



National Society of Black Engineers

Charlotte Professionals Chapter

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Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (S.T.E.M.)
"Making A Difference" Scholarship Program 2017

Purpose: The "Making a Difference" scholarship was established in an effort to celebrate and support students who are pursuing careers in the field of STEM and embody the mission of the National Society of Black Engineers. We strive to award two (2) deserving Mecklenburg County School District high school graduating seniors interested in pursuing a college/university or other post-secondary educational institution course of study in STEM field.

1. The DEADLINE for scholarship applications is **5:00 pm on Friday, April 30, 2017** (NO EXCEPTIONS).
2. Please refer to below eligibility requirements and required supporting documents.
3. Incomplete applications will NOT be considered. Please place N/A in any space that does not apply.
4. You will be notified by mail in May 2017 regarding the status of your application.
5. If you have any questions regarding the application, please contact Marie Little at: treasurer@nsbecharlotte.org.

NOTE: Scholarship funds will be awarded to the student upon evidence of registration in an accredited post-secondary institution.

Award Components: Two (2) \$500.00 scholarships awarded to two (2) students selected by the Scholarship Committee.

Criteria:

1. Must be a Mecklenburg County School District high school senior in 2017
2. Must provide a one-page letter addressed to the Scholarship Committee containing a brief explanation of career goals and biographical (background) information.
3. One (1) letter of recommendation from choice of high school teacher, administrator, counselor, employer, or individual with significant knowledge of applicant's experience and involvement.
4. One (1) letter of recommendation from Community Service volunteer work.
5. An official and recent high school transcript with cumulative grade point average.

The **deadline** for the application is **Friday, April 30, 2017, 5:00 pm**. Applications postmarked after this date will not be considered. Please mail to:

"Making a Difference" Scholarship Program
Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (S.T.E.M.)
ATTN: Scholarship Committee
NSBE-CP
P.O. Box 34416
Charlotte, NC 28234

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Personal Information:

Full Name:	Date of Birth: (MM/DD/YEAR)
Permanent Address:	Gender:
City:	Ethnicity:
State: Zip Code:	Contact Number: ()
Email:	

Educational Information:

Current High School:	County:
School Address:	Cumulative GPA (weighted):
University/College Admittance(s):	

Community Involvement – In the sections below, list your membership in any organizations, extracurricular activities, community service and work experience. Attach a separate sheet if necessary.

Organization(s)/ Membership(s)	Roles and Responsibilities	Years of Participation

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Awards & Honors (Attach separate sheet if necessary)

20			<p>A. The following items must be attached to this application in order for the application to qualify to be reviewed by the scholarship committee.</p> <p>B. Your application will not be considered if these items are not attached to this application. (No exceptions.)</p> <p>C. Circle "YES" or "NO" to be sure you have attached each item as required.</p>
	YES	NO	<p>Two (2) letters of recommendation. Return the completed forms in separately sealed envelopes: one (1) from your high school teacher, administrator, counselor, employer, or individual with significant knowledge of your experience or involvement and one (1) from a community service organization from which you've volunteered.</p>
	YES	NO	<p>Proof of college acceptance or current student enrollment. A letter of college acceptance or program acceptance is required for receipt of funds.</p>
	YES	NO	<p>Most recent <u>official</u> high school or <u>official</u> college transcript. Photocopies of your transcript are <u>not acceptable</u>.</p>
	YES	NO	<p>Personal Letter. One-page letter addressed to the Scholarship Committee containing a brief explanation of career goals and biographical (background) information</p>

I verify the above information and supporting documents provided are accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if any information is deemed misleading or dishonest, my application shall be considered ineligible.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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