



2020 Scholarships

General Information

Students of all ages are invited to apply for a scholarship from the Guinea Heritage Association, Ltd. The award amount is typically \$500. Applications from prior winners are accepted.

The scholarship will be sent directly to the college, technical school, or educational program in which the recipient is enrolled, upon verification of his/her enrollment. It may be applied towards tuition, board, books, other training equipment, etc. The recipient has one year from the date of award to use the scholarship. If not used within that timeframe, the scholarship will revert to the Guinea Heritage Association, Ltd.

Qualifications

Applicants must meet the following criteria to be considered for the GHA scholarship:

- Minimum grade point average to be accepted at the applicant's chosen educational institution.
- Justified financial need.
- Preference will be given to applicants who demonstrate a family or personal association with the heritage of the Guinea area.

For the CB Rowe Memorial Scholarship, the **additional criteria** must be met:

- Residence from Hayes Store to Big Island
- Applicants **must** demonstrate a family or personal association with the heritage of Guinea.

When & Where to Submit Application

Completed applications should be mailed to:

GHA Scholarship
Attn: Sharon Zuber
PO Box 411
Bena, VA 23018

Applications must be received or postmarked by Friday, May 1, 2020, in order to be considered.

Questions?

If you have questions, please contact Sharon Zuber at (804) 694-9567 (text is fine), or by email at sharonl.zuber@gmail.com. Please put GJ Scholarship in the subject line.



Guinea Heritage Association 2020 APPLICATION FORM

GHA Scholarship

C.B. Rowe Memorial Scholarship

Indicate which scholarship you are applying for; you may choose both if applicable.

Name _____ Telephone _____

Mailing Address _____

Email Address _____

Date of Birth _____ Place of Birth _____

Name of parent(s) or guardian(s) & their place of work (if applicable):

Mother _____

Father _____

Brothers & Sisters still at home & their ages (if applicable):

Work/Volunteer Experience (including part-time & summer employment):

Employer/Organization	Duties/Hours per week	Dates of Employment
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Activities (school, community and/or church):

Do you have a personal or family association with the Guinea area? If so, please describe.

References: No references need to be submitted for the 2020 application. Gloucester High School will verify the applicant's grades.

Essay: Please legibly write or type a concise essay (1-2 pages) in which you explain:

1. What area of further education you plan to pursue (college, technical school, other)?
2. What kind of career you imagine yourself pursuing in ten years?
3. How will your chosen career help the Guinea area?