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## 2023 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

### **REQUIREMENTS - ALL APPLICANTS MUST:**

- **Attend Alabama A&M University**
- Be a United States citizen,
- Be a high school senior, graduating in good standing, with a cumulative grade point average of 3.00 or above,
- Have a score in the 50 percentile or above on either the ACT or SAT,
- Have participated in extracurricular activities and/or served in leadership roles in high school, church or community.

Please read and carefully follow these instructions:

- **Submit the entire application with all requirements by MARCH 15, in one envelope, to the John Stallworth Foundation.**
- **Certified or registered mail is not recommended; will delay delivery.**
- **Incomplete packages will not be considered.**
- **Include only the items listed below in your package:**
  - (1) **Completed, signed scholarship application form. *Do not leave any blank sections. If a section does not apply to you, write n/a in space provided. (Income, and all other information you provide is subject to verification.)***
  - (2) **Principal and/or counselors report verifying your GPA, your SAT/ACT scores and the percentile of your scores.**
  - (3) **Essay**
  - (4) **Official high school transcript with SAT/ACT scores**
  - (5) **Three letters of recommendation from community leaders, pastor or teachers**
  - (6) **Copy of acceptance letter from Alabama A&M University or include a note stating that you have not yet received your letter.**

### **ESSAY CRITERIA:**

- **250 words maximum: Type the essay; include your typed name and signature.**
- **Explain why you need to receive the scholarship.**
- **Outline your career goals, and your plans to give back by supporting the university and/or your community after graduation.**

### **SCHOLARSHIP AWARD INFORMATION:**

- The John Stallworth Foundation's academic scholarship **award is primarily based on the financial need** of applicants who meet scholastic achievement, merit, and provide evidence of leadership. The minimum John Stallworth Foundation scholarship award is \$5,000 per year.
- Income information is subject to verification. If you live in a one parent household and receive child financial support, include income pertaining to both parents.
- Funds are disbursed in July for the fall semester, and in January for the spring semester.
- Scholarships may be renewed for up to four years, if recipient meets requirements.
- All information provided in your application is subject to verification.
- If selected for a scholarship, you will be required to sign a scholarship acceptance agreement which outlines requirements for receiving and continuing this scholarship.



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## PRINCIPAL/COUNSELOR'S REPORT

Dear Principal/Counselor:

The student named below is applying for a John Stallworth Foundation scholarship to attend **Alabama A&M University**. Please assist us by providing the information requested below. We would also appreciate a letter of recommendation containing any information that you deem relevant to our selection. All information will be treated in a strictly confidential manner.

**Please include an OFFICIAL copy of applicant's high school transcript with ACT or SAT scores.**

Student's Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

School Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

What is the applicant's individual ranking among his/her graduating class? \_\_\_\_\_

How would you rank the applicant's chances for scholastic success at the collegiate level?  
PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

Outstanding \_\_\_\_\_ Excellent \_\_\_\_\_ Good \_\_\_\_\_ Fair \_\_\_\_\_ Poor \_\_\_\_\_

How would you rank the applicant's will to excel scholastically-his/her drive?

Outstanding \_\_\_\_\_ Excellent \_\_\_\_\_ Good \_\_\_\_\_ Fair \_\_\_\_\_ Poor \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe the integrity and character of the applicant:

\_\_\_\_\_

Please include composite SAT and/or composite ACT scores, and verify if student is at or above the 50 percentile:

ACT or SAT Composite Score: \_\_\_\_\_. Did student score at or above 50 percentile? \_\_\_\_\_

Counselor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please print)

Counselor's contact telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

This completed form must be mailed with application requirements (transcript, application, essay and 3 letters of recommendation) to the address above. **Deadline: The entire scholarship application package must be mailed in one envelope to the John Stallworth Foundation, and postmarked by MARCH 15. Incomplete or faxed applications will not be considered.**



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**DIRECTIONS: Type or print clearly in black ink; write n/a in sections that do not apply.**

Student's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. # \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Name of High School \_\_\_\_\_ City/State \_\_\_\_\_

List school, church, community activities \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

List leadership positions(s) held \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Your cumulative grade point average? \_\_\_\_\_ Your ACT or SAT score: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted and do you plan to attend **Alabama A&M University:** \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) OR Guardian(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Employer \_\_\_\_\_

OR:  
Guardian's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Household income:  Under \$50,000  Under \$75,000  Under \$100,000  \$100,000 or above

List other scholarships received: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Number of dependent children in family (including applicant) \_\_\_\_\_ Ages \_\_\_\_\_

What percent of student's educational expenses will parent/guardian be able to provide? \_\_\_\_\_

*I certify that the above statements are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.*

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

Signature of Student Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_