## DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

## **COMMEMORATIVE COMMITTEE, INC.**

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## Deadline: Thursday, MIDNIGHT November 6, 2025 Scholarship Eligibility and Criteria

- Scholarship eligibility criteria and application completion (download the application in adobe, fill in information, sign electronically, email)
- Applicant will be a graduating senior (the class of 2026) from one of the following schools in the Tri-County area: Belleview High School, Lake Weir High School, Leesburg High School, Tavares High School, The Villages High School, and Wildwood Middle High School.
- Demonstrate academic ability with a minimum of a 2.5 grade point average.
- Use a computer to fill in all applicable information on the form.
- Accuracy and original thoughts are important.
- Incomplete applications will not be considered.
- All required documents must be emailed along with the application on or before the deadline- midnight, Thursday, November 6, 2025.

## APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Name:			
First	Middle Initial	Last	
Mailing Address:			
Street (or Box No.):			_
City:	State:	Zip Code:	_
Current Home phone number:	<del></del>		
Current Cell Phone:			
Email Address (NOT SCHOOL EMAIL)	<u>:</u>		
High School:	Graduation D	ate:	
Contact information for Parent or	Guardian:		
Name of Parent:	orGuardian:		_
Address of Parent or Guardian:			
Current Home phone number:			
Current Cell Phone:	Email:		

5. Community/Volunteer or Employment Activities: Using only the space below, list the extracurricu community activities you participated in during the last four years in high school.	School you are planning to attend:						
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6. Write a brief statement about how the scholarship will help in responding to your

needs and achieving your goals (no more than 100 words). Please attach your statement

2. COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY INFORMATION:

to the end of the application.

7. ESSAY: Reflect and expound on this two-p the computer double spaced using a font no sm spelling and accuracy and list all references use	naller than 12 pitch and no larger than 14	·
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. is quoted as saying, "	Our lives begin to end when we become s	silent about things that matter."
PART 1 What were two of the important issues struggle to work toward justice for all?	about which Dr. King was not willing to re	main silent in his continued
PART 2 In your own school or community, wha about? How do you feel that by speaking up yo		
<b>Please note:</b> Essays should be the student's ow analysis, and critical thinking about the above e		understanding, reasoning,
8. REFERENCES: Select two (2) reference described in your application. Reference provide e.g., school principal; teacher, counselor, employ attest to the accomplishments and attributes of letters from family members or close friends).	yer, coach, Minister, etc. They will be requi	r candidacy for this scholarship ired to write a brief paragraph to
Name of Reference	How Known by Applicant	Telephone Number
Must be turned in by application	deadline: Midnight Thursday, No	vember 6, 2025
9. ACADEMIC INFORMATION:	Non-Weighted GradePoint Average:	
10. APPLICANT'S CERTIFICATION: I cert knowledge.	cify that the information in this application	is correct to the best of my
Applicant Signature: (required electronic signat	ture) Date	
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Date

Certified by Counselor or Principal (required electronic signature)

11. PERMISSION TO RELEASE INFORMATION: I grant permission to my high school to supply the MLK				
Commemorative Scholarship Committee with a copy of my tra	anscripts if requested.			

Due Thursday, November 6, 2025 before midnight.

Your complete application must be emailed to <a href="MLKScholarships@aol.com">MLKScholarships@aol.com</a> no later than midnight, Thursday, November 6, 2025

REMINDER: Please proofread for spelling, punctuation, complete sentences, and accuracy before submitting.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact: Dr. Jean Christopher (Vice President for Scholarships): laken52@roadrunner.com 330-770-8841

Please note that if you receive a full scholarship from other sources, you will not be able to use this scholarship.