



**James Cleveland Gospel Music Workshop of America, Inc.
Houston, Chapter
Scholarship Application
(Deadline, January 25, 2020)**

General Information

The applicant must be a graduating high school student during the Spring 2020 Semester with plans to attend an accredited college or university. Applicants must reside in the greater Houston Area.

Scholarship is a onetime award in the amount of \$ 2,000. A letter of acceptance from the college of the applicant's choice is required. Proof of enrollment in the form of a tuition fee receipt must be presented before award is disbursed.

Application and Essay must be typed.

Applicants must have at least a 2.7 GPA. An official transcript (with school seal) must be submitted with application.

Applicants must submit three (3) letters of recommendation (one from school counselor, one from a teacher, and one from a church or community leader).

Students are reminded to use correct essay structure and check grammar and spelling before submitting application.

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Applicant must be a relative of a member of GMWA Houston Chapter or a chapter member themselves

*Postmark deadline for returning application is January 25, 2020. **No exceptions.**

** Only scholarship winners will be notified. Decision of the judges is final.

Application checklist

Completed application with essay
Three (3) letters of recommendation
Official Transcript
College Acceptance Letter

Mail to:

Houston GMWA, Inc.
10530 Rockaway Dr.
Houston, Texas 77016

c/o Dr. Albert L. Lemons, Chairman

**Scholarship applications will be evaluated
on the following criteria:**

GPA	25 points
Community Service/ Extra-Curricular Activities	25 points
Recommendation Letters	25 points
Essay	25 points

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I. Personal Information

Name:		
Phone:	Alternative Phone:	
Address:	Apt.	City:
State:	Zip:	Email:
Are you employed <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		If yes, where?
Occupation:		

II. Education Information

Name of High School you attend: _____ Grade Level _____

Address:	
City:	State:
Phone:	Zip:
Counselor's Name: _____	GPA: _____
Prospective field of study:	

Please list colleges that you have applied to:

Name of Institution:		
City:	State:	Zip:

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Have you received a letter of acceptance from any of these institutions? Yes No

If yes, which institution?

Please list scholarships that you have been awarded:

Name of Scholarship:	Amount:
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III. School Activities

Please list your high school extra-curricular activities, including organizations, athletic teams, clubs, etc. Indicate any leadership positions.

Please list any school honors or awards you have received.

IV. Community Service and Involvement

Please list your community service involvement.

V. Family Information

Father's Name:	
Phone:	Occupation
Mother's Name:	
Phone:	Occupation

VI. Essay

Write three paragraphs that describe your personal and career plans. Please include how this scholarship will enhance your ability to attain these goals. Attach typed essay to completed application.

VII. Statistical Information

(Optional – Will not be used as a part of the selection process)

- African American (Black)
- Asian
- Caucasian (White)
- Hispanic (Latino)
- Native American
- Other _____