



**Central Ohio Club of
The National Association of Negro Business and
Professional Women's Clubs Inc.
Scholarship Application**

The National Association of Negro Business and Professional Women's Club's, Inc. was founded in the spring of 1935 (www.nanbpwc.org). The mission of the NANBPWC is to advocate, educate, cooperate in and implement programs relative to matters affecting Black women and therefore society as a whole. The local chapter (Central Ohio Club) continues the vision of the national organization by providing information services in the areas of health, employment, education and economic development.

The Central Ohio Club of NANBPWC Undergraduate Scholarship Fund was established to recognize exceptional young women of color pursuing degrees in higher education. The \$500.00 scholarship is nontransferable and will be mailed directly to the Scholarship award recipient with verification of active enrollment. Scholarship award recipient will require official verification of student acceptance into an accredited institution of higher learning before distribution of funds. Award recipients will be selected using the following criteria:

- a) Academic achievement (school transcript must accompany application)
- b) Participation in extra-curricular activities
- c) Commitment to community service and leadership
- d) A well written essay outlining educational plans, future goals, and areas of interest (typed, one page double spaced)
- e) Two letters of recommendation (school, church, community service, etc)

Applicants are responsible for gathering and submitting all necessary information. Applications are evaluated on the information supplied; therefore, answer all questions as completely as possible. All information received is considered confidential and is reviewed only by Central Ohio Club of NANBPWC scholarship selection committee.

Eligibility

1. Applicant must be an African American female student
2. Applicant must be a graduating high school senior from the Central Ohio area, counties include Delaware, Fairfield and Franklin).
3. Applicant must demonstrate academic excellence by having a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale at the time of application.

Deadline

All scholarship materials must be **postmarked on or before April 21, 2019** for applicant to be considered for a scholarship. Send all completed materials to:

Central Ohio Chapter NANBPWC, INC. Scholarship

Attention: Education Committee

PO Box 163792

Columbus, OH 43216



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Application Instructions:

The following documents must be postmarked by **April 21, 2019.**

1. Applicant must complete and sign this two (2) page application form, front and back. Parent and/or guardian signature is required if applicant is under 18 years of age.
2. Include your official high school transcript.
3. Submit two sealed letters of recommendation (one from school and one from community, job or religious organization.)
4. Essay - typed, double space, one page, using 12-point font and 1 inch margins on all sides. Do not exceed the one page limit. Organize your essay to indicate how you meet the scholarship requirements in the areas indicated on the application cover page (e.g., academic excellence, commitment to community service, leadership and involvement in extra-curricular activities). Please outline your specific academic and professional goals.

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Application:

Full Name: _____

Date of Birth ____/____/____

Permanent Address:

Mailing Address (if different from above)

Phone Number: () _____

Alternate Phone Number: () _____

Current High School Class Standing: _____ Cumulative GPA: _____

Name of university or college attending in the **Fall 2019**: _____
(Send a copy of your official acceptance letter separately if admitted after this application deadline)

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____