



## Milwaukee (WI) Chapter The Links, Incorporated High School Scholarship Application 2018

### **2018 Scholarship Application Requirements**

*This scholarship is for Milwaukee Area graduating high school seniors who are entering college in the fall (2018). To qualify for this scholarship, applicants must be members of an ethnic minority group that is underrepresented in higher education and who demonstrate financial need.*

- Complete application packet and return on or before **April 15th, 2018**.
- Minimum GPA 2.7 (4.0), un-weighted
- Provide sealed official transcript of grades through 1st semester of senior year.
- Provide two letters of recommendation from persons other than relatives (*Please attach to application*)
- Participate in a personal interview with the Scholarship Committee (*In May*).
- Provide written approval for use of photo /name in publicity regarding scholarship
- Personal Essay
- If awarded scholarship receiver must provide proof of enrollment in post-secondary institution.

**Milwaukee (WI) Chapter  
The Links, Incorporated  
*Scholarship Application for High School Seniors***

**General Information  
(Please Type or Print)**

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**(Student's Name) Last, First, Middle Initial**

**DOB**

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**Telephone Number & E-mail Address**

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**Street Address, City, Zip Code**

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**Current High School**

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**High School Address, City, Zip**

**To be completed by High School Counselor**

Class Rank: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_      Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cumulative Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_ Weighted \_\_\_\_\_ Unweighted \_\_\_\_\_

ACT Composite Score: \_\_\_\_\_  
SAT Composite Score (With Writing): \_\_\_\_\_

*I certify that this applicant is a student in good standing and demonstrates potential for success in postsecondary education.*

Name of High School Counselor (Print):

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Signature & Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_



**Work Experience (paid or unpaid)**

Where have you worked while in grades 9-12 and length of Time

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**Hobbies/Interests/Special Talents/Awards or Recognition while in grades 9-12**

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**Please list the Colleges/Universities to which you have applied and rank them in order of preference. (Number 1-5)**

Rank College/University (Please include city, state) If admitted please check box

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### **Student Essay**

Prepare an original 300-500-word essay describing your goals in the following areas:

- ❖ Planned major
  - ❖ Educational Goals
  - ❖ Career Aspirations
  - ❖ How receiving his scholarship will impact your educational journey
- ✓ Your 12-point font typed essay should be double-spaced with 1” margins on all sides.
  - ✓ Please type your first and last name at the top of each page.
  - ✓ More than 500 words will not be considered part of the essay/application.
  - ✓ Your essay should be carefully proofread for spelling and grammatical errors.

### **Letters of Recommendations**

The applicant must submit two letters of recommendation from persons other than relatives. These letters may be written on your behalf by a teacher, counselor, principal, community service individual, employer, or other people who know you well personally or academically. Please list the name, occupation, and telephone number of the individuals who are submitting your letters of recommendation.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

**The two letters of recommendation must be attached to your application.**

**THIS PORTION IS TO BE FILLED OUT BY PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN**

Applicant resides with: \_\_\_\_\_ Mother \_\_\_\_\_ Father  
\_\_\_\_\_ Legal Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify relationship)

Mother /Legal Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_ Living Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment \_\_\_\_\_

Father/Legal Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_ Living Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment \_\_\_\_\_

Write dependent children who are currently living at home and attending a K-12 school.

Name	School	Grade Level
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Write dependent children who are already attending or will be attending institutions of higher learning next year.

Name	School	Grade Level
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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Is applicant Pell Grant eligible? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Is applicant eligible for free or reduced lunch? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

**Signature of Parent/Guardian** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Affix your photo in this space.**  
**(Optional)**



**Statement of Accuracy**

I hereby solemnly affirm that, to the best of my ability, the information provided in this application is true and correct. I also grant approval for The Links, Incorporated to use my name and photos in publicity about this scholarship, should it be awarded to me.

**Signature of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATION PACKET TO:**  
**Mrs. Adrienne A. Ridgeway**  
**6162 W. Glenbrook Road**  
**Brown Deer, WI 53223**

**Deadline: Post marked by April 15, 2018**

**Checklist for Completed Application**

To be considered for this scholarship, your application packet must be complete and must contain the following:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Application completed and signed by student, counselor, and parent
- \_\_\_\_\_ Sealed Official transcript (including the first semester of your senior year grades)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Two (2) letters of recommendation from appropriate references
- \_\_\_\_\_ Typed student essay
- \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant's Photo (Optional)

**The completed application packet must be post marked by April 15, 2018**  
***Any application received after that date will not be considered.***