

Scholarship Application Criteria and Information

Purpose:

The Salvation Army Women's Auxiliary Scholarship was established to help students in Kannapolis City, Cabarrus and Stanly County who are wishing to extend their education.

Scholarship Criteria:

- 1. Must be a citizen (or legal resident) of the United States and a current resident of Kannapolis City, Cabarrus or Stanly County.
- 2. Must have applied to attend an accredited college or technical school in N.C. Preference will be given to those planning to attend in-state, public institutions.
- 3. Must plan on attending full time. (At least 12 credit hours)
- 4. Must sign a photo release.

Qualifications:

- 1. Have a need of **financial** assistance.
- 2. Have a history of volunteerism in the community
- 3. Have commendable character traits.
- 4. Have definite goals.

Funding:

An amount of \$1,000 will be applied toward tuition, books, and fees which will be paid directly to the recipient's school of choice.

Application Procedures:

- 1. Complete the application form and photo release.
- 2. Complete a personal essay. (Include area of study and reason for financial assistance)
- 3. Attach a copy of your high school transcript.
- 4. Include two letters of recommendation:
 - *One from a person knowledgeable of your character.
 - *One from a person knowledgeable of your academic achievements.
- 5. Interview with the Scholarship Committee if required.
- 6. The application and all supporting documents must be complete and postmarked no later than the second Wednesday in April.

Mail To: The Salvation Army SAWA Scholarship Committee

PO Box 511

Concord, NC 28026-0511

Or Bring To: The Salvation Army, Head Quarters

216 Patterson Avenue SE,

Concord, North Carolina 28025