

Miami High School Alumni Association 2019-2020

Scholarship Application

The MHS Alumni Association will award scholarships to deserving 2020 seniors.

Eligibility:

- Senior at MHS
- Minimum un-weighted GPA of 2.5, based on a 4.0 scale
- Current or anticipated enrollment in an accredited college, university, or technical/vocational school in 2020

Application Instructions

Application is to be typed. Any application that is not complete and does not follow ALL of the instructions will not be considered. Any late entries will be disqualified.

- **Complete personal information** below. (Use an additional sheet if necessary)
- **Write an essay** (500-600 words) on: Other than a family member or relative, who has been the most influential person in your life.
- **Create a 2-3 minute video:** Pretend you are applying for your dream job. Describe the job and why you should be hired.
- **Include a letter of recommendation** from an MHS teacher, counselor, or staff member
- Submit all four items, this application, the essay, the video and letter of recommendation via email to: contact@MiamiHighSchoolAlumniAssociation.com AND pmassey@southmiami305.com

***Applications must be received by Midnight on January 31, 2020. No exceptions.**

There will be a mandatory personal interview with the selection panel. The interviews will be held at MHS on Saturday, February 22, 2020 at 9:00 am. Semi-finalists will be invited for a final interview on Saturday, April 11, 2020 at 10:00 am. The winners will be announced after the final interview.

Personal Information:

Name: _____

I.D. Number: _____

Un-weighted GPA: _____

Weighted GPA: _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____ State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

School Activities/Leadership Positions:

Community Service and Hours:

Awards:

Schools applied/ Schools accepted:

Personal Video Instructions:

- Your video should be 2-3 minutes long.
- Give your first and last name and state your student ID number when you begin.
- Name your file as follows: Video First name Last name. Example: Video Jose Garcia.MOV
- If you do not have access to a Smartphone/iPhone to record your video, contact Mrs. Puentes to make arrangements to record your video at MHS.

Other Special Instructions:

- Create an electronic version of your letter by scanning the letter or by taking a photo of the letter.
- The scanning can be done in Mrs. Puentes' office if there is a need.
- Name your file using the following: letter first name last name.xxx
- Allowable file types include PDF, DOC, DOCX, PNG, JPG, JPEG, and GIF
- Example: Letter Jose Garcia.PDF

Student Signature:

Date of application (Deadline is Midnight on January 31, 2020)

Date: _____

***Media Release**

Dear Parents:

Please be advised that during the year your child may be photographed, videotaped, or interviewed at various school sponsored events. With our consent, the photograph, video or interview may be reproduced and released for use in the media, i.e., newspapers, brochures, videos, television, the internet, and Miami-Dade County Public Schools websites and social media platforms such as Facebook, Twitter, etc.

Please indicate your preference below.

Student Name: _____

Student ID: _____

Please circle Yes or No

Yes My child's photograph/video/interview may be produced and released for use in the media.

No My child's photograph/video/interview may NOT be produced and released for use in the media.

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____