



CAIAC SCHOLARSHIPS

Child Advocates of Iredell and Alexander Counties annually awards up to three \$1,000 scholarships to deserving youth in the foster care system of District 22a who are or will be attending an accredited trade or vocational school, community college or four-year university.. This scholarship is for the current year, but the applicants may apply again in subsequent years. The application deadline is May 15th of each year. Scholarship winners will be notified by June 15th. Scholarship monies will be paid directly to the educational institution.

ELIGIBILITY:

1. Applicants must be attending or planning to attend a full-time or part-time program at an accredited university, community college, or trade/vocational institution this calendar year.
2. Applicants must be aging out of the foster care system at 18 years of age; in DSS custody and in a guardianship or kinship placement.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

1. Complete the attached application form
2. Attach one letter of recommendation from someone other than a relative. Possible choices are DSS worker, Guardian ad Litem, foster parent, employer, teacher or counselor.
3. A copy of your most recent report card including cumulative GPA
4. A personal statement of at least 500 words discussing why you feel you should receive this scholarship and your goals for the future.

SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION:

The completed application along with recommendation letter, personal statement, and report card should be emailed to caiac.charity@gmail.com by the May 15th deadline.

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2019 CAIAC SCHOLARSHIP

Name of Applicant _____

Email _____ Telephone _____

Current Address _____

Current High School _____

Graduation Date _____ GPA _____ (attach copy)

List extracurricular activities or sports during high school: _____

List any employment history including company name and time employed: _____

Community Activities or Honors received: _____

College, University or Vocational School you will attend:

Major/Program of study _____ Anticipated graduation _____

Have you applied or been awarded funding through NC REACH? _____

I, _____ (signature) pledge that the information contained in this application is true and accurate to the best of my ability. I understand that false statements will disqualify me from receiving this award.