number of years of residency in Texas:	
12.	Please list any other scholarships applied for and any awarded:	
13a.	Name & address of parent(s) or legal guardian(s) <i>(include address if different than your own listed in #2)</i> : Father's Name: Street Address: City: State: Zip: Home Phone: Cell Phone:	

13b.	Mother's Name:				
	Street Address:		City:	State:	Zip:
	Home Phone:		Cell Phone:		

Your signature is required below. Without it, your application is not complete and cannot be processed.

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY FOR STUDENTS

I hereby certify/affirm that the information provided in this application packet is, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct. I have not knowingly withheld any facts or circumstances that would jeopardize consideration of this application and can provide documentation to prove I am legally authorized to work in the United States. In addition, NAACP may use all information obtained from this application for marketing purposes.

I also consent, that if chosen as a scholarship recipient, my picture may be taken and used to promote the NAACP Unit #6232 Scholarship Fund Program. (Recipient may waive photo due to unusual or compelling circumstances.)

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship recipient, according to NAACP Unit #6232 Scholarship Fund Program policy, it is my responsibility to submit to the Scholarship Fund Application Committee, no later than April 30, 2023, a certificate of enrollment for the fall semester, which includes the Student ID number and Financial Aid Office address.

I hereby understand I will not submit this application without all required attachments and supporting information. Incomplete applications or applications that do not meet eligibility criteria will not be considered for this scholarship.

Signature of scholarship applicant:

Date:

STATEMENT OF SUPPORT BY GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

I hereby affirm that this application meets the criteria set forth by this scholarship program and support submission of this application to the NAACP Unit #6232 Scholarship Fund Program.

Name of Guidance Counselor:

High School:

Phone:

Email:

COMMENTS: _____

Signature of Guidance Counselor:

Date: