

A Generation Inspired Scholarship Program

Presented by Fostering A Generation

Program Overview:

The Fostering A Generation Inspired Scholarship Program is an initiative of Fostering A Generation, designed to support youth in Madison County, Alabama who have experienced foster care, are at risk of placement, or are aging out of the system. This scholarship honors the resilience and potential of a generation that continues to rise in the face of adversity.

Through academic financial support, mentorship, and community encouragement, the program empowers students to pursue higher education, vocational training, or career advancement opportunities.

Eligibility:

Applicants must meet one or more of the following criteria:

- Currently or formerly in foster care
- At risk of foster care placement
- Aging out of the foster care system
- Living in Madison County, Alabama

Program Goals:

- Provide financial support to cover tuition, books, and related educational expenses
- Encourage leadership, service, and personal growth
- Connect scholars with mentors and local support networks
- Inspire recipients to give back to their communities

Award Amounts:

Scholarship awards vary based on available funding and applicant needs. Awards may be renewable based on academic progress and continued engagement.

Application Requirements:

- Completed application form
- Personal statement (500 words):
- Proof of enrollment or intent to enroll in a qualifying program
- One letter of recommendation from a teacher, mentor, or community leader

Why It Matters:

This program reflects our belief that when we invest in the dreams of young people, we don't just support individuals—we build a legacy. A Generation Inspired is not just a scholarship; it's a movement to recognize the promise in every child, and the power of a community that refuses to let them fall through the cracks.

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SECTION 1: Personal Information

Full Name (First, Middle, Last): _____ Date of Birth: _____
Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____
Current Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ ZIP Code: _____
Preferred Contact Method: ☐ Phone ☐ Email

SECTION 2: Eligibility (Check all that apply)

- ☐ Currently in foster care
- ☐ Formerly in foster care
- ☐ At risk of foster care placement
- ☐ Aging out of the foster care system
- ☐ Resident of Madison County, Alabama

SECTION 3: Education

Name of High School / GED Program: _____
Graduation Year or Expected Graduation Date: _____
Current School or Program Enrolled In (if applicable): _____
Intended Field of Study / Career Path: _____
Enrollment Status: ☐ Full-time ☐ Part-time ☐ Not yet enrolled

SECTION 4: Personal Statement

Attach or paste a 500-word personal statement answering the following: -
Share your experience related to foster care or being at risk.
- Describe your educational or career goals.
- Explain how this scholarship will help you succeed.
- Tell us how you plan to give back to your community.

SECTION 5: Supporting Documents

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Attach the following:

- Proof of enrollment or letter of intent to enroll
- One letter of recommendation from a teacher, mentor, or community leader

SECTION 6: Acknowledgements

- ☐ I confirm that all information provided is true and accurate.
- ☐ I agree to be contacted by Fostering A Generation regarding this application.
- ☐ I understand that submission does not guarantee selection.

Signature: _____ Date: _____