

TO: Graduating LRSD Senior High School Students

FROM: Nona Whittaker Scholarship

DATE: April 26, 2022

SUBJECT: Scholarship Opportunity

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The LRSD Nona Whittaker Scholarship, honoring, Ms. Whittaker's over 50 years in education is now available for former students to apply. Two \$500 scholarships will be made available.

The applicant must have:

- Demonstrate commitment to education
- High ethical standards
- Outstanding leadership ability
- Participation in community and other extra-curricular activities
- A need for financial assistance

Your application must be received by **Friday, May 20, 2022**. It is electronically accessible at [www.lrsd.org/domain/1880](http://www.lrsd.org/domain/1880). Please send your completed application and other supporting documents to:

LRSD Advanced Academics  
401 John Barrow Rd.  
Little Rock, AR 72205

Please contact Romona Cheneval at (501)447-3390 or [\*romona.cheneval@lrsd.org\*](mailto:romona.cheneval@lrsd.org), if you have any questions.

# **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

*\*\*Typed applications are preferred but not required. Please print if handwritten.*

Applicant's Name:

Address:

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: AR \_\_\_\_\_ Zip:

Phone: ( ) - \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: ( ) - \_\_\_\_\_

Email:

\_\_\_\_\_

Current Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_ (please note if you are not on a 4.0 scale)

At what educational institution do you plan to further your education following your graduation from high school?

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What field of study do you plan to pursue?

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The following supporting documents are also required:

1. If you were a student of Ms. Whitaker, please share the years and school where she was your teacher. (Not Required)
2. A copy of your resume.
3. A brief essay that describes either your educational and career goals, explains how you have been and will continue to be a servant of your community, or discusses your need for financial assistance. The essay must be double spaced and no more than 1 page in length.
4. An official transcript from your high school that contains a raised seal from your school. Your transcript must be submitted in a sealed envelope.
5. The recipient of the scholarship must submit a photograph.
6. Two letters of recommendation (principal, assistant principal or equivalent), school counselor, current teacher or community based organization.
7. If you are chosen as a recipient, you must provide a copy of proof of enrollment at an accredited college or vocational institution before the scholarship funds will be disbursed.

**The deadline for applications to be received is May 20 at 11:59 p.m. Emailed applications are permitted; however, you must follow your email with a hard copy of your materials.**

**CERTIFICATION OF THE APPLICANT**

I certify on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022, that the information contained in my application and its attachments is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if I provide inaccurate or false information, doing so may disqualify me from consideration for a scholarship.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Applicant's Signature and Date*

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**AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE INFORMATION**

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_

I authorize \_\_\_\_\_ to  
release information of the applicant named above to:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant  
Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

