

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

Scholarship Program 2021

Announcement

Disclosure:

The Covid-19 pandemic suspended the awarding of AACEAINC scholarships in 2020. However, this year there will be an opportunity for college-bound, graduating high school seniors to apply for an Essay Gift Award. AACEAINC wishes to offer some monetary relief without threatening anyone's individual safety or compromising AACEAINC's traditional Scholarship Selection Process. Interested students, graduating this year, should apply. Please read the Essay Gift Award Application thoroughly and follow the directions. The deadline is Tuesday, April 20, 2021. Applicants shall be notified of decisions and monetary awards on Wednesday, May 5, 2021. Thereafter, the names of recipients may be posted at the AACEAINC website and the distribution of Awards will begin.

No Fees Required to Apply

For further information about the Essay Gift Award and requirements, contact us at:

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Website: www.aaceainc.com – Download Essay Gift Award Application

Eligibility

ESSAY GIFT AWARD 2021:

The AACEAINC Essay Gift Award has been designated for a graduating high school senior of African-American and/or Caribbean heritage. Awards shall be granted in the amounts of \$200 to \$350 and based on qualifying essay scores that fall within a targeted essay range. (See Application for more details). Essay scores shall be assessed applying the New York State Board of Regents Rubric of 2020 and evaluated by academic professionals. Application and supporting documentation are to be submitted in a PDF file, via regular e-mail and attachment, no later than Tuesday, April 20, 2021. Application is not to be faxed or mailed.

Eligibility

- Submit Given Essay Topic and Application with all supporting documentation.
- Student of African-American and/or Caribbean heritage
- College-bound, graduating high school senior.
- Sponsorship from current high school. Required sponsors:
 - 1) English Teacher
 - 2) College/Guidance Counselor
- College acceptance letter. Must present acceptance letter from the four-year college or university to be attended in the Fall of 2021.
- Applicant must present signed Certification (see Application).
- Applicant must present signed verification forms of the two required sponsors that bear the School Seal (see Application).
- Applicant must submit via email, Essay and Application, inclusive of all qualifying documents, by the deadline date: Tuesday, April 20, 2021.
Note: Applications may be received prior to the deadline date of Tuesday, April 20, 2021; however, decisions and awards shall not be announced until Wednesday, May 5, 2021.
- Application and supporting documentation must be submitted in a PDF file and emailed via regular email with attachment. (Adobe.com provides free conversion to PDF online).