

**African-American/Caribbean Education Association Inc  
(AACEAINC)**

**ANNOUNCEMENT / ELIGIBILITY;  
COMMUNITY SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP 2018**

The AACEAINC Community Service Scholarship has been designated for a graduating high school senior of New York State who has performed 300 to 500 community service hours and is of African-American or Caribbean heritage. This award shall range from \$500 to \$1000 depending on applicant's documentation, interview, and letters of recommendation validating service. Applicant must be accepted to attend a four-year college or university in the Fall 2018.

**Eligibility**

High School Applicant Criteria:

- Resident and High School Student of New York State
- Performed a minimum of 300 to 500 community service hours during the course of high school tenure
- High school grade point average of 80 or higher
- Show proof of having taken the SAT or ACT
- Copy of Acceptance Letter to Four Year College or University for Fall 2018
- Submission of 250 Word Essay Entitled:  
"Community Service Helps the Community to Succeed, Builds Character, and Commands Leadership"  
**The following criteria is to be clearly stated in essay:**
  - 1) What compelled you to give service?
  - 2) What was a high point? Share an example or anecdote
  - 3) How has the experience made a difference for you and/or someone you helped?
- **If selected for interview, bring to Interview copy of Social Security Card and Birth Certificate**
- **Must graduate high school**
- **Must attend Scholarship Dinner Award Ceremony August 2, 2018**

**How to Apply:**

Obtain an application by doing any one of the following:

1. Downloading application from website
2. E-mailing us for an application
3. Writing to our PO Box to make a request

Applicants will then follow the directions provided.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** Received on or before Tuesday, May 1, 2018.

We do not accept Postmarked, Emailed or Faxed Applications—Mailed Hard Copy Only.

**Contact Information:**

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