

West Angeles Church of God in Christ
West Angeles Sponsorship Fund Organization (WASFO)
Bishop Charles E. Blake, Pastor
High School Senior Sponsorship Application
2018 – 2019 Academic Year

Dear WASFO Sponsorship Applicant,

The following instructions are provided to assist you in the application process:

1. A complete "Application Package" must include each of the following:
 - **Photograph:** Include two (2) recent 3x5 or smaller photographs (Headshots). Graduation picture is preferred
 - **Transcripts:** Official transcript in SEALED envelope from Applicants High School
Must show grades from first semester of 9th Grade **to** first semester of current School Year
Must include Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA)
UNOFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED
 - **Acceptance Letter:** From accredited University, College or Community College applicant plans to attend in Fall 2018
 - **Character Reference:** Two (2) References are required. Each in separate SEALED envelopes delivered with the Application Package

Reference #1: School Administrator or Academic Counselor
Reference #2: West Angeles Church Education and Enrichment Director or Young Adult Pastor
 - **Policy Statement:** Must be read and signed by Student and Parent/Guardian
 - **Application:** All questions must be answered. Application should be typed or printed in black ink
Must include West Angeles Church Membership number and years as Member (Applicant or Parent information is acceptable). Must be signed by Student and Parent/Guardian
 - **Resume:** One (1) Page typed Resume
Should include Work Experience, Community Service, Church Involvement, Activities, Clubs, Accomplishments and Achievements. Indicate areas where leadership was exercised

2. Complete Application Package including all Supporting Materials must be submitted as follows:

POSTMARKED BY **FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 2018**
INCOMPLETE OR LATE APPLICATIONS **WILL NOT** BE ACCEPTED

Delivered Via:
US MAIL CERTIFIED OR PRIORITY MAIL (USPS), FEDERAL EXPRESS OR UNITED PARCEL SERVICE (UPS)

****HAND DELIVERED APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED****

Delivered To:
West Angeles Church of God in Christ
High School Senior 2018 - WASFO Application
3045 Crenshaw Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90016
Attention: Michele Lewis
T: 323-733-8300 extension 2629

Please direct questions to Michele Lewis, Education & Enrichment Ministry Assistant
Via email: mlewis@westa.org.

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Policy Statement

The West Angeles Sponsorship Fund Organization (WASFO) has been established to financially assist students who are active members of West Angeles Church of God in Christ. The following guidelines will be followed in the administration of the funds.

1. The purpose of WASFO is to award sponsorships to candidates who meet **ALL** eligibility requirements listed below. Funds are distributed based on contributions.
2. Eligibility requirements for High School Seniors applying for the sponsorship are as follows:
 - **Employees of West Angeles Church of God in Christ are not eligible for sponsorship awards.**
 - Candidate must have achieved a minimum **Cumulative** Grade Point Average of 2.5 in grades 9 through 1st semester of senior year.
 - The sponsorship must be used for costs incurred to attend the college of acceptance.
 - Candidate must be an **active** member and supporter of West Angeles Church for a minimum of 12 months and in good standing, validated by a Character Reference from the West Angeles Education and Enrichment Director or Young Adult Pastor.
 - Candidate must assist and/or participate in WASFO activities, as scheduled by the WASFO Committee.
3. All eligible candidates may apply by completing an application. All application materials must be submitted in one complete package. **INCOMPLETE PACKAGES WILL NOT BE PROCESSED.**
4. **APPLICATIONS POSTMARKED AFTER THE JUNE 1, 2018 DEADLINE WILL NOT BE PROCESSED.**
5. Qualified graduating high school seniors with a complete and on time Application Package will be invited to participate in the Interview process. Interviews will be scheduled once Application Packages have been reviewed and determined complete. Students must participate in the Interview process to be considered for a sponsorship.
6. Sponsorship monies will be awarded by WASFO in two disbursements (Fall & Spring Semester/Quarter). Distributions will be made after **PROOF OF ENROLLMENT** and **CLASS SCHEDULE** has been submitted to the WASFO Committee.
Students should not depend on sponsorship funds for initial Registration, Tuition or Book fees.
7. Candidates who qualify for sponsorships will be notified by official letter. Awards will be presented at the Crossover Service.
8. Unclaimed funds remaining at the close of each fiscal year will be returned to the general sponsorship fund and cannot be redeemed after June 30, 2019. The specific deadlines on claiming funds will be provided in the award letter.

We have read and fully understand all of the above WASFO Policy Statement guidelines and will adhere to the policy in its entirety. **We further acknowledge that we have submitted all required materials and this application is complete.**

Signed _____ (Applicant) Date _____

Signed _____ (Parent/Guardian) Date _____

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(Please print or type)

Membership No. _____ (Circle One) Student or Parent Number of years as a member _____

Name _____
Last First Middle

Home Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home Telephone Number _____ Cell Phone Number _____

Primary Email Address _____

Birth Date _____ Age _____ Male ___ Female ___

Name of High School _____

Current HS Cumulative G.P.A _____ (9th through 1st semester of senior year) SAT Score _____ High School Graduation Year _____

High school counselor name and phone number _____

Name of institution Attending (Anticipated) in Fall 2018 _____

Address _____ City/State _____ Zip _____

Is this a 2-or 4-year institution? _____

I plan/will major in _____ and plan to be (Profession) _____

Do you live with your parent(s)/guardian? _____ (Yes or No)

If yes, indicate parent/guardian name(s) _____

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If no, indicate name(s) and relationship(s) of persons with whom you reside

Parent/Guardian Telephone Number _____ Parent/Guardian Email Address _____

Signed _____ (Applicant) Date _____

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West Angeles Church Department Staff
Character Reference
(Please print or type)

SECTION 1: TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT

Name _____

Address _____
City/State _____ Zip _____

SECTION 2: TO BE COMPLETED BY PERSON PROVIDING CHARACTER REFERENCE

The above individual has applied for a sponsorship from the West Angeles Sponsorship Fund Organization (WASFO), and has given your name as a character reference. Please complete the information below to the best of your knowledge. Your comments will be kept confidential.

How long have you known the student applicant? _____ (days/months/years)

❖ Type of involvement _____

Student's level of involvement/participation _____%

If less than 50% please explain _____

❖ In your opinion, what are the most impressive Christian qualities this student displays? (please explain or describe)

❖ In your opinion, is the student applicant conscientious and motivated to succeed? (please explain or describe)

❖ In your opinion, will the applicant be able to compete on a college level?

❖ Please provide any additional comments that will assist WASFO in understanding more about the student applicant. Attach additional pages if needed.

Signature _____

Date _____

Print Name _____

Title _____

Department _____

Please place this form in a SEALED envelope with your signature across the flap. Return the sealed and signed envelope to the student applicant.

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Character Reference**
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How long have you known the student applicant? _____ (days/months/years)

Please explain acquaintance _____

❖ In your opinion, is the student applicant conscientious and motivated to succeed?

❖ In your opinion, will the applicant be able to compete on a college level?

❖ In your opinion, what are the most impressive qualities possessed by the student applicant?

❖ Please provide any additional comments that will assist WASFO in understanding more about the student applicant.

Signature _____ Date _____

Print Name _____

Title _____ Department _____

Address _____ City/State _____ Zip _____