

Louisiana Association of Federal Education Program Administrators

Scholarship Application

Purpose

The purpose of this scholarship program is to provide a one-time award of \$1,500 to twelve high school seniors who will be attending their first year of college. Recipients will be selected from public high schools throughout Louisiana.

Selection Process

Recipients of the LAFEPA scholarship award will be selected by the LAFEPA Scholarship Committee

Selection Criteria

Recipients of the LAFEPA scholarship will be selected based upon the following criteria:

- Official high school transcript from fall semester 2024 signed by school counselor (20 points)
- Extracurricular activities/leadership roles within the community or church (5 points)
- Three letters of recommendation – one each from the candidate’s principal on school letterhead, a previous or current teacher, and one from a community representative (15 points)
- Financial need as described in a one-page double-spaced narrative (30 points)
- A one-page essay outlining the candidate’s future goals and ambitions (30 points)

Scholarship Payment

The scholarship will be made in full payable to the student. It is the responsibility of each scholarship recipient to present verification of enrollment and a tuition invoice from the institution to the Scholarship Chairperson. The scholarship will be disbursed when the president and treasurer approve the required documentation.

Application Deadline

The student’s application and companion forms must be received at the following email address by Tuesday, January 21, 2025:

Stephanie_rogers@camsch.org

Please place **LAFEPA Scholarship** in the subject line.

Part I - LAFEPA Scholarship Application – Personal Information

To be Completed by the Scholarship Applicant

Last Name _____ First Name _____ MI _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address: _____

High School _____ Date of Graduation _____

School District/Parish _____

Parent(s) or Guardian(s) _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

I, _____ agree all components of my scholarship application information may be electronically submitted for review and evaluation.

Signature _____ Date _____

A completed LAFEPA Scholarship Application Form must have the following attachments:

- Part I** LAFEPA Scholarship Application - Personal Information
- Part II** Official high school transcript from fall 2024 semester signed by school counselor.
- Part III** Summary of extracurricular activities/leadership roles within the community and/or church
- Part IV** Three letters of recommendation
 - One from the school principal on school letterhead
 - One from a previous or current teacher on school letterhead
 - One from a community representative
- Part V** Financial need as described in one-page, double-spaced narrative
- Part VI** A one-page personal typed narrative written by the applicant explaining why he/she should receive the scholarship and outlining the candidate’s future goals and ambitions
- Part VII** Headshot photo – This photo will be used in scholarship recipient presentation at the LAFEPA Spring 2025 Conference.