

**FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS REGARDING SCHOLARSHIPS**

1. ***Can I enter one essay, presentation, or piece of art for all the scholarships?***

*NO—All of the scholarships have different requirements, so please read the criteria carefully.*

2. ***How do I know what the Judges are looking for in entries?***

*Each scholarship has instructions, suggestions, and a judging criteria rubric. Please view the appropriate document for the scholarship(s) for which you are applying.*

3. ***Should I have someone proofread my entry or critique my art or performance ahead of time?***

*YES—while not necessary, that is always a good idea. Also, re-check the Judging Criteria.*

4. ***Can I just mail in my application?***

*No—You must follow the instructions for uploading your application electronically using the submission link for the scholarship(s), unless the instructions for that particular scholarship tells you to do otherwise.*

5. ***If my submission is a piece of art or a performance that I cannot upload, what should I do?***

*If your submission is a piece of art, then you MUST photograph your art and upload the photo. If your submission is a performance, then you must upload a video of your submission. You may also upload a script, in addition to the video, if you believe it would be helpful for the reviewers.*

6. ***Do I have to attend the Summit to be eligible to win a scholarship?***

*YES – There are no exceptions! Please make arrangements with employers ahead of time so you have the day off. You will have to be present to claim your scholarship if your application is selected.*

7. ***If I apply for a scholarship, am I automatically registered for the Summit?***

*NO – you must register for the Summit, IN ADDITION TO submitting your scholarship applications.*

8. ***When is the latest that I can submit scholarship entry?***

*The scholarship submission deadline is 12-15-2021.*

9. ***What if I still have unanswered questions?***

*Email the scholarship co-chair at [Scholarships@EducatingChildrenOfColor.org](mailto:Scholarships@EducatingChildrenOfColor.org).*