



Oranges & Maplewood Branch



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CORNELIA THOMPSON
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
\$1,000 NON-RENEWABLE AWARD

Students interested in applying for the **Cornelia Thompson Scholarship** (\$1,000) must meet the following criteria:

- Must be in the last academic year of their high school pursuits
- Must demonstrate commitment to academic excellence with a documented high school GPA of not less than 2.75 (A = 4.00)
- Must generate documentation that they will attend (within six months) an approved and accredited four-year institution of higher education

How to Apply:

- Applications are available on the Oranges & Maplewood Branch website: **www.omnaacp.org**
- The application package must be received by April 15th. Incomplete applications will not be considered and those received after the deadline will not be accepted.
- E-mail completed application package to: **education@omnaacp.org**
- Or mail completed application to:
NAACP Oranges & Maplewood, P.O. Box 1127, East Orange, NJ 07019

Application Package:

- Cornelia Thompson Application
- A high school transcript from the attending high school attesting to academic standing
- Financial Aid Information (FAFSA) attesting to financial aid need
- Two letters of recommendations (from non-relatives)
- Candidates must submit an essay (not to exceed 200 hundred words)
- Print or Type all information



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LAST NAME FIRST NAME MI

ADDRESS APT. NO.

CITY STATE ZIPCODE

E-MAIL ADDRESS PHONE DATE OF BIRTH

PARENT | GUARDIAN'S NAME

ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT) APT. NO.

CITY STATE ZIPCODE

E-MAIL ADDRESS PHONE



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HIGH SCHOOL(S) ATTENDED

Name

City

State

Zipcode

Name

City

State

Zipcode

INSTITUTION THAT YOU WILL BE ATTENDING IN THE FALL

City

State

Zipcode

COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES:

Organization

Contact Individual

Phone

Responsibilities

Organization

Contact Individual

Phone

Responsibilities



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RECOMMENDATIONS: The following individuals will be submitting recommendations

Name

Title

Relationship to candidate

Phone

Name

Title

Relationship to candidate

Phone

Write a short summary or personal statement describing your accomplishments, goals and career aspirations.



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ESSAY: PLEASE TYPE EACH ESSAY (200 WORD MAXIMUM)

****If applying for two NAACP Oranges and Maplewood scholarships respond to two topics, if three applications are being submitted, respond to all three topics.**

How will your successful goals and aspirations positively impact people of color in our community?



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What do you think our country should do to foster unity?



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Does America promote equality and justice for all who reside in the United States?