

FIRST AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (FAME)

2270 South Harvard Boulevard

Los Angeles, California 90018

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Rev. "J" Edgar Boyd, Senior Minister

COMMISSION ON SCHOLARSHIP, EDUCATION AND TRAINING (CSET)

2018 Scholarship Application

(Also Available Online @ <http://www.famechurch.org>)

PURPOSE

To provide monetary assistance to high school, community college, vocational school and undergraduate students who meet the criteria established by the First AME Church of Los Angeles (FAME) Commission on Scholarship, Education and Training (CSET). Awards will be administered and granted by the Commission on Scholarship, Education and Training (CSET).

TO THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT

To be eligible for consideration, the applicant must:

- 1) Be a member of First African Methodist Episcopal Church, Los Angeles.
- 2) Complete entire scholarship application.
- 3) Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.25.
- 4) Submit a minimum 500 word essay, typed and double spaced on the topic: "How do you reconcile your faith-based principles with the state of America's current political climate?" In answering the question, this is your opportunity to tell the CSET about yourself.
- 5) Submit one letter of recommendation from any of the following: high school teacher, college counselor, church or community leader. Letters of recommendation on official letterhead preferred.
- 6) Provide copy of Official High School Transcript if less than one semester or quarter of college credit earned OR provide copy of Official College Transcript if more than one semester or quarter of college credit earned.
- 7) After a scholarship is awarded, proof of current university/college enrollment will be required to receive the award.
- 8) Anyone having already earned a Bachelor's Degree will be ineligible to apply.

The FAME Commission on Scholarship, Education and Training (CSET) ensures confidentiality of the scholarship information submitted by the applicant.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE CRITERIA AND AUTHORIZE THE FAME COMMISSION ON SCHOLARSHIP, EDUCATION AND TRAINING (CSET) TO REVIEW THE INFORMATION SUBMITTED FOR THE PURPOSE OF SCHOLARSHIP CONSIDERATION.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

PARENT'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

(Required if Applicant is Under 18 Years Old)

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Mr. /Ms.

First Name: _____ **Last Name:** _____

Primary Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____

Telephone: _____ **Email:** _____

High School Graduate Applicants

(Not applicable if one semester of college/university has been completed)

Name of High School: _____

High School Address: _____

Cumulative GPA: _____

College/University Applicants

College /University: _____

College /University Address: _____

Level (Circle One): Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

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Cumulative GPA: _____

Brief Summary of Educational and/or Vocational Goals: _____

Awards/Commendations/Scholarships: _____

Current Volunteer Service (Church, School, and/or Community): _____

All applicants are required to submit an official transcript with school seal to receive their award. *Failure to provide an official transcript with school seal will mean forfeiture of the award.*

This application, whether delivered by hand, U.S. mail or special courier, must be received at FAME Church's administrative office no later than 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, May 20, 2018. Scholarship Winners will be notified in a timely manner. The Winners or their representative will be asked to attend an Awards Luncheon immediately following the Noon Service on Sunday, June 17, 2018 on the FAME Church's Plaza Level.

Provide additional attachments as needed.

NOTE: All Scholarship Awards must be collected no later than Friday, October 5, 2018.

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For Office Use Only

Dated Received: _____

Received By: _____

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CHECKLIST FOR FAME SCHOLARSHIP **SUBMISSION ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

The following requirements must be met in order to be considered for the 2018 FAME Scholarship. Omission of any of these items may result in disqualification. Please check off each item once obtained and include this checklist in your submitted package. This application, whether delivered by hand, U.S. mail or special courier, must be received at FAME Church's administrative office, no later than 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, May 20, 2018.

- _____ **Member in good standing at First African Methodist Episcopal Church of Los Angeles (FAME)**

- _____ **Completed and signed FAME Scholarship Application**

- _____ **Expected minimum cumulative GPA of 2.25**

- _____ **OFFICIAL sealed transcript from most recent high school or college**

- _____ **Required letter of recommendation**

- _____ **Essay (minimum of 500 words)**

- _____ **Documentation of intent to attend college, university or vocational school in Fall 2018 (i.e. Acceptance letter, class schedule, etc.)**