April 2, 2024

 Dear Alishia, Camille, Malik & Zoe:

We hope this newsletter finds you well.

School is almost over. How excited are you?

As a friendly reminder, if you plan to attend college in the Fall and want to receive a scholarship, don’t forget to submit your application and fees on or before May 31, 2024.

Hopefully, you were able to earn some extra cash by selling your books online and/or took advantage of an opportunity to donate some of your least favorite things last month.

I found some things that you can get from the government for free. Yes, FREE!

1) Presidential greeting: Submit request on the White House’s website for birthdays 80 or older, weddings, birth announcements, and retirements.

2) Books: Visit [www.read.gov](http://www.read.gov) for books suitable for all ages.

3) Maps: Contact your state’s Department of Transportation to find out where to get one.

4) Government grants: Apply at [www.grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov) for education, housing, or small businesses.

5) Other benefits: Visit [www.benefits.gov](http://www.benefits.gov) to see which benefits you may qualify for and where to apply.

***Scripture of the month***:

Proverbs 1:7 The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge; fools despise wisdom and instruction.

***Quote of the month***: “You don’t get what you wish for. You get what you work for.” – Daniel Milstein

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