Nancy Miller Memorial Scholarship
Instructions

Louisiana Foster and Adoptive Parents Association Scholarship Program

Through the generous memorial contributions of family & friends to the Nancy Miller Memorial fund, LFAPA is offering a $1,000 scholarship for foster and youth adopted from foster care throughout Louisiana.

Recipients may choose any campus they want to attend, including correspondence.

Selection Criteria:

Candidates for the scholarship must demonstrate the following to be considered:

1. Applicants must be legal residents of Louisiana
2. Applicant may reside:
   A. in a foster/adoptive home, group home, or kinship care or
   B. be an emancipated foster youth under age 21 (proof of age required with submission of application and LFAPA membership).
3. Are not receiving 100% tuition reimbursement from another source
4. Submit a complete, signed application, together with all supporting documentation, if any. The completion of the application form does not create an obligation to award a scholarship to applicant
5. Submit an essay, “Furthering my Education”. High importance will be placed on the applicant’s desire to advance in their education, with an emphasis on furthering their careers, and their impact in the community for which they reside. To be considered, the essay must meet the following requirements:
   a. Two – four page essay in standard format
   b. Double spaced
   c. 12 point font
   d. 8 X 11 white paper
   e. Pages must be paper-clipped together (no staples)
6. At least two letters of recommendation.

Selection Process

1. The recipient(s) of this scholarship will be selected by the LFAPA Scholarship Committee.
2. It is the applicant’s responsibility to submit a complete and signed application and all supporting documentation in one package. The scholarship committee accepts no responsibility for incomplete applications, applications not in proper form, lost applications, or any other submission in exception to the above instructions.
3. Scholarship selection shall be made without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, or disability.
4. The scholarship award will be based on the committee’s scores of the overall quality of the application and the scholarship essay(s). You will receive a notification email regardless if you were selected as a recipient or not.

Submission Instructions

All materials must be submitted by mail to:
Louisiana Foster & Adoptive Parent Association
5200 Northeast Road
Monroe LA 71203

For any additional information, please email Peggy Kirby, at kirp50@juno.com