

**The J. A. Galloway Scholarship of
Pearl High School Heritage Classes Foundation
Scholarship Application
(For Graduating High School Seniors)**

April 2024

Dear Counselor:

The non-profit Pearl High School Heritage Classes Foundation, Incorporated, is proud to continue its practice of awarding scholarship grants to deserving high school seniors who are descendants of Pearl High School alumni. The Foundation respectfully requests your assistance. The process will flow smoothly if you will please:

-Issue a scholarship application form to each interested student who qualifies.

-Inform each applicant that two sealed letters of recommendation from the following should be mailed with the application:

1. School Personnel, i.e. counselor, principal or teacher.
2. Community Person, i.e. pastor, Sunday School teacher, community official.
3. Complete the counselor evaluation form(s) for each applicant.
4. Submit an official copy of the applicant's high school transcript with each application.
5. Return the forms, postmarked no later than **May 11, 2024 to:**

**Pearl High School Heritage Classes Foundation, Inc.
The J. A. Galloway Scholarship
c/o Mrs. Novella M. Page, Chairman
P.O. Box 123
Whites Creek, Tennessee 37189**

Committee members appreciate your assistance as we employ Foundation resources to encourage continued education, outstanding scholarship and high moral standards among the youth of our community.

If you need further information, feel free to call or email the number listed below.

Sincerely,

Novella M. Page

Novella M. Page, Chairman
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**The J. A. Galloway Scholarship
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Counselor's Evaluation**

Student's Name:						
High School:						
Curriculum: <input type="checkbox"/> Academic (College Preparatory) <input type="checkbox"/> Scholars Program <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other						
Overall Class Rank: <input type="checkbox"/> Top 2% <input type="checkbox"/> Top 5% <input type="checkbox"/> Top 10% <input type="checkbox"/> Top 25%						
Exact Rank: out of Graduating Seniors						
Cumulative Grade Point Average at End of Fall Semester:						
Standardized Test Scores						
Test	Norm	Comp Score	English Verbal	Math	Social Studies	Natural Science
ACT						
SAT						
Other						
Other information (Please specify any factors which may affect student's education, e.g., unusual personal or family circumstances or special talents or abilities):						
Signature of Counselor:					Date:	



The J.A. Galloway Scholarship of Pearl High School Heritage Classes Foundation, Inc. Scholarship Information

Purpose:

- To perpetuate pride in the Pearl High Heritage Classes legacy and an awareness thereof.
- To reward academic excellence.
- To encourage higher education aspirations among descendants of Pearl High School alumni.

Amount:

Upon notification of acceptance by student's preferred postsecondary institution, an amount of \$1,000 (minimum) will be deposited by the Scholarship Committee in the scholarship recipient's student account at the chosen college or university.

Eligibility and Statement:

- Applicant must be the descendant of a Pearl High Alumnus **and be a 2024 graduating senior.**
- The J.A. Scholarship is available to students who plan to pursue further education beyond high school, whether it be in vocational, technical, or four-year college programs.
- It will be helpful to know if students are committed to attending a Historical Black College or University (HBCU).

Requirements:

- Student must have maintained a high school cumulative GPA of 2.5.
- Student must complete an application form.
- Student must indicate a desire for a scholarship by submitting a 350-word typewritten, two (2)-page biographical sketch that includes post-secondary goals (not to exceed 500 words).
- Student must submit a non-returnable recent photo in cap and gown.
- Student must submit two (2) letters of recommendation – one from a person in each of the following categories:
 1. School Personnel, i.e. counselor, principal or teacher.
 2. Community Person, i.e. pastor, Sunday School teacher, community official.
- Student must submit an **OFFICIAL** copy of the high school transcript (embossed with the school's seal), including ACT/SAT scores, GPA and class rank.
- **Parent(s)/Guardian** must complete all items included in the Family and Financial Analysis section.

Procedures:

The completed application form, bearing a postmark no later than **May 11, 2024,** must be mailed to:

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The J.A. Galloway Scholarship Application

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The Screening and Selection Committee will notify the recipient of his/her selection.

Note: This scholarship information, including the application form, may be duplicated as needed.

J.A. Galloway Scholarship of Pearl High School
Heritage Classes Foundation, Inc.
Scholarship Application
(Undergraduates Only)

Student Information		
Applicant's Name:		Home Phone:
Address:		Cell Phone:
City / State / Zip:	Email:	
Parent/Guardian Information		
Parent / Guardian Name	Occupation	Place of Employment
Father:		
Mother:		
Maiden Surname:		
Guardian:		
High School Information		
Name of High School:		Date of Graduation:
Cumulative GPA:	ACT Score:	SAT Score:
College Information		
Prospective University or Technical School:		
Prospective Major:	Prospective Minor:	
Career Goal:		
Have you been accepted?	Date of Enrollment:	
Service and Leadership Awards: School		
Activity	Year(s) of Participation	Position(s) Held
Service and Leadership Awards: Community		
Activity	Year(s) of Participation	Position(s) Held
List Your Work Experience		
Job	Year(s) of Participation	Position(s) Held

Please list all other financial aid and/or scholarships/grants for which you have applied and received or expect to receive for the forthcoming academic year.		
Letters of Recommendation (2)		
(1) School Official (i.e. counselor, principal or teacher)		
Name:	Title	
(2) Community Leader (i.e. pastor, Sunday School teacher, community official)		
Name:	Title	
Parent/Guardian Income (Last Tax Year)		
Father: \$	Mother: \$	Guardian: \$
Name(s) of Parents' Other Dependents (Enrolled in College?)		
1.	(Y N)	3. (Y N)
2.	(Y N)	4. (Y N)
Do your parents own or rent their home: () Own () Rent		
You must have a family member (any relative) who attended Pearl High School between 1937-1982. () Yes () No. If yes , list their name, their relationship to you, and the years they attended:		
Name:	Relationship:	Years Attended:
Any unusual financial circumstances? Please explain (use back of sheet, if needed):		
Background Information		
Are you now, or have you ever been, formally accused, indicted, convicted, and/or incarcerated for illegal or extra-legal activities that compelled your contact with the criminal justice system in Metropolitan Nashville / Davidson County or any other state, federal or military jurisdiction? () Yes () No		
If so, cite the circumstances and indicate the final resolution of the matter (use a separate sheet of paper).		
Additional Documents to Submit		
Submit an OFFICIAL high school transcript (embossed with the school's seal). Your graduation date must be in the current academic year.		
Submit a non-returnable photo.		
Submit a typewritten biographical sketch (350 words maximum) that discusses your post-secondary goals.		
Certification: All information on this Application is true and correct.		
Your Signature:	Date:	
Parent or Guardian Signature:	Date:	

This application and all supporting documents must be **POSTMARKED** no later than **May 11, 2024**, and submitted to:

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