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ANTIOCH MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH OF MIAMI GARDENS & FORT LAUDERDALE
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EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

Scholarship Coordinator:
Carlisha Jenkins, Scholarship Coordinator
Youth and Young Adult Ministry

The Antioch Educational Scholarships are intended to provide financial assistance to members who have successfully completed high school and who plan to continue their education in an institution of higher learning or at a vocational/technical school.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Antioch Missionary Baptist Church of Miami Gardens & Fort Lauderdale and the College Assistance Resource Efforts (C.A.R.E.) Ministry/College Assistance Program (C.A.P.) Ministry provide scholarship applications to interested members (**high school graduates**) of Antioch. Applications are sent directly to members upon request and are also available in the vestibule area of the church.

Applications must be completed **in full** and must be typed or printed neatly in black or blue ink. **Incomplete or late applications will not be accepted for consideration.**

Application submission deadline is May 1, 2020. The Scholarship Coordinator MUST receive the scholarship application, supporting documents, and a current photo no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 1, 2020. Mail complete application package to:

Carlisha Jenkins, Scholarship Coordinator
Youth and Young Adult Ministry
Antioch Missionary Baptist Church of Miami Gardens
21311 NW 34th Avenue
Miami Gardens, FL 33056
Attn: Scholarship Coordinator

Scholarship funds will not be disbursed until proof of enrollment in the college, university, or vocational/technical school is received by the Scholarship Coordinator. Once proof of enrollment is received, the funds will be sent directly to the school in the student's name. Scholarship must be claimed by September 30, 2020 or the money will be forfeited.

The recipients will be announced at the Baccalaureate Program on Sunday, June 14, 2020 (during the 11:00am service). Questions or inquiries may be directed to the Scholarship Coordinator at (786) 283-1355.

APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

Eligibility of applicants will be based on the individual criteria and requirements provided for each scholarship offered. A complete list of scholarships is enclosed.

The following items must be included with each member's application. Applicants are ineligible if these supporting materials are not included by the scholarship deadline. Questions or concerns related to the submission of these items should be addressed directly to the Scholarship Coordinator.

Academics: Applicants must provide an official school transcript. Transcripts should contain a scholastic average. This average must be expressed either as a numerical percentage, such as 97% or as a ratio including the scale on which it is based, such as 3.85/4.0 scale. A copy of the school's grading system or a letter from a school official explaining the scale or grading system must accompany the application, if applicable.

Recommendation letter from School / Community Leaders: Applicants must include a minimum of **two** recent reference letters. Letters must be typewritten and include personal knowledge of the applicant's activities and how s/he knows the applicant. Reference providers must be at least 21 years of age. Letters written by the applicant's legal guardian, relative, Antioch staff, Selection Committee members, or committee spouses will not be accepted for consideration. If you have any questions regarding the eligibility of a reference provider, please contact the Scholarship Coordinator for details.

Ministry Participation: (Min. Wilson Pascal and Merit Scholarships ONLY) Applicants must include a Ministry Participation Form (included in this packet) completed by ministry leader or lead servant. Written statement should include personal knowledge of the applicant's involvement in ministry and how s/he has contributed to the church's overall goals and objectives.

Essay: Each applicant must provide a 500-word essay. The essay should clearly indicate the importance of a college education and career goals as well as personal insights about the need for the scholarship. The applicant must prepare a cover page to include the member's name, address, date, and essay topic: **Why should award be given?** The applicant must also detail his or her goals in the essay. Essays should be no more than two pages in length, not including the cover page, and must be typed and double-spaced. **The applicant's name and personal information should NOT appear on any page of the essay other than the cover sheet.**

SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

Applicants may apply for more than one scholarship. **However, only one scholarship will be awarded per recipient.** To be eligible to apply for a scholarship, an applicant must meet the following criteria. Carefully read all criteria before completing an application.

MIN. WILSON PASCAL ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP

Number Available: 1
Amount Awarded: TBA

Funding will be awarded to current members of Antioch Missionary Baptist Church of Miami Gardens **who are active in ministry.** Members must:

- have a minimum cumulative **GPA of 3.5 or higher.**
- have a letter of acceptance from an accredited college, university, or vocational/technical school.
- be willing to uphold the goals and objectives of the church.

MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

Number Available: 1
Amount Awarded: TBA

Funding will be awarded to current members of Antioch Missionary Baptist Church of Miami Gardens **who are active in ministry.** Members must:

- have a minimum cumulative **GPA of 3.0 or higher.**
- have a letter of acceptance from an accredited college, university, or vocational/technical school.
- be willing to uphold the goals and objectives of the church.

EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP

Number Available: 1
Amount Awarded: TBA

Funding will be awarded to current members of Antioch Missionary Baptist Church of Miami Gardens **who are active in ministry.** Members must:

- have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.
- have a letter of acceptance from an accredited college, university, or vocational/technical school.
- be willing to uphold the goals and objectives of the church.



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2019–2020 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Mail the complete application package to:
 Carlisha Jenkins,
 Scholarship Coordinator
 ANTIOCH M.B. CHURCH OF MIAMI GARDENS
 21311 NW 34th Avenue
 Miami Gardens, FL 33056

Application MUST be received no later than May 1, 2020.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name:		Date of Birth:	
Current Address:		City:	Zip Code:
Social Security #:	Home Telephone #:	Alt. Telephone #:	
E-mail address:		Current Grade Point Average (GPA):	

SCHOLARSHIP TYPE

<input type="checkbox"/> Min. Pascal Academic Scholarship (GPA 3.5 or higher <u>and</u> active in ministry)	<input type="checkbox"/> Merit Scholarship (GPA 3.0 or higher <u>and</u> active in ministry)	<input type="checkbox"/> Educational Scholarship (GPA 2.0 or higher)
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MINISTRY INVOLVEMENT

Ministry Name:	Lead Servant:	Contact #:
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REFERENCES

Name:	Relationship:	Telephone #:
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CERTIFICATION – To Be Signed By All Applicants

I have read and understand the enclosed information. I affirm that the information I have provided on this application form and any additional materials that I submit related to the educational scholarship process are complete, accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that providing false information may result in forfeiture of scholarship funds.

Signature of Applicant:	Date:
Signature of Parent or Guardian:	Date:



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2020 GRADUATION INQUIRY FORM

Graduate Information

PLEASE PRINT

Name _____ Telephone _____

Email _____ Alt. Tel. _____

Graduated from:

School _____

Parent Information:

Name _____

Telephone _____ Email _____



Transforming Lives Through Ministry

MINISTRY PARTICIPATION FORM

MINISTRY _____

LEAD SERVANT _____ EMAIL _____

TELEPHONE # _____ ALT TEL. # _____

PLEASE DESCRIBE THE GRADUATE'S SERVICE IN MINISTRY AT ANTIOCH (Use back if needed)

Note:

Gifts will be awarded to graduates who are **ACTIVE** in Ministry at Antioch. All other graduates will receive a Certificate of Appreciation for their participation in the Baccalaureate Service program.

Scholarship Application Summary Form and Cover Sheet

Applicant's name: _____

Place a check mark on each line indicating that you have checked and double-checked that ALL items are included in your scholarship application packet. The applicant and parent must sign below, and this Summary Form and Cover Sheet **MUST** be placed on the top of your packet. Mail or drop off the complete packet to the church office **IN A SEALED ENVELOPE**. Incomplete scholarship application packets will NOT be eligible for an award.

1. _____ Scholarship Application Summary Form and Cover Sheet (this sheet on top)
2. _____ Complete 2019-20 Scholarship Application Form
3. _____ Complete 2019-20 Graduation Inquiry Form
4. _____ Complete 2019-20 Ministry Participation Form
(Pascal or Merit Scholarship ONLY)
5. _____ Official Transcript
6. _____ College Acceptance Letter (copy)
7. _____ Two Letters of Recommendation (from non-family members)
 - a. _____ school (ex. teacher, counselor, administrator)
 - b. _____ community official or church leader (ex. coach, program director/leader, ministry lead servant, minister, deacon, deaconess)
8. _____ Essay
9. _____ Recent photo (may be a copy)

Applicant's signature: _____

Parent's signature: _____