

INTER-COMMUNITY COUNCIL, INC.

Louise Cameron Scholarship

High School Student Application

Submission Deadline: April 30, 2021

5:00 PM

NO EXCEPTIONS



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What is the High School Student Scholarship?

The high school student scholarship gives high school graduates the opportunity to further their education at an accredited college, university, or technical/vocational school. The scholarship award helps cover the cost of tuition, fees, books, supplies, and other related expenses.

What scholarships are available for the 2021 - 2022 academic year?

The Inter-Community Council, Inc. (ICC) awards the Louise Cameron Scholarships annually to residents of Athens Housing Authority (AHA) communities. This year, ICC will award up to \$2,000 in increments of \$1000, or other designated amounts depending on the numbers of scholarship awards.

Scholarship applicants will be notified of their status by May 21, 2021. Scholarship awards will be announced at the Inter-Community Council, Inc.'s Annual Meeting in June 2021.

Who can apply for the scholarships?

In order to be eligible for a High School Student Scholarship, you must be a resident 17-19 years old and graduating from high school during the 2020-2021 school year. The resident must meet the following criteria:

- Current resident named as an occupant on the lease at the Athens Housing Authority.
- Must be accepted in a full or part-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited two or four-year College, university, or vocational/technical school.
- Must have a 2.7, or higher, grade point average.

What is the deadline to apply?

Your completed application must be turned in to the Athens Housing Authority drive through window by 5:00 pm on Monday, **April 30, 2021**. Applications received will be date and time stamped upon receipt. Applications received after the date and time deadline will not be considered.

What is the process for applying?

- Pick up an application packet from the Athens Housing Authority's drive through window.
- Read the entire application before completing it. If you have questions about completing the application, contact Lora Thompson at (706) 425-5412.
- Complete and submit the entire application and essay requirement as attached.
- Provide a current, complete, and official college or technical/vocational transcript of grades directly from your high school (**in the original sealed envelope**).
- **Submit official copy of SAT/ACT scores. REQUIREMENT WAIVED**
- Submit results of the Georgia High School Graduation Tests (GHS GT).
- Submit copy of College Placement Exam (CPE) score. ICC **will not** give assistance for remedial courses.
- Submit copy of acceptance letter from a college, university, or technical/vocational school.
- Submit three reference letters supporting the character, achievements, and advancement of the applicant. One letter must be from a school official. The other letters may be from employers, ministers, or anyone with significant knowledge of the applicant.
- Submit an essay, **typed** on a separate sheet of paper(s), double-spaced, 12 point font, with a maximum of 400 words describing your reasons for pursuing a higher education.

Applicants are responsible for gathering and submitting all needed information by the deadline.

How will the award be distributed?

The Inter-Community Council, Inc. will send the check to the college or university. If tuition and books are covered by other scholarships, the ICC scholarship award may be paid directly to the student, upon request.

Deadline for Submittal

April 30, 2021, 5:00 pm

Athens Housing Authority

300 S. Rocksprings Street

Athens, GA 30606

(706) 425-5412

Attention: Ms. Lora Thompson, Resident Support Coordinator

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Name: _____
First Middle Last

Current Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Phone Number: _____

Years you have lived at present address: _____ Email: _____

Name of High School currently attending: _____

Expected High School Graduation Date: _____

Name of College/University/Technical School: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Anticipated Major: _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____

Estimated Educational Expenses for the 2021 – 2022 Academic Year: _____

Please include tuition, fees, books, and supplies.

Complete the following information regarding other scholarships and grant awards that you are applying for or will receive. Include a print out from your Banner Student Login that provides an overview of your account.

Source	Amount	Received/Pending

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List school(s) to which you have applied for admission:

School

Address

Status of Application

Describe extracurricular school or community activities and achievements, which provide evidence of personal motivation and initiative. Example: high school or civic club activities, church activities, sports participation, work activities, family assistance, etc.

REQUIRED ESSAY Please provide a typed essay on a separate sheet of paper(s), double-spaced, 12 point font, with a maximum of 400 words describing your reasons for pursuing a higher education. In addition, please include any information that you feel would be helpful to the committee in selecting you as a scholarship winner. **(Your application will not be considered if essay is not attached.)**

RELEASE By submitting this application, I hereby give the Inter-Community Council, Inc. permission to use my name in matters relating to the promotion of this scholarship. In addition, I give them permission to review my Occupancy files at AHA and/or contact my school office(s) concerning the validity of my application materials. I understand that if I submit false information on this application, I will be denied the scholarship without appeal. Furthermore, I understand that award of the scholarship shall be governed by any, and all, conditions established by the Committee.

Applicant: _____ / _____
Signature Date

Parent/Guardian: _____ / _____
Signature Date

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Grade Point Average/Test Scores Certification Form

I certify that _____'s cumulative Grade Point
Name of Student

Average as of December 31, 2020, was: _____/on a 100 point scale (and/or)
_____/ on a 4.00 scale

College Placement Exam (CPE) Score: _____

Other Scores/ Test Results						
ACT	SAT	LANG. ARTS	MATH	SCIENCE	SOC. STUDIES	WRITING
WAIVED	WAIVED					
WAIVED	WAIVED					

Signature: _____ Date: _____
School Official

Title: _____

School: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

*** This form MUST be completed and returned in a sealed envelope from the official that completes it.**

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Checklist

To ensure you have submitted a completed application, please verify that you have the following items and will meet the submission deadline of April 30, 2021, at 5:00 pm.

Application

- _____ Completed Application (pages 1 and 2)
- _____ Estimated Educational Expenses
- _____ Other Scholarship Information (amount and status)
- _____ Signed by Applicant and Parent/Guardian

Support Information

- _____ Typed Essay
- _____ Official High School Transcript
- _____ GPA Certification Form completed and signed by School Official
- _____ College Acceptance Letter
- _____ Copy of SAT/ACT Scores **REQUIREMENT WAIVED**
- _____ Results of Georgia High School Graduation Tests (GHSGT)
- _____ Copy of College Placement Exam (CPE) Score
- _____ Three Letters of Support