

Beaumont Branch NAACP Scholarship Application

Dear 2024 Applicant:

The Beaumont Branch of the NAACP is an organization that encourages young men and women to achieve excellence through higher education. The Scholarship Program supports this focus by awarding up to three scholarships to students graduating from a high school in Beaumont, Texas, will be entering and maintaining full time status at an approved, accredited, 2- or 4-year university, college, or technical school, and meets all the eligibility requirements. Full time status is 12 hours or more. All applicants must exemplify a desire to succeed, strong leadership, and community involvement.

Scholarship awards will be applied toward tuition, room, board, and books. Awards will be received in two disbursements. The first half of the award will be dispersed in August. To receive the first half of the award the student must provide proof of full-time enrollment for the 2024 Fall Session. This must be mailed to the office and must be postmarked no later than July 1, 2024. If the deadline is missed the student will forfeit the first half of the award but will be eligible for the second half. The second half of the award will be dispersed in January. To receive the second disbursement, the student must provide proof of full-time enrollment for the upcoming 2025 Spring Session, and proof that all credits were earned in the Fall session and meet eligibility requirements. These items must be mailed to the office and must be postmarked no later than December 31, 2024. If the deadline is missed the student will forfeit the second half of the award. Checks will be mailed from the Beaumont Branch NAACP Office and made payable to the certified institution.

Applicants must complete the application in legible print; follow the application instructions precisely, meet all the eligibility requirements and deadlines to qualify. Applications cannot be brought to the office. Applications must be mailed. Application packets must be postmarked no later than March 1, 2024. Award letters will be forwarded to recipients via email on April 21, 2024. Scholarship interviews will be held on May 2024. You will be notified of this date via email.

Mail your completed application to:

Beaumont Branch NAACP
Scholarship Committee
P.O Box 1612
Beaumont, Texas 77704

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Applicants will receive a score of either a 10 or a 0 for each criterion requested.

1. Beaumont, Texas High School Senior
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 (C+)
3. Sealed Transcript
4. Acceptance letter to a 2- or 4-year university, college, or technical school
5. Sealed letter of recommendation The letters must be typed, include contact information, title/position have an original signature, and mention your leadership/community involvement.
6. Sealed letter of recommendation The letters must be typed, include contact information, title/position have an original signature, and mention your leadership/community involvement.
7. 4x6 business headshot
8. Documentation of Service Hours or Community Service Use the form provided for each organization. Make copies if necessary.
9. Essay
10. List of leadership involvement and a brief description of your career goals (25 words or less)

Bonus (5 points each)

1. SAT Score 1050 or above
2. Current, active member of the Beaumont Branch Youth Council from June to current date
Join, renew, donate at naacpbeaumont.com

ESSAY REQUIREMENTS

Essay must be typed, Times New Roman size 14 font, double spaced, 600 words minimum on the requested topic. Essays must be emailed to bmtnaacp@hotmail.com to verify word count.

Topic: What is the importance of voting?

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Student Profile:

Name of High School

Date of Award Ceremony

Counselor's Name

Counselor's Email Address

College You Plan to Attend

Field of Study

Name

Date of Birth

Social Security #

Address

City/State/Zip

Home Phone #

Cell Phone #

Email Address

Parent's Name

Parent's Cell Phone #

Parent's Email Address

Student Signature

Parent Signature

Documentation of Community Service Hours
(Make additional copies if needed)

Name: Organization/Church:

Supervisor Contact Information:

Supervisor Signature:

<i>Year</i>	<i>Hours</i>
<i>2017</i>	
<i>2018</i>	
<i>2019</i>	
<i>2020</i>	
<i>2021</i>	
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