

2010

JAMES P HUMPHREY
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Western Union Baptist District Association

*An Affiliate of
The Ohio Baptist General Convention*

&

The National Baptist General Convention, USA, Inc.



*Reverend James Pankey
Moderator*

**APPLICATION MUST BE POST-
MARKED BY JUNE 15, 2010**

WUBDA 2010 James P. Humphrey Scholarship Application

*Timeline Tasks for 2010 Applications
WUBDA James P Humphrey Scholarship*

Task	Date	Responsible	Party
Distribution of Application	11/07/09		D. Anderson
Posting On Website	01/03/10		H. Martin
Follow up Announcement to Churches	02/06/10		D. Anderson
Voice Communication to Pastors	04/18/2010		
Final Communication	05/08/10		D. Anderson
Applications Due (post marked)	06/15/10		Applicants
Application Review Meeting (Location TBD)	07/01/10		Committee
Selection Communication to Moderator	07/01/10		D. Anderson
Documents Submitted for Program	07/06/10		D. Anderson
Presentation	07/29/10		

**NOTE: The top Three scoring applicants will be selected to receive the James P Humphrey Scholarship Award.
Only One Winner per Church**

WESTERN UNION BAPTIST DISTRICT ASSOCIATION
2008 James P. Humphrey Scholarship Application

This is a one-time, non-renewable scholarship award.

Application Deadline:

All applications and required documents/attachments must be mailed to:

Western Union Baptist District Association

Attn: Scholarship Committee
C/O Damita L. Anderson ~ Application Review Chairperson
PO BOX 702
Xenia, OH 45385

Post Marked on or before: Monday, June 15, 2010

The Scholarship Fund of the Western Union Baptist District Association was established to aide aspiring African-American youth, who express a desire and demonstrate preparation for attendance at an accredited University, College, or Trade school. The Scholarship was renamed for Deacon James P. Humphrey at the 135th Annual Session of the WUBDA .

General Requirements For Each Applicant:

Application must be **complete**, including, but not limited to each general requirement in order to be considered.

Applicant **must** be an established member of his/her church (by Letter, Baptism, or Christian Experience and having received the Right Hand of Fellowship) as verified by his/her Pastor and Church Clerk.

Church **must** have registered with the WUBDA for the **2007** calendar year. (Churches have up to the May Adjourned Session to register).

Applicant **must** be a current high school senior and show proof, passing **all** Proficiency tests. (Official Documentation from his/her high school).

Applicant **must** submit an **Official High School Transcript** of academic accomplishments), and have a **minimum** cumulative **2.5 GPA**. (Official Transcript must be sent directly from his/her high school).

Applicant **must** answer **each** of the questions **completely** under "Other Data" (Page 3).

Applicant **must** attach three personal references, of which one **must** be from his/her Pastor.

Applicant **must** attach a small non-returnable picture or one that is comparable. Digital pictures are acceptable if submitted on a diskette or CD. (*Note: Winner's picture may be used in our publications and/or website.*)

Applicant **must** submit along with the application, an original essay, consisting of a **minimum** of 500 words. The topic of the essay must be, **"The Church and The Foundation" - I Corinthians 3:10-11 & Matthew 16:1** (*See page 4 for additional instructions regarding the essay.*)

Winners are expected to personally attend the WUBDA Scholarship Award Banquet ~ Thursday evening of the Annual Session. Specific information will be provided when available.

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REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS

(Applicants must meet all of the requirements to meet eligibility requirements.)

Applicant may be a high school senior or presently attending college, vocational school, or seminary as a full time student.

The scholarship applicant:

- A. Must be a member of a church that is currently registered with the Convention and the Congress of Christian Education
- B. Must be a prospective high school graduate in the year of application.
- C. Must use funds for undergraduate studies
- D. Must have a grade point average (G.P.A.) of at least 2.0
- E. Must be a full time student and/or present documentation of registration as a full time student
- F. Must be a member in good standing of a church that has registered in the last session of the Western Union Baptist District Association (WUBDA Registrar will be consulted regarding Church registration)
- G. Must have attended Christian Education classes (Sunday School and/or Bible Study) in the local church
- H. Must participate in the overall life of the church

PROCEDURES/POLICY

- A. The committee will evaluate each state applicant based on a set of criteria adopted by the committee.
- B. Other than grade point averages, the information reported on the application is classified as being true. Designated points are given for Educational Background, Church Participation, Economic Need, Community Participation and Neatly Submitted Applications.
- C. The three highest scoring applicants will be selected. Only **One** finalist per church.
- D. A monetary scholarship will be awarded to the three finalist The names of the scholarship recipients will be withheld until the night of the WUBDA Scholarship Banquet.
- E. Scholarships will be awarded in one lump sum disbursement.
- F. Letters of recommendation must be included with the scholarship application
- G. Faxes will not be accepted.

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Personal Data

Name _____
Last First M.I.

Birth Date _____ Place of Birth _____
Month/Day/Year City State

Mailing Address _____
Street City State Zip Code

Telephone Number () _____ Alternate Number () _____

Name of High School _____ Email Address: _____

Address/City/State _____ Zip Code _____

Grade Point Average _____ Rank in Class _____ / _____ Class Size _____

College/s to which you have applied (List in order of preference)

*Indicate if G.P.A. is other than a 4 pt system _____

Name	State	Applied	Accepted	No Action	Expenses / Tuition Fees	Other Expenses (Specify)	Total Estimated Cost

Area(s) of Career Interests _____

Career Goal _____ Intended College Major _____

Scores on SAT: _____ Date Test was taken _____ Scores: Verbal ____ Math _____

Achievement test(s) taken:

Name of test and score received

Extra Curricular Activities/Community Involvement: (Use additional sheet if necessary):

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Father's Name _____ Mother's Name _____

Address _____

Occupation/Title _____

Where Employed _____

List the name (s) of all brothers and sisters, including those living at home and away attending school.

Name	Age	Grade	Name	Age	Grade
1. _____	_____	_____	5. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	6. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	7. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	8. _____	_____	_____

List the names of other dependents living with the family and mention any unusual circumstances regarding them.

Available From	Amount	Applied	Amount Awarded
Supplemental Education			
Grants (i.e. State, Pell, Etc)			
1.			
2.			
3.			
Loans			
1.			
2.			
3.			
Your Savings			
Other Contributions			
Total			

What are your alternatives should you not receive scholarships or grants:

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Other Data: Each item below **requires** a response. Please type responses and answer in complete sentences. **Be specific** and use additional sheets to expand answers.

Explain any unusual expenses, debts, or special circumstances (hardships) that are relevant to consideration for this scholarship.

What church activities have been the most beneficial to the applicant? Why?

What high school courses have been the most beneficial to the applicant? Why?

List and describe any type of community services performed.

How has the applicant represented Christ in his/her daily walk among his/her peers and in his/her community?

Has the applicant been employed while attending high school? If so, what affect did working have on his/her academic performance?

What extra-curricular high school activities has the applicant participated in? What affect did they have on his/her growth? Why did he/she select this/these activities to participate in?

List WUBDA activities and events has the applicant attended and participated in during the last two years. Be specific. Obtain a letter of recommendation from Guild, Young David Counselor or Youth Advisor.

DISCLOSURE: *The information provided in this application will be disclosed only to the WUBDA as required to determine the applicant's eligibility for this one time scholarship. The information will be available to members of the WUBDA Scholarship committee only, in the course of their duties in establishing scholarship recipients.*

I hereby certify that the information provided in this application is, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct. I have not knowingly withheld any facts or circumstances that could otherwise jeopardize consideration of this application.

*Furthermore, by signing this application, I understand that **ALL** items required for a complete application must be included with this application in order that I may be considered.*

Applicant's Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Pastor's Signature
ship)

Church Clerk/Secretary Signature (verifying membership)

Church: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address/Website: _____

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Essay Requirements:

Minimum of 500 words

Single or double spaced lines

Double spaced between paragraphs

Font size 12 (Times New Romans preferred)

Use footnotes, and page numbers

Include appropriate biblical references and explain how they relate

Use appropriate grammar, spelling, and punctuation

**** Incomplete applications will not be considered for evaluation.**

**** The Committee will not accept pre-arranged profile sheets. All previously mentioned requirements must be met and followed by all applicants.**

USE THE FOLLOWING TOPIC

“The Church & The Foundation.”

I Corinthians 3:10-11 & Matthew 16:18

How Will The Applicant Be Scored:

All General Requirements Met

All general requirements **MUST** be met before he/she will be considered for this scholarship. If any portions of this application or its requirements are not complete, he/she will be disqualified.

Academic Qualifications

SAT – 1-15 points

GPA – 1-25 points

Participation Church, Community, Work - 1-10 points

WUBDA Participation – 1-10 points

Essay – 1-8 points

Content

Composition

Sincerity

Emotional Impact

Grammar – 1-7 points

Organization & Appearance – 1-7 points

Leadership & Community Service – 1-9 points

Financial Need – 1-9 points

The three students with the highest scores will be selected as recipients of the WUBDA 2010 James P. Humphrey Scholarship. Any questions regarding this application or the process should be directed to Moderator James Pankey (513) 242.6242 or Sister Damita Anderson (937) 532-.5306. Additional copies are available at www.WUBDA.org