

PLUS

Promising Leaders Undergraduate Scholarship

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Leadership Germantown PLUS Application

(Promising Leaders Undergraduate Scholarship)

Each year Leadership Germantown awards the Promising Leaders Undergraduate Scholarship (PLUS) to a graduating senior who is a resident of Germantown. The award recipient must have demonstrated evidence of leadership in high school and extracurricular activities. Candidates must submit the attached application, two letters of recommendation, an essay addressing specific questions, and be willing to take part in the finalist interviews. The Leadership Germantown scholarship committee will review all applications and determine the finalists.

Scholarship Requirements:

- Minimum high school GPA of 3.2 and minimum ACT of 21 or SAT of 990.
- Germantown Resident
- Graduating Senior
- Provide evidence of participation and leadership in high school activities and community, civic, social, secular and other extracurricular organizations
- Provide two (2) letters of recommendation
- Required interview for finalists

Instructions:

- Please complete the application (separate sheets of paper are acceptable). Complete each item. Use N/A for any that are not applicable.
- Application needs to be signed by an academic school official or guidance counselor certifying GPA, ACT or SAT score.
- Two letters of recommendation are required and must be submitted separately:
 - One (1) from an academic official
 - One (1) from an individual representing a community organization in which you have participated
- The application and supporting documents must be submitted electronically by Friday, March 23rd, 2018 at 5:00pm CST to LeadershipGermantown@gmail.com. No exceptions will be granted for late applications.



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Application

Personal Information:

Name _____
Last First Middle

Address: _____
Number and Street

Germantown, TN _____
Zip Code

Phone: _____ Email: _____

High School Information

High School Name: _____

Anticipated Graduation Date _____

ACT/SAT Score _____

GPA (4.0 scale) _____ Class Rank _____ Class Size _____

Verifying Signature _____ Date _____
(School Administrator, Guidance Counselor)

Academic, Work, Extracurricular, and Community Service Activities

Please consider your involvement in academic, service, or work-related extracurricular activities in your school and community. List up to eight activities that are most important to you. **IMPORTANT:** Describe your level of involvement and leadership roles (if any) for each activity and why it is important to you. List any special awards or honors from these organizations. Restrict responses to the space provided.

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Application: Short Answer Questions

Please respond to the following questions, restricting responses to no more than 900 characters per question.

1. What is the most significant leadership position or role you have experienced and what did you learn about yourself?
2. How would your friends describe your character and core values? Describe a difficulty or hardship that you have encountered. Explain how you dealt with this difficulty or hardship.
3. What are your leadership strengths and weaknesses? What new experiences and skills do you intend to gain in the next four years to help you grow as a leader?

Employment:

Are you currently employed? Yes No

Position _____

Business/EmployerName _____

Briefly describe your responsibilities

Essay: [Please attach essay to the application. Not to exceed two (2) pages]

Use the following quote as the context for explaining why you want to be a recipient of the Promising Leaders Undergraduate Scholarship.

“Leadership is the ability to inspire and direct others in a manner that lets them accomplish more than they ordinarily would, either individually or as part of a team.”

Certification:

I certify that all the information on this application is correct and written by me.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of School Official

Date

NOTE:

Please make sure that the application and supporting documents are submitted to Leadership Germantown by **5:00pm CST Friday, March 23rd, 2018**. Award recipient(s) must attend the City of Germantown Education Celebration in May *and* the Leadership Germantown Graduation Celebration on Tuesday, June 19th, 2018 where they will receive their actual award.



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