

CHILDREN OF THE CONFEDERACY®
EDUCATION CIRCULAR

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE 2008-2009

Wittichen, Wilcox, Dickens	Value \$600
Silver Jubilee.....	Value \$600
Miller/Coulter	Value \$600
Golden Anniversary	Value \$600

New Scholarships awards are available only to current ACTIVE MEMBERS of the Children of the Confederacy. Funds may vary, see current CofC General Minute Book for more information.

RULES GOVERNING SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

TENURE: General CofC Scholarships shall be automatically renewed provided a request for re-awarding is submitted with a copy of transcript documenting a grade point average of 3.0 or above. Scholarship applications must be sent to the Director General by June 1st. Division deadline is May 1st.

CANDIDATES: Each Division and Chapter in a state where there is no Division may present more than one candidate for the scholarships.

QUALIFICATIONS: All applicants:

1. Must have an active record in the Children of the Confederacy.
1. Be endorsed by the Chapter Director and the Division Director, Children of the Confederacy.
1. Must make application upon the General Organization's official form.
1. Shall complete the application form and submit all information requested.
1. Application shall be submitted no later than June 1 to Director General and by May 1 to the Division or Chapter Where No Division.
1. Application and attachments must be submitted in triplicate.
1. Must currently have and maintain a 3.0 overall GPA.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

In addition to information on the application the following LETTERS, RECORDS and ENDORSEMENTS are to be furnished by the student (3 copies of each required):

1. Endorsement from the Chapter Director and the Division Director must be obtained. These endorsements confirm the applicant's activities in the CofC as stated in the scholarship application.
1. Two letters of recommendation shall be submitted with an application, one from a school official and one from a minister or public official who knows the applicant.
1. Official transcript of grades of the previous year or session from the school attended, including PSAT, ACT, or SAT scores if available.
1. A resume written in essay form by the applicant outlining his/her activities and contributions to the Children of the Confederacy. (Essay should be 500 words but no more than 750 words.)
1. The applicant must furnish this additional information.
 - (a) The name and address of the College or University to be attended.
 - (a) Applicant must be prepared to pass the entrance examination of the prospective College. For other information the applicant should write to the college for a catalog before applying for the scholarship.

GENERAL INFORMATION AND REGULATIONS

The scholarship is transferable to another college or university and may be used at any institution approved by the Education Committee.

College students studying nursing in the university or college awarding a degree in Nursing education will be given the same consideration as students working for degrees in other fields.

Application blanks completed in triplicate for the scholarship listed must be submitted to the Division Director prior to May 1st of each year. The Division Director must forward the applications to the Director General no later than June 1st.

All checks for the scholarship will be sent to the recipient and made payable to the College or University in two equal payments, the first in August, and the second following receipt of the recipients first semester grades.

A student leaving college shall forfeit the scholarship, and the college will return the balance in the student's account to the Children of the Confederacy.

The recipient must send a copy of his/her grades to the President General and the Director General at the end of each semester or quarter. In the event the grades are not received, the scholarship shall be forfeited for the next semester or quarter.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION FOR ALL DIVISION DIRECTORS

A copy of the Education Circular will be sent to each applicant with a request that all rules and all matters of information be carefully noted and given attention as required.

Division Directors must send all applications for scholarships with required endorsements to the Director General, Children of the Confederacy, before June 1st of each year.

The Director General will check all applications to confirm that all required documents are enclosed. She, in turn, will forward to members of the scholarship committee for judging. The scholarships will be awarded at the Children of the Confederacy General Convention in July of each year.

(14) Number of Years of Membership in CofC _____

(15) Offices and Chairmanships on Chapter, Division, and General levels:

Chapter _____

Division _____

General _____

(16) Complete Name of High School _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

(17) Overall Grade Point Average at the End of Last Semester) _____

(*Minimum of 3.0 required on a 4.0 Scale)

Section B: Applicant Certification

I have read and understand the conditions for participation in this program. The information I am supplying in this application is true, complete, and correct. To the best of my knowledge and belief, I am eligible for this program.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Chapter Endorsement:

Chapter Director's Signature Required _____

Chapter Name _____ Number _____

Chapter Location _____

Division Endorsement:

Division Director's Signature Required _____

Division _____

Number of Years in the Children of the Confederacy _____

General Roll Number _____

Rules pertaining to the Children of the Confederacy scholarship applicants:

- 1) Applicant **must** have an active record in the Children of the Confederacy.
- 2) Applicant **must** have and maintain a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
- 3) Applicant **must** submit an Essay of 500 – 750 words titled What CofC means to Me.
- 4) Application must be submitted in triplicate.
- 5) The Scholarship Committee shall consist of the Director General CofC, President General CofC, and the Second Vice President General CofC.
- 6) The recipient **must** notify the President General CofC, and the Director General of their grades at the end of each semester or quarter. In the event the grades are not received, the scholarship shall be forfeited.
- 7) Scholarship money shall be paid directly to the college or university.
- 8) The scholarship will be awarded at the Annual General Convention.