

The William L. Carter 2016 High School Community Leader Scholarship Application

IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

Student Name: _____ DOB: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

High School Attending: _____

Parent Name: _____ Parent Contact: _____

Student Email: _____ Parent Email: _____

Extra-Curricular Activities: _____

Community Service _____

No. of hours _____ Signature & Title of Sponsor _____

GPA: _____ Expected Graduation: _____

STUDENT PROFILE

What can you share about yourself?

What challenges have you encountered in the past or present, and how have you overcome or are overcoming these challenges?

What new learning experiences have you pursued within the last 2 years? Please describe something significant you learned from any or all of these experiences.

LEADERSHIP ABILITIES

What strengths do you demonstrate when working with others? Provide an example.

Define the qualities and characteristics of an effective leader. How have you demonstrated these qualities or characteristics in your high school years? Describe one specific example of your leadership.

Describe a recent, particularly satisfying community service activity.

FUTURE PLANS and GOALS

What do you hope to do upon completing your high school studies?

What potential career paths are you interested in?

Please attach an Essay: "Why I should be awarded the William L. Carter Community Leader Scholarship"

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About the William L. Carter Scholarship

The Mission of The William L. Carter Inspirational Program and Community Leadership features four different facets:

- 1) Helping our students become intellectually omnivorous members of the community equipped with the experience and tools needed to achieve their goals
- 2) Facilitating meaningful mentor-adolescent relationships through relaying a variety of life experiences and examples of success and offer a pathway to get there
- 3) Helping students wherever they may currently be positioned on their life's journey
- 4) Helping struggling students embrace their purpose in life by providing tangible means of self-expression in a variety of professional and personal outlets

Information for Applicants

Qualified scholarship applicants will:

Be scheduled to graduate from a school district within the Town of Greenburgh at the conclusion of the 2015-16 school year.

Have a GPA of a 2.5 or higher

Scholarship recipients must have served at least 25 hours of community service within a 12 month period

Complete and submit the Scholarship Application.

Complete and submit a personal essay on why the William L. Carter Community Leader Scholarship should be awarded to you.

Submit two letters of recommendation from the following: a teacher, coach, principal, guidance counselor, community mentor, employer or other school personnel.

Submission Information:

Deadline for application and all supporting documents is May 5, 2016.

The application and supporting documents should be returned to the TDYCC, to the attention of Mrs. Carter.

Selection and Notification:

All applications will be reviewed by the William L. Carter Scholarship Committee in the month of May 2016.

Final applicants will be interviewed as part of the final selection process.

Awardees will be selected to receive \$1,000 each.

Awardees will be contacted by a Scholarship Committee member.