

Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday Celebration Committee

P.O. Box 72710 Fairbanks, AK 99707

Scholarship Application



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Instructions to Applicants

1. All applications must be received by May 29th 2020. Applications may be mailed to:
*Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration
Attn: Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 72710 Fairbanks, AK 99707*

Applicants needing assistance in the completion of this application should contact their school counselors.

2. The application form provided by the Martin Luther King Holiday Celebration Committee **MUST** be used to apply for the scholarship.
3. The top four applicants will be interviewed
4. Winners will be notified by June 2nd 2020. Only one scholarship will be awarded to each winner.

Each scholarship will be held in a trust until confirmation of enrollment in an accredited college, university, vocational or technical school has been received by committee.

The Committee reserves the right to select an alternate recipient if the winner does not provide confirmation of enrollment, or for some other reason the Committee finds it necessary to withdraw the offer of award.

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Scholarship for Martin Luther King, JR. Applicants

The Fairbanks Martin Luther King Jr Holiday Celebration Committee provides scholarships to assist deserving students in the study of their chosen careers or fields.

Types of Scholarships

The Martin Luther King Jr. Fairbanks Holiday Celebration Committee will award 1 one thousand dollar (\$1000) scholarship to a high school graduate within the Fairbanks North Star Borough who is enrolled in an accredited college, university, vocational or technical school.

Eligibility Requirements

To qualify, applicants **must** meet the following requirements:

1. Be a high school senior enrolled in any school within the Fairbanks North Star Borough.
2. Be a citizen of the United States.
3. Have at least a GPA of 2.0 (*please include your most recent transcripts*)
4. Submit a typewritten essay of at least 250 words stating why you believe you are worthy of this scholarship in relation to the legacy and works of the Dr. King.
5. Submit three letter of recommendation. (not from relatives)
6. Be active in community affairs and or school extra-curricular activities.
7. Must have demonstrated, in their lives, the principles for which Martin Luther King Jr. stood.

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Personal Information

Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: **AK**

Applicant Phone: _____ Applicant email: _____

Parents email: _____ Parents phone: _____

Date of Birth: _____ U.S. Citizenship Yes/No (circle one)

High School: _____ Counselor: _____

College, university, vocational technical preferences (list not more than three in the order of your preference):

| Name of School | Have you applied? |
|----------------|-------------------|
| 1. _____ | Yes/No |
| 2. _____ | Yes/No |
| 3. _____ | Yes/No |

List extracurricular activities and community involvement (be sure to add additional sheets if necessary):

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

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