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National Coalition of 100 Black Women
Central Alabama Chapter, Inc.
Post Office Box 360153
Hoover, AL 35236

Subject: Scholarship Opportunities for Black Female High School Seniors

Dear High School Counselor or Administrator:

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The National Coalition of 100 Black Women (NCBW), Incorporated, originated in 1970 in New York City, as an organization to advocate for issues that impacted black women and their families. Currently, there are 60 chapters across the country sharing the same mission, vision and purpose. One of our purposes is to support educational opportunities for black women and girls.

The NCBW-Central Alabama Chapter, Incorporated, service area covers 23 counties in Alabama. Our chapter of outstanding women work hard to advocate for black girls in their quest to continue their education beyond high school. We are sponsoring scholarships to qualified black female high school applicants to support financial needs for their 2018-2019 freshman year in college. These applicants must reside in one the following counties in Alabama: Bibb, Fayette, Jefferson, Tuscaloosa and Walker. Award amounts for each scholarship will be determined at a later date.

We are requesting your support via distribution of applications and announcements of scholarship opportunities for qualified black female high school seniors. Applicants are responsible for having their academic records (OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT with ACT/SAT score included on the transcript) verified by a counselor. Please submit the following documents to be considered for the NCBW-Central Alabama Chapter Scholarship Award:

1. Completed application form including essay.
2. Two letters of recommendation from your high school faculty or counselor **IN SEALED ENVELOPES**.
3. Submit a copy of the applicant's transcript and a copy of ACT/SAT scores signed and verified by an administrator or counselor and placed **IN A SEALED ENVELOPE**.
4. Please submit a photo for display purposes.
5. Completed media release form. Applicants must type or print all information with a black ballpoint pen.

All paperwork must be received by **April 06, 2018**.

Return application to:

NCBW - Central Alabama Chapter, Inc.
Attention: Mrs. Sharon Hawkins (Scholarship Application)
Post Office Box 360153
Hoover, AL 35236

We are excited to offer scholarship awards to deserving applicants. Upon receiving confirmation from the applicant of the school they are attending, the award for scholarship recipients will be forwarded to the educational institution during the 2018-2019 academic school year of recipient's choice, once enrollment has been verified.

Thank you in advance for assisting NCBW-Central Alabama Chapter, Incorporated; in identifying eligible applicants to apply for our scholarship opportunity.

Sincerely,
Shelia Penn
President-NCBW Central Alabama Chapter, Inc.



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HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE APPLICANT

Applicants (**black female high school seniors**) must submit a completed application and all other requested documents in **ONE ENVELOPE** to the above address by **April 06, 2018**. Applications received after **April 06, 2018** will not be considered.

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Please direct any questions to:

Mrs. Sharon Hawkins 205-765-7937

NOTICE OF DISQUALIFICATION POLICY: The Scholarship Committee of the Central Alabama Chapter of the National Coalition of 100 Black Women will disqualify applicants submitting an incomplete application package and failing to adhere to the deadline for this scholarship award.

SECTION 1 – PERSONAL INFORMATION

(Please print, type or word process your responses.)

Name:

Date of Birth:

Address:

Home Phone:

Email address:

**Parent's/Parents'/Guardian's Name and
Contact Number:**

Applicant's Cell Phone Number:

High School Name and Address:

High School Phone:

Name of High School Campus Counselor:

SECTION 2 – ACADEMIC INFORMATION

(Please print, type or word process your responses.)

Name of High School: _____

GPA: _____ **High School Rank:** _____ **out of** _____

SAT/ACT Scores: _____

Anticipated major(s): _____

Data Certified by: _____ **Position:** _____

Date: _____

SECTION 3 –ACTIVITIES AND INTERESTS

(Please print, type or word process your responses.)

A. List and briefly describe your high school extracurricular activities (e.g., memberships in organizations, sports, etc.):

Organization Involved	Position Held	Date of Involvement

B. List and briefly describe volunteer activities in which you have been involved:

Organization	Activity	Date of Involvement

C. List honors or academic awards you have received (e.g., scholarly activities, research, etc.):

Award/Honor	Institution/Organization	Date

D. List and briefly describe any work experience:

Position	Employer	Dates of Employment

SECTION 4 – SHORT ESSAYS

(Please type or word process your essay.)

Write a letter of application that details if awarded this scholarship how the scholarship award will assist you in achieving your educational goal. Be sure to include why you feel you need this scholarship and tell us what scholarships you have already been awarded if any. *Maximum word count: 500 words*

SECTION 5 – OTHER INFORMATION

Is there any other information that we should know about you? This is your opportunity to include information that is NOT contained in other areas of the application. Please be specific and concise.