

Jackson State University
Greater Washington, DC Area Alumni Chapter
Ada L. Mason Memorial Scholarship

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number(s): _____

Email Address: _____

Grade Point Average: _____

If in high school or community college, name of school:

Address: _____

Proposed Graduation Date: _____

If current JSU student, classification: _____

What is/will be your major?: _____

Have you applied to JSU? YES NO

If "NO", when do you plan to apply?: _____

Signature

Date

Please mail application to:

Greater Washington, DC
Area Alumni Chapter
JSU Alumni Association
c/o Scholarship Committee
P.O. BOX 6791
Largo, MD 20792

Please include in your application package:

1. **Official Transcript of Academic Record;**
2. **Copy of JSU letter of acceptance(new applicants only);**
3. **Two letter of recommendation from non-family members.** *At least one recommendation letter should come from an educational professional at the university for students already attending Jackson State or from the student's high school for incoming freshmen. (An example of an educational professional is a teacher/professor, counselor or advisor, or school administrator.) Recommendations should discuss the student's achievements and abilities, and the student's commitment to educational and personal endeavors.*
4. **A 500-word essay. Typed and double-spaced.**
Applicants may write about one of the three topics:
 - "The Advantages/Benefits of Attending a Historically Black Institution"
 - "Why a College Education is Important to me?"
 - "My Plans/Goals for Success"
 - "Why Should the GWDC Chapter continue to award me the Ada L. Mason Scholarship?"
(required for renewals)