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2021 POC Scholarship Application Instructions

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Applicants must be seniors enrolled in a public school in the Clarke, Oconee, Madison, or Oglethorpe County school district.
- Applicants must be raised by a grandparent, another relative, or some guardian other than a parent.
- Applicants must have a minimum 2.8 GPA, preferably higher.
- Applicants must have no biological relationship to Progressive Outreach Coalition personnel.
- The recipients must enroll in a 2 or 4 year college in the fall of 2021.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Completed Application
- Two paged typed essay
- Two adult references. (One is to be a school official). (Relatives cannot be references).
- Copy of High School Transcripts
- Applications must be postmarked by Friday, February 26, 2021.
- Applicants will be interviewed by the POC scholarship committee.

AWARD

- The recipient will be announced by the end of the academic school year 2021.
- The financial award of \$750.00 will be sent to the school of enrollment in the fall of 2021.

Progressive Outreach Coalition Scholarship Application

Section I

Last Name	First Name				MI
United States Citizen □Yes □No			If no what is your status?		
Name of Person(s) Raising You			Relationship to you		
Street Address		I			
City	State			Zip Code	
Mailing Address					
City	State			Zip Code	
Phone	Em		l Address		
High School			Date of Graduation		
GPA (Submit High School Transcripts)		SAT/AC	Г Score		
Name of Community Reference		How do you know this person?			
Reference's Contact Number		Email Address			
Name of School Official Reference		Position Held at the School			
Reference's Contact Number		Email Ad	ddress		

Section II

Extracurricular Activities
Honors and Awards
Work and Volunteer Experience

Section III

Attach a two page, double spaced, typed essay to your application. *Less than 2 pages will not be accepted.

• Essay Topic: "How Current Affairs have Impacted Me"

Section IV

THE STUDENT AND GRANDPARENT/RELATIVE/GUARDIAN/ RAISING THE STUDENT MUST SIGN THE APPLICATION.

PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING

We understand that being raised by a grandparent, relative, or other guardian is part of the eligibility criteria for this scholarship. I ________the guardian of the applicant, certify that eligibility information provided in this application is correct. We understand that if selected, the school where the recipient enrolls will be mailed a check. We understand the scholarship is to be used for tuition and academic expenses only. I _______ the guardian of the guardian of the applicant, give Progressive Outreach Coalition permission to post the applicant's name and photo on the website if the applicant is awarded the POC Scholarship.

Date

Applicant's Signature

Date