

Fayetteville Cumberland County  
**Ministerial Council**

**2023 Annual  
Scholarship  
Award**



**INVESTING IN THE  
FUTURE OF OUR YOUTH**

Fayetteville Cumberland County Ministerial Council  
Fayetteville, North Carolina

Apostle Sharon T. Journigan, President Dr.  
Aaron Johnson, President Emeritus

## FCCMC SCHOLARSHIP AWARD 2023

**Purpose:** To provide scholarships to ten (10) deserving high school graduating seniors who plan to continue their education by attending a college/university or other post-secondary educational institution. The scholarships are in the amount of \$1,000.

### Criteria

1. Applicant must be a graduating high school senior in the year the scholarship is awarded.
2. Applicant must have a minimum **GPA of 2.5** to be considered for the award.
3. Applicant must show evidence of community and church involvement.
4. Application must have a designated adult to verify packet is complete\*\*

### Process (Please ensure that application is completed in its entirety.)

Applicants must submit the following items: (Please check each item before submitting)

- \_\_1. Completed application form (please type or print legibly, using black ink).
- \_\_2. A brief biographical sketch of applicant which also includes his/her plans for the future.
- \_\_3. Include College Acceptance Letter.
- \_\_4. Completed essay, using one of the five questions on separate sheet of paper. (Adhere to the guidelines within the application).
- \_\_5. At least one letter of recommendation from choice of high school teachers, administrators, counselors, pastor, employers, or individuals with significant knowledge of applicant.
- \_\_6. An official school transcript or complete the School Counselor Authentication/Evaluation part of application on last page.
- \_\_7. Make sure that all required signatures are on application.
- \_\_8. ALL application packets must be postmarked NLT, **Friday, April 14, 2023** and submitted through the U.S. Postal Service. **ABSOLUTELY NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- \_\_9. Please mail or submit to person listed on the application.
- \_\_10. **Scholarships will be awarded upon the Council's receipt of documentation of enrollment at an institution. The award will be made to the student, not the institution.**

### NOTICE

**All recipients will be notified by May 10, 2023. The actual money will be awarded upon verification of enrollment in college. Student must be enrolled by the second semester.**

**RETURN APPLICATIONS TO:  
FCCMC  
c/o Georgeanna Pinckney  
3529 Furman Drive  
Fayetteville, North Carolina 28304**

**THE FAYETTEVILLE CUMBERLAND COUNTY MINISTERIAL COUNCIL  
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**



**Please type or print in black ink.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Number \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Number \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_ School Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Father/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Mother/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Honors and Special Achievements (Grades 8-12) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

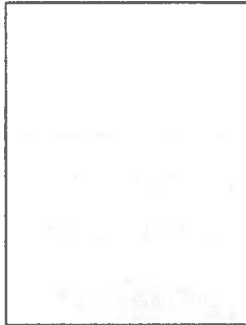
Extracurricular Activities (School) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Church Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_ Pastor's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Church and Community \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

College you plan to attend \_\_\_\_\_

Major or Field of Interest \_\_\_\_\_



**Current Photo Senior Portrait or Cap & Gown Preferred**  
(No casual photos accepted. Pictures will appear in MLK Book)

**School Counselor Authentication/Evaluation:**

*(Not required if application is accompanied by an official school transcript containing the data below).*

GPA (4.0 Scale) \_\_\_\_\_ SAT \_\_\_\_\_ or ACT \_\_\_\_\_

The student class rank is \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_ students in graduating class.

School Counselor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

***Required Signatures (as a separate category from school stuff.)***

FCCMC Sponsor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ FCCMC member  yes  no



**In your own handwriting, please respond to one of the following questions with approximately a 200-300 word essay, using standard grammar with elaboration and details. Write clearly and legibly.**

1. Is King's speech, *I Have a Dream* meaningful today?
2. Why voting is so important
3. Explain how "Better Together" is important in this current climate of divisiveness.

I verify that the information contained in this application is accurate and correct to the best of my knowledge. I consent to allow this application package to be reviewed by the scholarship review committee. **My college acceptance letter is attached.**

**\*\*I** \_\_\_\_\_ (adult) verify that the application packet is complete. Date \_\_\_\_\_