

SOUTH CAROLINA CAUCUS OF BLACK SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS
ANNUAL ESSAY SCHOLARSHIP

TOPIC:

“ENOUGH IS ENOUGH!”

(The student is allowed to identify what this means to himself or herself, i.e., gun violence, inequality, sexism, domestic violence, etc.)

Eligible: African- American High School Seniors

South Carolina Public Schools

Award: \$500.00 Scholarship
(Forwarded to the college upon proof of enrollment)

Deadline: April 30, 2018
(Must be postmarked)

Mail to: Mr. James Shadd, Scholarship Chair
P.O. Box 969
Columbia, SC 29202

Guidelines: Maximum of three (3) pages, typed, double spaced

Judging: The introduction catches the reader’s attention.
The introduction leads into the topic and states focus.
The focus is clear, and it is neither too specific nor too vague.
Each body paragraph has a clear main idea that supports the focus.
Each body paragraph supports its main idea.
The body paragraphs are in order and make sense.
The conclusion restates the main idea.
The essay follows the rules of grammar, punctuation, and spelling.



For Immediate Release If you have questions, please contact James Shadd, Scholarship Committee Chair, 803-771-7460. Shaddlawfirmllc@gmail.com
South Carolina Caucus of Black School Board Members Scholarship Application for School Year 2017- 2018

APPLICANT FINAL CHECK-OFF

Please submit one original and three copies of the completed application packet to include your application, two letters of recommendation, and an autobiographical statement. All of the items must be included for an application to be complete. Any incomplete applications will be disqualified.

Please initial that you have enclosed the following:

- Completed Application
- Two Letters of Recommendation
- Autobiographical Statement

Applicant Authorization Release

I authorize the South Carolina Caucus of Black School Board Members to publicize my scholarship award if I am selected as a recipient.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Application packet must be postmarked by April 30, 2018. Applications received after this date will not be considered.

Please return the completed application packet to the address below:

South Carolina Caucus of Black School Board Members
Scholarship Committee
Attention: Att. James Shadd, Scholarship Committee Chair
P.O. Box 969
Columbia, SC 29202
(803) 771-7460

Applications must be postmarked by the deadline: April 30, 2018. Students who send incomplete packets or do not meet the criteria for selection will be disqualified.



**SOUTH CAROLINA CAUCUS OF BLACK SCHOOL
BOARD MEMBERS
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____
Last First Middle

Permanent Address _____
Street City & State Zip Code Telephone#

EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

High School Name _____

Address of High School _____
Street City & State Zip Code County

School District _____ High School GPA _____

Post-Secondary School(s) Applied to or Accepted:

Major: _____ Minor: _____



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Attach a separate sheet, if necessary

1. High School Extracurricular Activities (sports, clubs, etc.)

2. Special Recognition (offices held, organization memberships, awards, etc.)

3. Letters of Recommendation – Please ask two individuals (not related to you) to provide a letter of recommendation that states why they think you should be awarded this scholarship. Their letter should include the following: length and nature of your acquaintance, examples of any special skills or abilities and present and potential leadership qualities.

PARENT /GUARDIAN INFORMATION

PARENT/GUARDIAN(S) INFORMATION

Guardian's Name Parent/

Street Address City & State Zip Code Telephone#

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AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL STATEMENT
PLEASE TYPE

Student Name _____

In the space below, please type an autobiographical statement including a statement about your demonstrated financial need.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

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