RAYMOND HARRIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

2021 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

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LEAPforward, Inc.
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Greetings Applicants!

Launching Educational Assistance Programs Forward, Inc. (LEAP Forward, Inc.) is a non-profit organization that administers the Raymond Harris Memorial Scholarship.

LEAP Forward, Inc. will award a $1000.00 college scholarship to deserving African-American students from the Southern Maryland (Calvert, Charles and St. Mary’s Counties). Scholarships will be available for the Fall 2021 semester. To be eligible for consideration, the student must:

♦ Be a high school graduate with a GPA of 2.5 or above; and
♦ Accepted by an accredited University/College; and/or currently enrolled in an accredited University/College
♦ Displays scholastic, athletic and/or leadership achievement; and
♦ Be in need of financial assistance (Include copy of FAFSA student aid report); and
♦ Submit a completed application, essay, resume, and high school transcript (Unofficial copy is acceptable).

Upon notification of the scholarship award, the student must:
♦ Provide proof of college enrollment and/or current attendance; and
♦ Sign a declaration of future support to LEAP Forward; and
♦ Provide a high school graduation photo (with permission for use in solicitation of future scholarship funding); and
♦ Attend the scholarship reception on July 11, 2021.

Mail Completed applications to:
LEAP Forward, Inc.
Raymond Harris Memorial Scholarship
P.O. Box 373
Prince Frederick, MD 20678

OR

Email Completed applications to: leapforwardinc@yahoo.com

Questions ???? We can be reached at 410.535.1803 or by email: leapforwardinc@yahoo.com

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2021-2022

NAME:
____________________________________________________

PHONE NUMBER and EMAIL ADDRESS:
____________________________________________________

ADDRESS:
____________________________________________________

HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE:
____________________________________________________

HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE ACTIVITIES, AWARDS OR HONORS:
____________________________________________________

Community Service Activities____________________________________________________

College ID:______ GPA(high school or college): ________

SAT or ACT SCORE:____________________

COLLEGE CHOICE:____________________________________________________

Anticipated College Major:____________________________________________________

APPROX. FAMILY INCOME____________________________________
(Held in Confidence and verification may be requested)
PLEASE ATTACH AN ONE-PAGE (minimum) AUTOBIOGRAPHY to include the following: What are your future goals and how will a college education assist you in attaining those goals? What character traits do you possess that will help you be successful in college? Why are you a deserving candidate for this scholarship? Also, include a statement about your financial need.
Upon notification of scholarship award, the applicant must provide the following:

Declaration of Future Support

Upon receipt of the Raymond Harris scholarship,

I __________________________________________________________________________
(Name)

vow to support the LEAP Forward Inc. organization by “giving back” with my time, talents, and resources to include such activities as supporting fundraising, serving as student liaisons, conducting a college tour of your campus, etc.

_________________________________________   __________________________
Signature                                             Date

Permission to Use Information and Photographs

I, __________________________________________________________________________ (name) give LEAP Forward Inc. permission to use my information and photographs in a variety of media to include for example newspaper, website, etc. for purposes of advertising, fundraising, inspiration, etc.

_________________________________________   __________________________
Signature                                             Date