

In your own words, please state the course of study you are pursuing and your general outlook as to future endeavors. Include any community activities and/or volunteer work you are involved in: (Use separate sheet if necessary)

Please briefly answer one (1) of the following (3-PART QUESTION) in the space provided below. Also, please indicate how you learned of the Grand Council of Guardians, Inc. Charles B. Billups Scholarship program.

The Grand Council of Guardians Inc. strives to ensure that the legacy of those icons that have been inscribed into the rich history and culture of the African American experience is respectfully acknowledged and passed on to the next generation. These iconic individuals were civil rights activists, elected officials, educators, entertainers as well individuals from within local communities. They relentlessly worked as change agents on behalf of Black Americans. It is essential that our youth today are able to identify with an icon that they have studied while in school or read about on there own.

To this end, the scholarship applicant must complete an essay as it pertains to African American History.

Question 1A: Identify an African American icon that has made significant contribution to African Americans or an African American who was a change agent for Black Americans?

Question 1B: How has that person position/actions made a difference for the betterment of Black Americans?

Question 1C: Explain why you chose this person. It can be a person from the 18th to the 21st century.

Black Lives matter, is a new experience of the 21st Century.

Question 2A: Has the Black Lives Matter Movement made a difference in your life?

Question 2B: If given the opportunity to have a discussion with the Black Lives Matter Leadership, what would be your message towards implementing accountability and positive Change?

Question 2C: What would you personally do to make a difference if you were a member of the Black Lives Matter Organization?

CERTIFICATION

By submitting this application, I certify that all information submitted is true and accurate. I undersand that falsification of any information on this application will disqualify me from consideration.

Print Name

Signature

Date

DISCLAIMER

Submission of an application does not guarantee that a scholarship will be awarded. Materials received will NOT be returned to applicants and will be discarded appropriately once the selection process is completed.

NOTE: Incomplete applications will be disqualified

For Scholarship Selection Committee Use Only:

Application package post marked by deadline

Completed Application

Essay

University/College Acceptance letter

Official Transcript submitted

Signed Certification